

# GRADE 1 & 2

## Newsletter

WEEK OF: FEBRUARY 9 - 12

### LEARNING FOCUS

Language Arts: Targeted small group literacy support (Mon/Wed/Fri); silent reading; printing practice; sentence dictation, story workshop

Math: Number concepts to 100 - estimating, counting (by 2's, 5's, and 10's); addition with bigger numbers (with bridging); place value; number formation

Science: Lifecycles

PHE: Body awareness and movement skills; gym safety; expectations and routines; tag games

### READING

Please read with your child for at least 15-20 minutes daily!

#### Home Reading Program:

Bring in the books to exchange on Thursday!

### REMINDERS


- Please ensure your child has extra clothes packed (socks, undies, pants and tee-shirt) for accidental messes.
- We have some cold and wet temperatures in the forecast in the coming weeks. Please send your child with appropriate outdoor gear (gloves, jacket, toque, snow pants, boots).
- Students will be outside if it is -15 degrees or warmer.
- We will be celebrating the 100 th day of school on February 9 We will be having a grade 1-3 rotations celebration before skating. Please start thinking about collections of 100 things with your child that they can wear to school (ex: a shirt with 100 buttons, a hat with 100 pom poms, a necklace with 100 beads, 100 tattoos, 100 freckles, etc.) Be creative, make it fun!

### IMPORTANT DATES

Feb. 9 - Salad Bar/ Skating Field Trip/ 100th Day of School  
Feb. 11 - Pizza Day (pepperoni & cheese)  
Feb. 13 - PRO-D Day (No School)  
Feb. 16 - Family Day (No School)  
Feb. 25 - Pink Shirt Day  
Mar. 20 - Last day of classes before Spring Break/Learning Summaries go home

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