



# GRADE 1/2

## Newsletter

WEEK OF: SEPT. 29 - OCT. 5

### LEARNING FOCUS

**Language Arts:** Review of basic letter sounds; targeted small group literacy support (M, W, F) silent reading, making connections & printing practice

**Math:** Number concepts to 20 - subitizing, counting (by 2's, 5's, and 10's); addition to twenty; number formation

**PHE:** Body awareness and movement skills; gym safety, expectations and routines

**Social Studies:** Rights, roles and responsibilities.

**Monday - focus on Orange Shirt day learning and activities**

### READING

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

### REMINDERS

- **All library books need to be returned by Tuesday each week.**
- Please send your \$50 school supply fee to the office at your earliest convenience.
- Please ensure your child has extra clothes packed (socks, undies, pants and tee-shirt) for accidental messes.
- Please send your child with a water bottle each day to help reduce the amount of times students are having to leave the classroom during learning time.
- **Lunch cards can be purchased in the office \$30 per card (\$3 per lunch)**
- **Please wear orange on Monday to celebrate Orange Shirt Day. We will be doing a school wide walk to honor and remember the children affected by residential schools. Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately.**

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Sept. 29** - Orange Shirt Day

**Sept. 30** - Truth and Reconciliation Day (no school)

**Oct. 13** - Thanksgiving (no school)

**Oct. 20** - Salad Bar Starts

**Oct. 22/23** - Parent Teacher interviews (early dismissal)

**Oct. 24** - Pro-D - No school

**Oct. 31** - Halloween

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