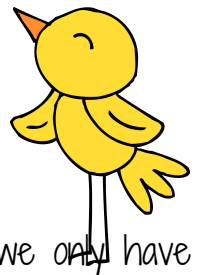


Grade Two News - April 2018



We hope everyone had a restful and enjoyable spring break. It's hard to believe we only have 3 months left of the school year. April will be an exciting month filled with activities connected to spring and Earth day.

Language: We will complete our fairy tale writing unit the first few weeks of April. For the remainder of the month students will enjoy a Dr. Seuss writing unit, focused on The Lorax. Students will also begin learning and writing about a variety of poems during our poetry unit. Students are continuing to improve their reading skills with small group and partner reading activities. **Continued practice, at home, reading will further develop your child's literacy skills.**

Math: We will continue with our study of **two digit addition and subtraction**, as well as practicing **measurement** skills. We will continue to practice problem solving to develop students ability to apply their math skills. **Keep working, at home, on basic addition and subtraction facts to 18.**

Science: Mrs. Wessner's class has started the unit on **Boats and Buoyancy**. Students are enjoying testing a variety of materials and comparing their buoyancy. Mrs. Abt's class has started learning about **Hot and Cold temperature** and Mrs. McInnes (Mrs. Allen) class is beginning their study of **Magnets**.

Social: We have finished our '**Adventure to Meteghan**' and have begun our last 'flight' to **Saskatoon**, learning about the prairie community and culture.



Happy Spring!

Please return the field trip form sent home in March to ensure your child is able to participate in our exciting year end field trips to the Telus World of Science in Edmonton and the Reynold's museum in Wetaskiwin.



*****PLEASE NOTE:***
Swimming lessons begin in May for all grade 2 classes.**



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Springtime in Alberta can mean quickly changing weather. Please help your child be prepared for recess with footwear and a jacket that is appropriate for the forecast.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Spring Break						
1 Easter Sunday	2 Easter Monday (holiday)	3 <i>First day back from spring break</i>	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 PD day (no school)	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22 Earth day 	23	24	25	26 Assembly 9 am Family Dance 6pm - school gym	27 PD day (no school)	28
29	30					