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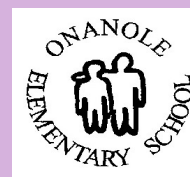
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January Events:

Jan 31st: No School/Inservice

January 17th: Martin Luther King Jr Day

February Events:

Feb 2nd: Groundhog Day

Feb 14th: Valentines Day

Feb 21st: No School



Some of the students from the Grade 7/8 class took part in packing hampers at the Onanole Rec Centre for Christmas Cheer before the Christmas break . This program has been spearheaded in this community by Shelly Nichols for as long as we can remember. There were approximately 30 hampers delivered to families in and around the surrounding area.



to all families who took part in donating to this wonderful program.



Today is Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Day. This day is celebrated every year on the third Monday in January . Dr. King was a minister who became the leader of the civil rights movement. He is famous for the "I HAVE A DREAM SPEECH", which he made in Washington in front of 250,000 people. Dr. King spoke of equality and respect. He wanted to see a world of acceptance and love and not judge one another based on their skin color.

Dr. King was inspired by Mahatma Ghandi who held peaceful non-violent protests against discrimination. Dr. King followed Ghandi's example and held many peaceful marches of his own. One in particular was for Rosa Parks who was arrested for merely refusing to give up her seat on a public bus to a white man. Dr. King arranged a peaceful March in protest of this injustice. He as well, also had a similar experience as young man. He was made to stand on a packed bus and had to give up his seat to a white young man.

Dr. King himself was arrested 29 times, just for doing what was right . In 1969, The Civil Rights act was signed and Dr. King stood proudly for all witnessing this historic event . At the age of 35, he received the Noble Peace Prize.

Although Dr.King is no longer with us his legacy is carried on by millions of people today to continue to always do what is right.

Kindergarten!

Welcome back everyone!

I'm so looking forward to having all the students back this week. Now that we've completed the letters of the day, we will start working on word of the day. Our number of the day will continue to coincide with the day of the month and we will work on addition and subtraction of numbers to 10. Stay safe and healthy!

Mrs. Lindsay

Grade 1/2

Thank you to all families for being flexible during the week of remote learning.

This week, Grade 1s will start working on identifying nouns. Grade 2s will be working on identifying Common and Proper Nouns. We will continue to work on developing our own stories with a clear beginning, middle and end.

In math we continue to work on addition and subtraction. We will work on mental math strategies. Grade 2s have been working on 2-digit addition. This week, we will talk about regrouping and borrowing.

In Social studies we have been talking about Canada. We have been discussing Canada's national symbols. This week, we will talk about our national anthem.

I hope everyone has a wonderful week.

Miss Ushey

Grade 3/4

Hi everyone,

Happy New Year! Thank you to all my students and families for participating in the remote learning meetings and activities last week. You did an awesome job! Here are some topics that we will be focusing on in class:

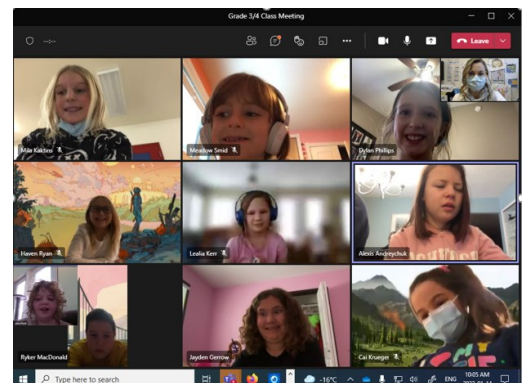
ELA: We will be working on comparing texts when we are reading. We will also continue to work on opinion writing and making sure to back up our opinions with evidence.

Math: We will be wrapping up our fractions unit and will be moving on to multiplication strategies.

Science: In science we will be wrapping up our light unit and will be starting our unit on Rocks and Minerals.

Social Studies: We will be "journeying" to Ancient Egypt.

Have a great week everyone,
Miss Krahn



Grade 5/6

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a great weekend. I was very impressed with the kids' participation in our Teams meetings and their organization with their materials during our week of remote learning. We had very few "I can't find that" moments. We will spend some time reviewing the materials from last week and seeing if there are any areas we need to work on a little more.

We have the snowshoes for this week so we will be outside for Phys. Ed. classes. Dress for the weather.

Here is what we will be up to in our subjects:

Math – 2&3 Digit Number Multiplication

ELA – Literacy Choices & Novel Studies

Science – New Unit "Changes in Matter"

Social Studies – European Explorers

Phys. Ed. – Low Organized Games & Snowshoeing

Health – Health Commercials

REMINDERS:

Snowshoeing for Phys. Ed.
TUSC – Jan. 25

Have a great week.
Mr. Stephenson

Grade 7/8

Around the Classroom

We will be having a student teacher, Laura McKay joining us for 7 weeks starting this Monday.

Math 7: finishing our unit on equations by learning to solve equations using algebra, then we will begin a unit on circles

Math 8: continuing to work with ratios and rates, then we will go back to our unit on squares/square numbers that will lead us into the Pythagorean Theory

Social: we are looking at climate and vegetation zones around the world and how that has impacted population

French: working with the Canadian Food Guide

Health: wrapping up our section on Relationships by looking at scenarios and identifying the healthy/unhealthy behaviors

Have a great January!
Mrs. Tyschinski

ODRC Public Skate & Shinny Vaccination Checkers Needed

In order to ensure that public health orders are adhered to a fully vaccinated adult must be present to check the vaccination status of people entering the rink.

What do I do as a Vaccination Checker?

Check that people are masked and vaccinated.

Can I skate and volunteer?

Yes, just check people when they come in.

Do I need a key?

No, the rink will be opened and locked by a rink worker or board member.

If you are interested in volunteering to be a vaccination checker for public skating & shinny, or would like more information please email: info@onanolerecentre.ca

Grade 7/8 ELA

ELA – Welcome Back Folks – I hope that the Remote Learning went ok last week. We will be working to ensure that all of that got completed from last week and doing some finish ups today. Genius hour presentations will be scheduled throughout this week. We will be looking at powerful quotes this week and making connections to them through storytelling in our writing.

Have a great week and Happy 2022!
Mrs. Ryznar