

October News From Gr. 3/4

It was great to meet so many parents at Meet the Teacher Night! Thanks so much for coming out. As well, thanks to all of the parents who volunteered to join us at the Caledonia Fair!

Curriculum:

Reading: We continue to work in guided reading groups on using fluency and expression when reading at our 'just right level'. Students are also answering comprehension questions that force them to find evidence in the text to support their answers. ***Students are strongly encouraged to be reading nightly at home!***

Writing: Students will learn how to write in paragraphs. Later in the month, we will focus on how to write procedures (e.g., how to carve a pumpkin, how to make my bed, how to take a shower, etc.).

Math: ***Students should be memorizing their facts at home, either with flashcards or computer games.***

Gr. 3: continue place value to 1000, also addition/subtraction of two digit numbers WITH REGROUPING.

Gr. 4: continue place value to 10000, also addition/subtraction of three digit numbers WITH REGROUPING.

Social Studies:

Gr. 3: Living and Working in Ontario (Rural and Urban Communities)

Gr. 4: Canada

Websites to reinforce learning:

Math:

<http://njs-main.appspot.com/TheWallAddition.html>

<http://njs-main.appspot.com/TheWallSubtract.html>

www.sumdog.com

www.prodigy.com

Language:

www.abcya.com

www.arcademicskillbuilders.com

Other:

Thanks for remembering to sign the agenda nightly (even when there is no entry). If you have any questions or concerns, please drop me a note in the agenda or call me at school.

Mrs. Campbell