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# November Newsletter

## Lead Story Headline

Wow! October came in and out like a flash. I would like to thank the parents/guardians for the tasty treats on Oneida's Orange and Black day. It was pretty great to see all of the support for the Orange and Black festivities. I hope the students and parents have recovered from Halloween night sugar rush. I am still recuperating myself.

**Progress Reports.** Are just around the corner and interviews will follow. If you have any concerns so far please do not hesitate to let me know. I know Gr. 5 and 6 can be a little overwhelming at times because of the workload.

## Secondary Story

**Interviews**—will be held on Thurs. November the 16th from 4:00pm-7:30pm and then again Friday the 17th in the morning from 9:00am-11:00am. I hope to see you all in person

**Language**—this month our focus will be on two specific things. Number 1, we are well on our way to reading our first novels of the year. I had chosen 3 books to begin with, but after getting to know the class a little better, I decided to switch it up. I found the other books to be less interesting, so we have moved on. The Gr. 6's are still reading "The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe, the Gr. 5's have split between an Eric Walters Book (Rebound) and Earthquake Terror by Peg Kehret. Our main focus will be on guided and independent reading of chapters and chapter sum-

**Social Studies Gr. 5** - For the first Social Studies Unit in gr. 5 the focus will be on **Canadian Government**. Yikes!! Mold-ing the minds of our future voters. Government parties will be discussed, along with federal and municipal jurisdictions, Prime Minister, Premiers,

maries. The students seem pretty excited about the books, which makes the process a lot more fun. The second language focus will be on NARRATIVE stories. The students are currently displaying their writing skills and focusing on character and plot development. We are aiming to have them complete for interview time.

**Math**— this month in math the focus will be on data management. This unit is about interpreting graphs and data. We will be conducting a school wide survey as a culminating task in this unit. After that, we will be getting back to basics. Focusing on mental math (multiplication facts

**Social Studies Gr. 6** - For the first Social Studies Unit in gr. 6 the focus will be on **Canadian Communities, Past and Present**. In this unit the students will learn about the communities that have contributed to the development of Canada and how these contributions created our

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## Special points of interest:

- ☺ Spirit Day Nov. 24th
- ☺ Progress Report Home 15th
- ☺ Pizza Day Nov. 10th, 24th
- ☺ Remembrance Day Nov. 11th
- ☺ Intermediate Volleyball Tour. Nov. 30th
- ☺ Book Fair Nov. 15th to 17th
- ☺ Picture Retakes 23rd
- ☺ Interviews 16th evening and 17th morning
- ☺ PD Day 17th

