# **November Newsletter 2017**



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What a fantastic group! As we settle into November, I have to say how awesome the students in grade 2 are! They are a kind, generous and a respectful group of young people! We are all enjoying the fun and learning as we share time together in our Grade 2 class!

#### Homework

Please make sure you sign the monthly view in the agenda to indicate your child has read to you every night. Following up with your child at home on the Daily Math and Language work is a great way to reinforce and follow up with the concepts being taught at school. Spelling tests continue every Friday and words are sent home on Mondays in the agenda. If your child returns a pink sheet with their spelling test they are to make corrections and return the pink sheet for a signature. Please remember 2 Math Grids are due every Friday as part of each student's homework responsibilities.

#### Remembrance Day

During the Remembrance Day Assembly on Friday, November 10th, the Grade 2s will be reciting In Flanders Fields. The assembly is at 9:30 am. All are welcome.

## Student, Parent Teacher Conferences

Appointment forms have been sent home with your child. Please send an interview time to come and take part in our Student Lead Conferencing. Conference times are on the evening of Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> and the morning of Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. If you would prefer to email me with your preferred time to meet please feel free to do so.

### Chocolate Bar Sales

We have 12 more boxes of chocolate bars to sell and then we will have raised enough money for each student to go on our year end trip to African Lion Safari. Thank you to everyone who is participating!

# \$\$ Dollar Dice\$\$

This is a game we have been playing at school to help us develop our understanding of money to \$1. The students requested that I send a game card home so they could play the game at home with you! Great idea!

**Objective:** To be the first person to get EXACTLY \$1.00

**Materials:** One die (dice), and about 5 pennies, 5 nickels, 5 dimes and 5 quarters per player.

**Rules:** Take turns rolling the dice and collecting coins using the corresponding chart below. Example: If you roll a 2 you get a nickel.

1	2	3	4	5	6
penny	nickel	dime	quarter	pick	miss
				any	your
				coin	turn

Keep rolling until one player has a dollar. If you roll a number that puts you over a dollar you may not take that coin and must pass your turn. Keep rolling until you earn the exact amount.

Banbury Heights is hosting a Scholastic Book Sale! Books will be on sale in the library only on the dates listed below.

Weds Nov 15 3:05 pm to 5 pm Thurs Nov 16 3:05 pm till 8 pm Fri Nov 17 8am to noon

**Book Orders:** If you would like to order books from Scholastic that are for Christmas please let me know. We will make sure they are kept "secret" and packaged up before they are sent home.









For your Nov 11 Nov 14 Nov 15 Nov 16 & 17 Nov 17