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# Mrs. Kimberly Pelich - Grade 3

Another fantastic month has gone by here in Grade 3! The students are working so hard and learning so much! Thank you for your support at home.

# **Terry Fox:**

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Thank you for your support and donations! Our school raised **\$1165** for the Terry Fox Foundation! I am truly overwhelmed by the community's support. This is a charity very close to my family.

## **Home Reading:**

I am so proud of how much my students are reading! Way to go! Raz-Kids logins came home this week and can be recorded on the reading log. There are comprehension activities that go along with the books. Students have access to levels just above and just below their current level. Please do not focus on the reading levels. Grade 3 is about reading comprehension. They will not move through a ton of levels this year. We really focus on comprehension. Understanding what we read. Please chat about the books too.

# **Math Homework**

Students have a login for Prodigy. A great website for math practice. Please practice basic math facts to increase speed and accuracy. The dollar store has great flash cards or I have some you can borrow. Counting past 100 is a must for everyone. This is tricky for many forwards and backwards.

## **Indoor Shoes / Extra Clothes**

Please dress for the weather. Layers are best as you can always take something off on a warmer afternoon. Extra clothes can be left on their hooks in case of accidents on the playground. Puddles and mud are always a problem in the fall. Please send indoor shoes. Lots of dirt and mud is coming into the classroom.

#### **Remembrance Day**

The Remembrance Day assembly will be held on Friday, November 9th. Time will be sent home. Our class will be providing artwork for the gym. The community is always welcome.

#### Curriculum Connections

<u>Reading</u> - Students will continue to read non -fiction texts.

<u>Writing</u> - Students will be researching and writing reports on a plant.

Media - We will continue with Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. Students will create a poster board for their plants.

Math: - Measurement using standard units
Addition and subtraction with regrouping.

<u>Science</u> - Continuing our study of plants. We have learned about the structure of plants and will be looking at human uses and how human activity affects plants.

<u>Indigenous Studies</u> - We were very lucky to have Johnny Powless from the Toronto Rock professional lacrosse league come to our class! We spent the afternoon learning about the Six Nations and the importance of lacrosse. We learned how to play and even got autographs! We were so lucky to have this experience.