

A6 NEWSLETTER

Important Dates:

- March 13th - End Of Year Show (Last day of winter term)
- March 16 to March 20th - No School
- March 23rd - Spring School Session 1
- March 30th - Spring School Session 2

Science

This term, students explored the topic of climate change, learning about the greenhouse effect, rising global temperatures, and the ways human activities can impact the environment. They discussed practical actions individuals and communities can take to help protect our planet. Students also enjoyed learning about seahorses, discovering their unique body structure, how they swim upright, and the fascinating role reversal in reproduction, where the male carries the eggs in a pouch until the babies are ready to be released. Through these lessons, students developed a deeper appreciation for ocean life and the importance of caring for Earth's ecosystems

Performing Arts

Students have been practising diligently for their upcoming end-of-year show. Rehearsals have been filled with energy, passion, and strong collaboration as students work together to refine their performances. It has been wonderful to see their commitment, teamwork, and growing confidence as they prepare to share their talents with the school community.

Economics / Financial Literacy

Students took part in a hands-on investing activity where they researched real companies and made simulated stock purchases. Grade 6 selected one share of Target Corporation (TGT), while Grade 5 purchased two shares of Gap Inc. (GPS). Students have been monitoring the share prices each day and discussing how world events, news, and economic changes can influence the stock market and investment values.

Mathematics

Students have been focusing on fractions, developing their understanding of equivalent fractions, comparing and ordering fractions, and applying these skills in problem-solving activities. They have also explored statistics and probability, learning how to collect and interpret data, create simple graphs, and discuss the likelihood of events. Through games, investigations, and practical tasks, students have strengthened their mathematical reasoning and confidence when explaining their thinking.

Language Arts

We have been learning several important skills. We practiced identifying and correcting double negatives so our sentences are clearer and grammatically correct. We also studied suffixes and how adding them to words can change their meaning or part of speech. Another focus was Latin root words, which help us understand the meanings of many English words. In literature, we explored mythology in texts and discussed how myths explain natural events and teach lessons through characters and stories.



Congratulations

Thank you to Grade 5 for all the wonderful experiences and energy you brought to our classroom ever single day. I wish you great success as you move to grade 6!

Congratulations to our Grade 6 students on reaching this important milestone. Your hard work, perseverance, and growth throughout the year have been wonderful to see, and you should all feel very proud of what you have achieved. As you move on to the next stage of your learning journey, we wish you continued success, curiosity, and confidence.

We would also like to sincerely thank parents for your ongoing support, encouragement, and partnership throughout the year. Your involvement plays an important role in helping our students grow and thrive. We wish all our graduating students the very best for the future.



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