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Grade 4 Newsletter



Homework Reminders:

- <u>Click here</u> for the homework board link
- Remember to check and use your homework planner daily!
- You will begin to see some General Studies Homework this week!
- DON'T FORGET to hand in your SOCCER JAMBOREE PERMISSION FORMS!

Mrs Cleveland's MATH Class:

We are in our final section of our first unit on Numbers, and are now going to focus on rounding numbers. We will look at rounding numbers to the nearest 10's, 100's, 1000's and some of us, even 10 000's!

Last week, students worked on a 3-Part lesson, in small groups, that allowed for both enrichment and ongoing practice. Using clues, students were tasked to come up with values in the 10 000's that had to have a certain sum or difference when all digits were added or subtracted.

We will also be starting our own "Math Toolboxes" this week and continuing this throughout the year. This is a place where each student keeps track of their own math learning, using their own words, descriptions, and examples. This becomes a great resource to refer to and review learned concepts as well as a medium to display understanding at various levels to personalize their own math journey.

Ms.M's class

This week, we started our Celebrating Indigenous Culture projects. Watch this space for updates!

Our Wild Robot reading continues, we looked at how Roz is constantly problem solving and evolving with the island environment. We are drafting our first written assignment: writing a recount from the perspective of Roz.

In science, we are looking at predator, prey, primary and secondary consumers and how food chain's work... looking at the BIG questions such as if a lion decomposes to make nutrient rich soil... does that mean the plant is a predator of the lion?

M. P's French Class: We have started our year in the Core French class by studying a unit on different animals. Students are also working on a presentation about themselves called Je me présente. This presentation will include 6 topics that they have chosen and a small introduction and conclusion.

Our class continues to spend one period each week on French grammar, one working on reading comprehension and a period with a culminating activity based on a French game.

Hebrew

Morah Yulia made a commitment to visit Israel before accepting her position at OJCS and will be away until October 26th.

Morah Ruthie and Morah Liat will be stepping in for her while she is away. We look forward to welcoming her back soon and hearing all about her wonderful trip.

Upcoming Events:

- October 12th Grade 4 Soccer Jamboree (8:30 am 2:30 am)
- October 16th Rosh Chodesh Assembly for Students at 1:45 pm
- October 17th Global Maker Day See blog for recycle





















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