

November

Grade 1 Newsletter – November in Review

Introduction...

We began our first project titled "Thanksgiving Dinner" and planned a feast of turkey, apples, carrots, potatoes, and pumpkin pie! Afterwards, we celebrated with homemade sweet potato casserole and cranberry pie. Yum!

In English Language,

We had a Thanksgiving themed spelling quiz and started a new unit on celebrations and traditions. We wrote about our own family traditions and about "tooth traditions" around the world!

In Mathematics,

Our Thanksgiving Dinner project was full of math: we learned to look at pricing, use a calculator to find out how much various items would cost us. We also organized and showed our data on charts! Finally, we wrapped up our unit on ordinal numbers after our "Seven Blind Mice" reading.

In Social Studies,

We began learning about respect with the story "Lily's Plastic Purse." We reflected on ways the main character was disrespectful, and how she made her actions right!

In Science,

We finished our unit on living things, their growth, needs and patterns. We began learning about healthy eating and living with the Canadian Food Guide!

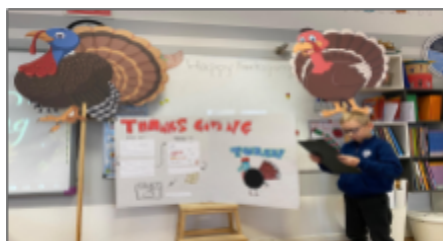
In Art,

We made our own Thanksgiving cornucopias and bracelets that reminded us of the story of Thanksgiving. We also learned about the sculptor Maria Martinez. Let the Christmas crafts begin!

Happy November!

Miss. Kelly

Pictures, pictures, pictures!



IMPORTANT DATES:

- December 4th - Canadian Program Project Assigned
- December 6th - Saint Nicholas Day
- December 21st - Christmas Performance
- December 22nd - 2nd Annual Christmas Pajama Party!
- December 25th-31st - Christmas Break