

June 2024

Grade 7 Class Newsletter

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Grade 7 students had an energetic and fun camp last week and are now looking ahead to all the tasks that need to be completed, prior to graduation. The feedback from the kids on camp was very positive and the food got a 10/10 rating! Our sincere thanks to all the parents and family members who came along to help. We really enjoyed spending time with you in a relaxed atmosphere, and it was great to have the flexibility of a 20 minute drive from PG. Floyd gave a big thumbs up to the campfire sing-along and really enjoyed playing his uke with Allen.

As I am now in the midst of writing report cards, the students will have minimal amounts of homework. Most of the work assigned will be revision of concepts already covered this year.

WHAT WE ARE LEARNING THIS MONTH:

<u>MATH</u> - We are reviewing key concepts in math, particularly shape and geometry. Students are working together, using self-paced booklets to refine their skills with protractors and compasses.

LANGUAGE ARTS - Students are participating in a class debate and collaboratively creating a piece of dramatic work. This piece of work will include a variety of "episodes" that all relate back to an agreed upon theme. Students will have the majority of the creative control, with the teacher as facilitator.

<u>ART</u> - We are making tessellations and developing ruler skills with Op Art activities.

<u>HEALTH</u> - Students will have a quiz to test their understanding of healthy bodies and healthy minds within the context of puberty. Our focus is on their changing bodies and building healthy relationships.

SOME DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

- June 14 Leadership visit to the Hospice House, from 0900 1200pm
- June 14 Evening of the Arts At 6.30pm
- June 16 Father's Day
- June 21 National Aboriginal Day (Orange Shirt Day)
- June 24 Sports Day and PSG BBQ
- June 26 Grade 7 Graduation and Mass
 Last Day of School 1145am dismissal

Please don't hesitate to contact me if there are any concerns or questions.

Best wishes, Jean Garcia Grade 7 Teacher