

Grade 3 Mrs. Adamson

## February 4th - 8th

, Language Arts (Mrs. Adamson)	This month's language arts theme is <b>Biographies.</b> Students will begin this week by writing a journal using a teacher provided prompt to guide them. They will be working on Grammar, reading comprehension and correct the Sentence. We will continue our class read aloud novel, <u>The Twits</u> by Roald Dahl. We will be exploring different biographies and looking at similar features they have. We will be continuing with our cursive letters this week. Spelling words will go home on Monday.
Math (Mrs. Adamson)	Students will be working on the Saxon Math program lessons 85-88. We will continue to work on prodigy during our math lab on Thursday. There will be a math test on Tuesday consolidating their knowledge from the past week.
Science (Mrs. Adamson)	Students will continue to work on our topic, Soil in the Environment. We will be exploring the different types of soil, and soil drainage.
Social Studies (Mrs. Adamson)	This week we will be introducing our new unit, Living and Working in Ontario. We will be discussing major cities in Ontario.
French (Mme. Grovum)	Students will continue thier unit on physical attributes, adjectives and descriptions.
Music (Mr. Kudera)	<ul> <li>Theory         <ul> <li>Students will begin their study of Ludwig van Beethoven. They will read about his life and listen to excerpts of his keyboard works.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Instrumental         <ul> <li>pages 5, 6, and 7 of Recorder Karate</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>there will be a playing assessment on Wednesday, February 27</li> <li>Choral         <ul> <li><u>Just One Person</u></li> <li><u>Be Prepared</u></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Media Arts (Mrs. Grovum)	Students will begin their unit on Black History Month.
Visual Art (Ms. James)	This week students will continue practicing their new pointillism technique. Over the next few weeks, students will work on a collaborative piece inspired by the famous painting "A Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte".
Computers (Mr. Kudera)	<ul> <li>.keyboarding exercises</li> <li>review of internet safety</li> <li>using <u>Safe Search Kids</u></li> <li>creating bookmarks on the <i>Bookmarks Bar</i></li> </ul>
Drama (Ms. Weston)	Students will continue to work on their Shakespeare play MacBeth. We will focus on brainstorming the props needed for our production and how we can make these props. Students can bring in their costumes, please bring them in a labelled bag. They will be stored to use week to week.
Physical Education (Coach Fretz)	Students will be taking part in modified volleyball skills this week. They will continue to participate in a game called "bound ball" to learn proper foot movement and positioning. Students will also take part in cooperative games to earn points for their House (Torrin, Malliag, Kyleakin).
Health (Mr. Fretz)	Students will begin their new unit this week. Throughout this unit they will identify the impact of use of legal/illegal substances and explore decision making in relation to substance use and personal behaviours in the Substance Use unit. They will continue to learn about legal substances and begin to identify illegal substances.