

Junior KINDERGARTEN Mrs. Dunschede

October 29-Nov 1

Language Arts	
	The students will be practicing our Good Morning Song, Days of the Week song and Months of the Year Song. This week we will focus on letter H (sound, action and words that begin with H). The students will identify upper and lower case letters and will begin to read familiar sight words in the morning message. The student of the week will read the morning message and all of the students will identify the letter of the week in the words of the message. We will also be working in our literacy centers. This week we will continue reading books about Fall and Halloween.
Poetry and Rhymes	This week we will sing our Halloween Stomp song. We will also be practicing our Remembrance Day poem.
Printing	This week we will continue to practice printing letters in the alphabet. We will continue working in our handwriting without tears workbooks and our journals, practicing tracing/printing, (depending on the level of the student) words to go along with our pictures. We will be using chalk boards/white boards and IPADS to practice tracing letters and words. We will also practice printing on our Smart Board. We will be practicing our sight words (it, to, a,l, can,and, the, in,at is, you, if, as, get, for, did, let, am, has, sit, by, for, we)
Math	This week we will begin our unit on measurement. We will be using various manipulatives as well as worksheets to identify and create patterns. We will be printing/tracing numbers. "Penelope" our counting caterpillar will be turning 42 on Friday representing the 42nd day of school.
Health (Mr. Fretz)	Students will begin their next unit on Personal Safety and Injury Prevention. They will begin with fire safety this week.
Physical Education (Mr. Fretz)	Students will be taking part in movement games and activities to build movement and instructional skills. They will be continuing directional running during activities and will be working to complete tasks based on verbal and visual instructions. On Friday the class will be taking part in activities to earn House Points for their designated house (Torrin, Malliag, Kyleakin).
Science	This week we will be talking about fall and leaves and the life cycle of a tree. We will collect leaves outside and then rub them with crayons.
French (Mme Israil)	This week of JKs will continue learning numbers, listen to songs and watch french cartoon Movies. Also, we will be having hands on activities for Halloween.

Art	This week we will continue creating Halloween Art.
Drama	This week we are going to use our puppets to tell a Halloween story!
Music (Ms. Murphy)	There will be no music this week due to the Halloween dance and the mid-term back.