

Fisher Branch Early Years School small talk



March 2023



Dates To Remember

- Mar 10 ~ No School Parent/Teacher Day
- Mar 17 ~ Term 2 Report Cards
- Mar 17 ~ Hamburger Orders Due
- Mar 24 ~ K Grad Pictures
Casual Spring Pictures
- Mar 24 ~ Hamburger Day
- Mar 24 ~ Last Day of Classes
Before Spring Break
- April 3 ~ First Day of Classes
after Spring Break



Students are asked to arrive at school no earlier than **8:40 a.m.** Student Supervision starts at that time.

Principal's Message . . .



Welcome to March!! It's great to see the days getting longer, as we head towards warmer weather.

"I Love to Read Month" was celebrated with a variety of reading activities. Among these, students set class goals, participated in Trivia days, wore a hat and shirt they could read, had a PJ and teddy bear day, and dressed as their favourite book character. In addition, our school had the pleasure of hosting many guest readers over the month. Thank you to all parents, family members, bus drivers, and community members who came in to read to our students. It was the highlight of our month!

The last week of February included a "100 Days of School" celebration. Students enjoyed making necklaces of 100 fruit loops, building 100-piece towers and puzzles, and exercising to reach 100!

Second term report cards will be coming home soon. Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on Fri., Mar. 10th and report cards will come home on Friday, March 17th. Keep an eye out for Parent Teacher appointment times!

Spirit Week will be held during the last week of classes before Spring Break. Please see this month's calendar for further details. Best wishes to everyone for an enjoyable Spring Break!

Warm regards,
Ms. Angela Caines

February was I Love To Read Month. We're so very grateful for all of our accomplishments and activities that we had throughout the month

- ♥ Librarian Appreciation
- ♥ Grandparent's Day
- ♥ PJ and Teddy Bear Day
- ♥ Book Trivia
- ♥ Guest Readers - RCMP, Trustees, Bus Drivers
- ♥ Book Buddies - rotating through
- ♥ Earning tickets for every 20 minutes of reading
- ♥ 40,000 minutes of reading as a whole school = ice cream party for everyone.
- ♥ In Gr. 3 class, made How To books and we also did a book recommendation bulletin board

Please be reminded that the school does NOT provide cutlery, cups or water bottles.

If your child needs a spoon or fork, or water bottle, please include it in their lunch bag.



Parents:

Please note, that Student Agendas are used as a Parent / Teacher communication tool.

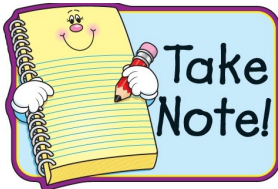
If your child is getting picked up, please write a note in your child's Student Agenda, with the date and your signature. Thank you for your cooperation!!



Parents,

Did you know that it's really important for you to check your children's backpacks and agendas each night?

This prevents time-sensitive notes from being missed!



The phones at FBEYS are very busy. Mrs. Caines and Mrs. Malenchak are teaching in the afternoons. Please leave a voice mail for us as these will be received as an email. If there is an emergency, please call the School Division Office at 204-739-2101.



March 20th to 24th

Mrs. Semenek & Mrs. Pemkowski have tons of fun activities planned for us!

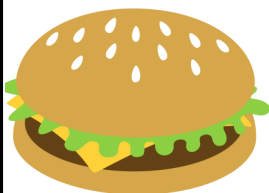
Canteen Prices

Hot Dogs are \$ 2.00



Popcorn is \$1.00

Juice is \$1.00



Hamburger Day is on Friday, March 24th!

For \$6.00 your child will receive a Hamburger, Kool-Aid Jammer and an Ice Cream Treat. Orders are due on March 17th.



Mr. Hunt & Ms. Janower Kindergarten



February saw the Kindergarteners finish the first half of their first year of school! The boys and girls had their first Valentine's Day party at school, with lots of cards exchanged and treats enjoyed.

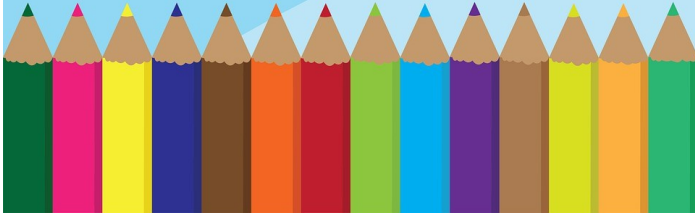
February was also *I Love to Read Month*, which saw several guest readers in our classroom! The Kindergarteners were very good hosts and enjoyed many great stories.

The students continue to practice their emerging reading and writing and working with numbers – some days we count all the way to 100!

The Kindergarteners are also learning portioning numbers into 2 parts. For example, how many ways can 10 be broken into 2 parts?

Students also went to the rink for skating four times in February. A short but busy month!

Mrs. Smith
Grade 1

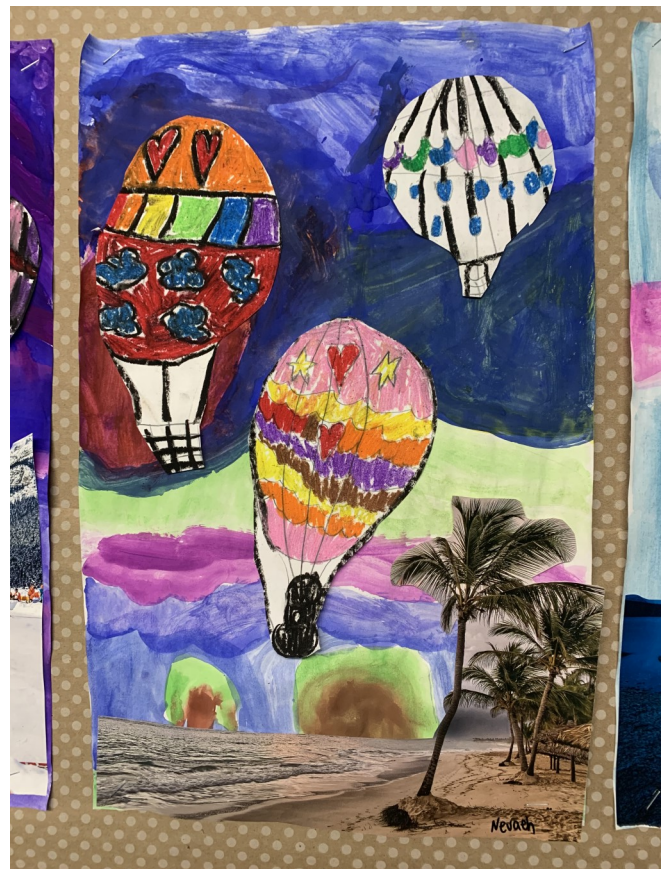
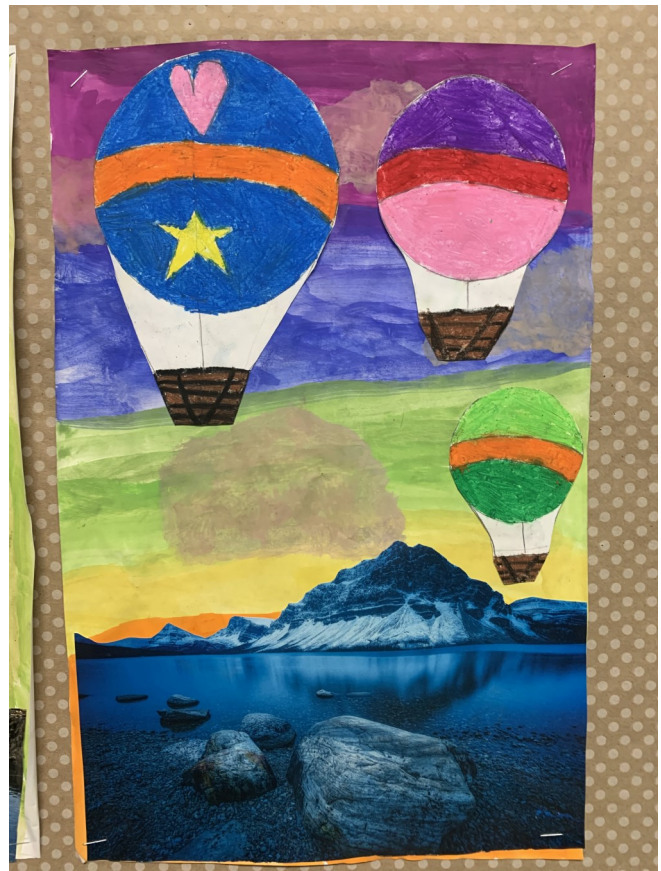


Bird Feeder Project

The Grade 1 class has been learning about seasonal changes and how animals adapt to these changes. As some birds remain here all year long we worked hard to design our own bird feeders to help birds survive in our winter environment. The class had so much fun deciding what items to use and how to put them together to create their own feeder. Their creativity and hard work was amazing!

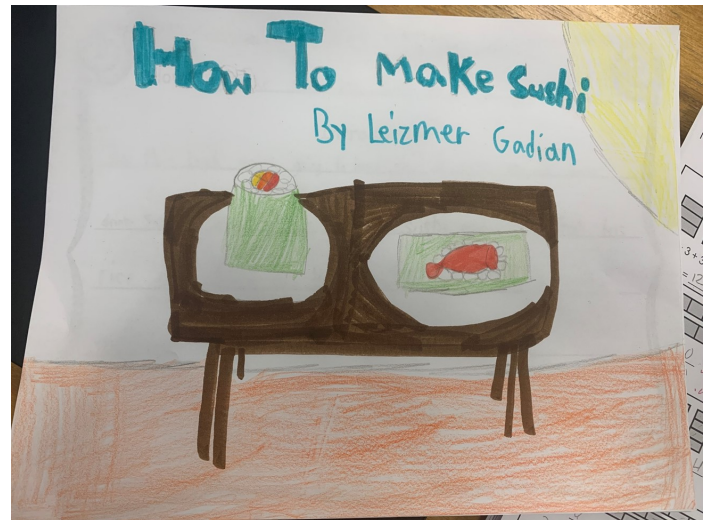
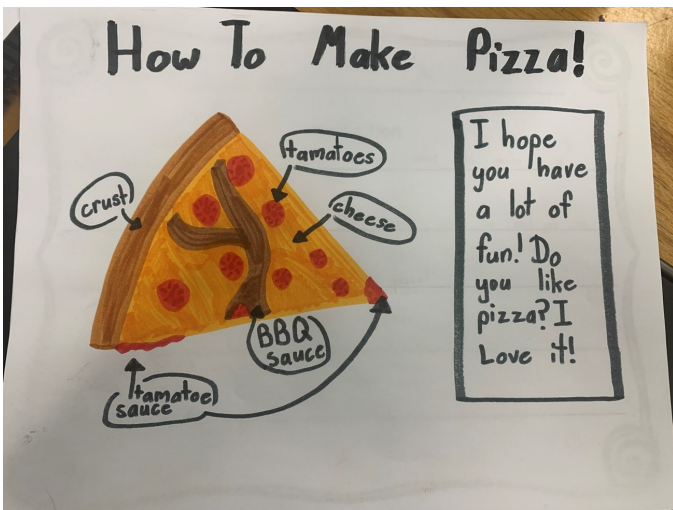


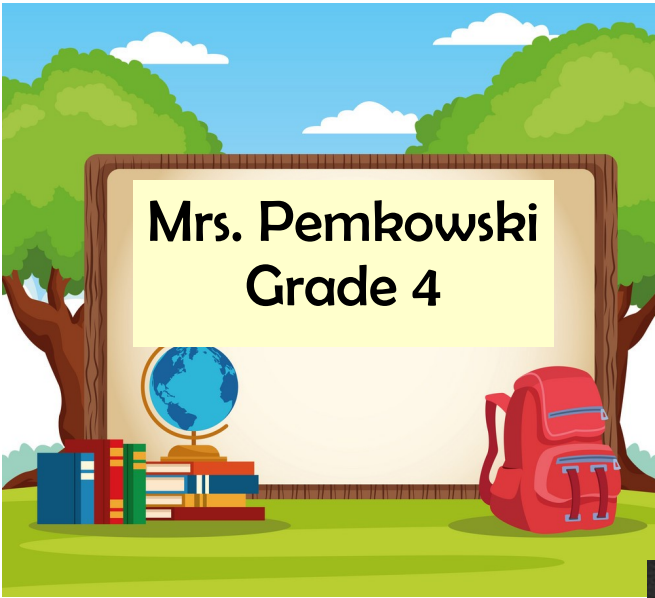
Mrs. Sem enek Grade 2





The Grade 3 students have been busy trying to earn reading tickets for I Love to Read month! Every chance they get, the students are asking to have choice reading time. We have been discussing different genres of books – fiction, non-fiction, informational, narratives, poems, etc. The Grade 3s planned, organized, and created their own How-To books. Some of the topics they chose were: how to make pizza, how to draw a person, how to make a cake, how to do a coffee grinder, and many more! They had lots of fun creating their books!





The Grade 4 class watched a video about penguins to see what they look like in their natural habitat, and they practiced drawing penguins. Then they painted a background and a penguin (or a penguin scene) using their own ideas, without any drawing instructions. They enjoyed being creative.

