

the SPARK

March 6, 2014

From the teachers...

I'd like to take this opportunity to wish a very special grade 3 girl a very happy birthday on Sunday! I hope you have a wonderful day, Joanna! May God bless you and keep you always!

I don't have too much more to really report. I hope you all have a very wonderful and restful March break! I'll try to miss you when I'm on the beach...

Mrs. Smith

Il était une fois...trois ours, trois petits cochons, trois boucs bourrus...

This month we are talking about 3 fairytales with 3 main characters. We are also incorporating food and animals into the vocabulary and sentences.

This past week I told the three stories and then we focused on 'Boucles d'Or et Les Trois Ours'. The students learned how to start a story..."Il était une fois.." and got to help me tell the story of Goldilocks and the 3 Bears. We even had a day where we had a "Brownielocks". :-)

Here is also a link to a website that the students enjoyed since they got to

watch "Boucles d'Or et Les 3 Ours" told by a different person. Grades 1-3 really wanted me to share it with their parents.<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X8sZWKfEAk>

We are continuing to work on section 3 of Le Credo. Working on it at home is also **really** appreciated. **Quiz on March 27th.**

I had hoped to give a vocabulary and a verb quiz this week with grades 3-7 but we were having too much fun with our fairytales that we ran out of time.

Enjoy your week off. Bonne semaine de relâche!

I am off to Montreal on the weekend for a few days with 4 of mystudents/sons. ;-)

Mme Lüdwig

Looking Ahead:

Star of the week: Thomas

Memory Work: Psalm 64:1

Bible History:

- Parable of the talents (Matthew 25:14—30)
- The sheep and the goats (Matthew 25:31—46)
- . Judas' betrayal of Jesus; preparing the Passover; Jesus washes the disciples' feet.
(Matt 26:1-19; Mark 14:1-16; Luke 22:1-13; John 12: 1-11, 13:1-17)

Thanks to you for making the vouchers a part of your budget. Sales in February were \$4,745.00 which is \$240.75 profit for ACS! In addition to vouchers for all the major grocery stores, Shoppers Drug Mart, Starbucks and Tim Hortons, I now have vouchers available for Petro Canada and Esso. Let me know what I can get together for you for the month of March.

On behalf of the Fundraising
Committee for ACS,
Evelyn Nieuwenhuis

Spelling/Sight Words:

Grade 1: *Sight words:* stop, off, never, seven, eight *Spelling words:* bark, cent, fine, more, place, pray, raincoat, skirt, team, train

Grade 2: fight, light, might, night, right, sight, tight, bright, flight, fright, found, hound, pound, round, sound, ground, scout, sprout, stout, trout, thought, through

Grade 3: : air, hair, pair, chair, care, stare, share, square, airport, outside, starfish, fireman, cowboy, airplane, birthday, seashore, barefoot, birdbath, flashlight, lunchbox, snowman, scarecrow, classroom, playground, today, tomorrow, together

Grade 4: January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December, calendar, Calvary, Christian, Saviour, Timothy, Titus

Grade 5: disappear, appearance, career, volunteer, pioneer, interfere, sincere, sincerity, serial, cereal, period, periodically, piercing, cashier, pyramid, theory, Indiana, New York

Grade 6: adventure, adventuresome, adventurous, virtue, virtuous, revise, revision, collide, collision, type, typical, state, status, statistic, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines

Grade 7: pamper, threatening, poised, hospital, regulate, newsstand, specific, companion, pending, ponder, perjury, specialist, headache, hostel, persistent, laboratory, colonel, lieutenant, perceived, except, perturbing, pique