



November News

Harkins Elementary
Grade 4D
November 2012

Mrs. Donovan's Classroom Newsletter

Remembrance Day Ceremony



This year our School will be holding its Remembrance Day Ceremony on Thursday November 8 at 9:30. Cameron, Vaughn and Elijah, along with some grade 3 students, will be reading a special poem. All Boy Scouts, Brownies and Girl Guides are encouraged to wear their uniforms. Also, Zachary H. and Jacob will lay the wreath for our class. We hope you can make it.

Reading Workshop

This month we have been so excited to have a special guest in our classroom. Mrs. Bruce has been teaching us how to use a Reading Workshop to improve our reading skills. We have been learning to use post-its to save our favourite parts. Also, we have been sharing new books with our partners. Finally, we have to share our partner's book. This is an awesome way to learn to read!

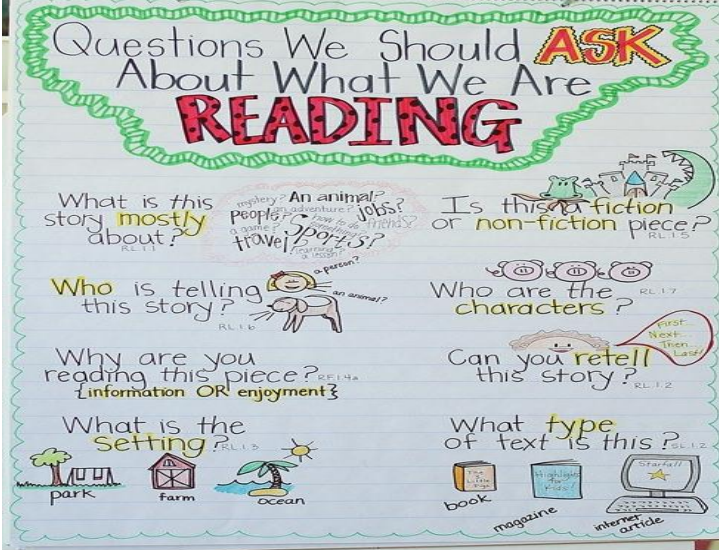
Math Game

Twenty – One (2 Player)
You will need 21 chocolate chips.
How to play:

- Put 21 chocolate chips in a row.
- Players take turns removing 1, 2 or 3 chips from the row.
- The player who removes the last chip from the row loses the game.

Remember, strategy is important!

Reading



Math Unit 1 Patterns and Equations

We are beginning a unit on patterns and equations. Students will learn to describe patterns in tables and charts including the multiplication chart. They will also learn about equations and what the symbols mean. For example + means plus, - means subtract, and = means equal to. We will also continue to concentrate on our multiplication strategies.

Harkins Treasures

Congratulations to those students who received a Harkins Treasure award. I am so proud of you!

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- Victoria
- Perfect Attendance
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