



April News

Room 22 - Grade 1 - Howard Robertson Public School

Dear Parents and Other Important Adults,

Spring is finally here! With the new season comes many new and exciting events in Grade 1:

- We are welcoming our third student teacher of the year. Miss Bailey MacKenzie will be with us from April 2 to April 26.
- The iPads are here! We will be using iPads to enhance our learning opportunities in the classroom this month.
- Grade 1s (Room 22, 23 and 14) will help to lead the school-wide assembly on April 25 at 1:45 p.m. Parents and Other Important Adults are welcome to attend.
- Our chocolate bar fundraiser continues until April 12. Remember that you can buy more chocolate bars on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs. Buehler

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Literacy At Home:



Do you have a book nook at your home? Try setting up a comfy, cozy place for reading. Try to keep it away from distractions like the TV or computer. Make sure to include a basket or shelf to store your reading materials.

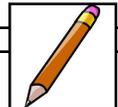
The Goodwill on Weber Street is Mrs. B's favourite place to buy books for the classroom. This store sells like-new books for less than \$1.00!

Learning Goals:



We are learning to....

- visualize (make mental pictures) when we read
- read and write poetry
- order and compare numbers to 50
- approach new tasks with a positive **attitude**
- build strong and stable structures
- make and read maps about important places in our community



A Note From Miss MacKenzie

Dear Parents/Guardians: I am a fifth year student at Wilfrid Laurier University in Brantford, Ontario. I will be graduating in June from the Honours Primary/Junior Concurrent Education Program that is in partnership with Nipissing University, Schulich School of Education. Over the past four years I have been gaining valuable teaching experience in placements within the Waterloo Region District School Board as a Teacher Candidate. During the month of April I will be completing a teaching placement here at Howard Robertson Public School as my final practicum. I look forward to teaching with Mrs. Buehler! Sincerely, Bailey MacKenzie