# Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

2nd Grade 10/29/21

# Teacher's Message/Announcements

Dear Second Grade Families,

This Monday, November 1, all components of the Saint project are DUE. Your child MUST come to school prepared with...

- 1) Their Saint writing memorized and ready to be presented.
- 2) Their Saint costume on over their school uniform.
- 3) Their completed **tri-fold board** (complete with necessary facts, pictures, and writing)
- 4) Optional: Any prop that is school appropriate and deemed necessary for their Saint

Yesterday, students worked to construct a **notecard** of simple information that they can refer to to help them remember specific details about their Saint. They may also have and use this during their presentation on Monday.

Finally, please consider watching our wonderful 2nd graders deliver their presentations! The presentations will be live streamed from the chapel following our school's All Saints Day Mass. The presentations should air around 9:30am via the school's live stream link: <a href="https://stream.cvillecatholic.org/">https://stream.cvillecatholic.org/</a>

If you need to refer back to the project paper again for any additional information or directions, please click here:

In case you need the project paper:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/157CSrwMNj9DjPI\_HDpsF-yjCd2A7cHrYnw0Qzi4qKnw/edit?usp=sharing

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Please join me in warmly welcoming Mrs. Heidi Robinson as our new 2nd grade teacher! She joins us today for the first time and the students are so very excited to have her. The two of us will team-teach together in the performance space next week as well and then will relocate back up to the separate 2nd grade rooms on Monday, November 8th. Both of us will be on the November 4th and 5th conferences next week.

God bless,
Miss Jones AND Mrs. Robinson
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# Reminders / Announcements:

- Report cards are being sent home today with students.
- Parent Teacher Conferences are Thursday, November 4th and Friday, November 5th.
   If you haven't already done so, please sign-up using the following link: K-2 Conference
   Sign Ups
- Picture Day for 2nd grade is Tuesday, November 9th.
- Spelling Activities Menu: https://docs.google.com/document/d/17cv9hQb69jDNVnwG-mxbmfe- rn-Z-Rjc8LU-ez bkd0/edit?usp=sharing
- JK-2nd grade: Lunch has moved from 11:30AM to 11:50 AM; therefore, recess will be at 12:10PM.

#### Math

Students took a test on addition and subtraction strategies this week and then learned about adding equal groups, followed by even and odd numbers.

Next week, we will learn how to regroup in addition, adding 2- plus 1-digit numbers as well as 2-digit plus 2-digit numbers.

# Reading

This week, students reviewed informational text with a story about family and read some examples of poetry. We also practiced comparing and contrasting information from a text.

Next week, we will apply comprehension strategies to our completed class read-aloud, The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe.

# Writing

This week, students worked on a simple poem about family, reviewed proper nouns, and learned about abbreviations, and initials.

Next week, students will use writing skills and knowledge of adjectives to describe our class read-aloud book, The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe.

# Science / Social Studies

This week, we learned about the responsibilities we all have as well as rights and responsibilities of citizens.

Next week, we will continue with Social Studies as we identify continents, what they are, where they can be found.

#### Religion

This week, students explored and answered the question, "Who is Jesus?" focusing on the mystery of the Incarnation.

On Monday, we will celebrate All Saints Day with an assortment of different activities. We will continue talking about who Jesus is on Tuesday.

# Spelling