

# The Grade Five Monthly News

## *March*

Dear Parents,

The class is still working hard and making great progress in their learning. They are using their time effectively in class and making an effort to get their work done. Even though we are not doing mad minute drills, students are still encouraged to practice their multiplication facts.

There will be no homework assigned over the spring break (March 12<sup>th</sup> to March 27<sup>th</sup>) but students are still encouraged to read every day. Our last day before spring break is March 11<sup>th</sup>, and dismissal is at 12:00pm, so please pick up your child on time.

Please remember that if you have any questions or concerns, contact me anytime at the school or write in the planner to set up a time.

Mrs. Prescilla began her maternity leave mid February and has now welcomed a precious baby boy, Atlas Malachi. We ask God to bless her family, protect them and keep them safe.

With Mrs. Prescilla's now on maternity leave, we have transitioned from an Arts: Music program to an Arts:

Drama program for the remainder of the year.

Drama with Mrs. Sorochuk: Students will use drama (i.e., their expressive voice) to recreate, experience and share stories in a creative way.

Thank you for your continuous support.

Mrs. Milan

#### CURRICULUM FOCUS FOR MARCH:

\***Religion:** learning "Prayer to the Holy Spirit"

\***Math:** fractions (equivalent)

\***Language Arts:** comparing various ideas in a paragraph format

\***Social Studies:** Founding Peoples of Canada

\***Science:** identifying simple machines; compound machines

\***French:** adjectives that describe a hero

HAVE A GREAT AND RELAXING SPRING  
BREAK!