

# Grade 1 Newsletter - November in review

#### Introduction

In November for Thanksgiving, we did a short novel study on 'Twas the night Before Thanksgiving and continued working on our Animal Research Project.

### In Language Arts

We learned how to form sentences using the be verb in the future and the present; and students wrote a letter to their friend which they presented to the class! We learned about different celebrations and traditions all over the world.

### In Art

We learned about Andy Warhol and made self portraits using his style. We also painted turkeys for Thanksgiving and talked about the things we were thankful for.

# Pictures, pictures!



### In Maths

We reviewed numbers 21-100, place values and how to skip count in 2s, 5s and 10s. We had class activities in pairs and groups to reinforce knowledge.

### In Social Studies

We talked about how we can help others and how others can help us. We listened to short novel studies and discussed ways in which the characters were helping other people. Ms Sue also read 'Twas the Night Before Thanksgiving to the students!

## Science

Energy in Our Lives: We finished learning about living things and started studying energy. Students learned about different energy sources, where they come from, and how we use them. To show how energy changes form, we used a fan to see how electrical energy becomes wind energy to move objects. These activities helped us see how energy works in our lives



### **Important Dates:**

St Nicholas Day - 06th December Animal Research Project End Date - 05th December Christmas Show - 19th December Christmas Break - 20th December (last day of school).