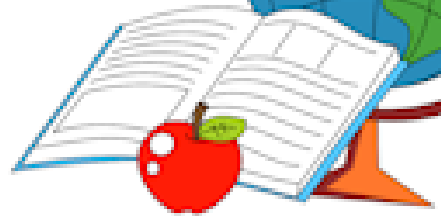


Room 7

Grades 2/3

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Welcome to a new school year! I am so excited to have your child in my class this year. We are going to have lots of fun this year with tons of learning and new adventures!

In Room 7 we will be learning and exploring English language arts, math, social studies, art, and health. In respect of our strong Indigenous community, we will involve Indigenous studies in all subject areas.

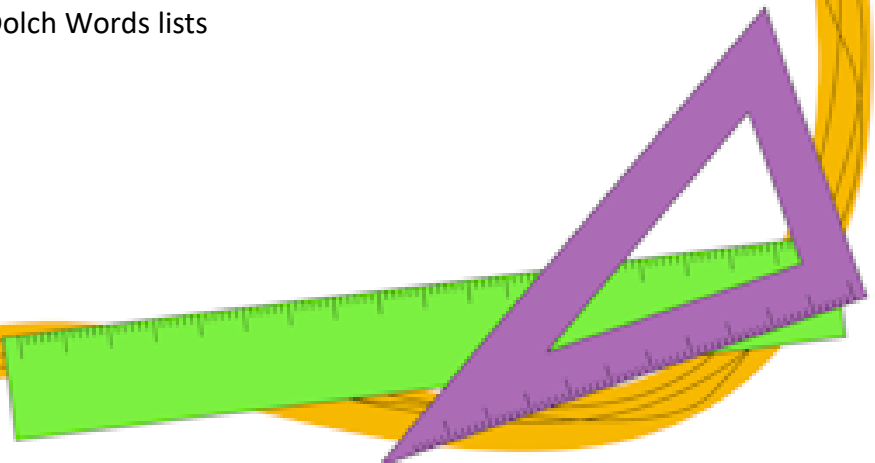
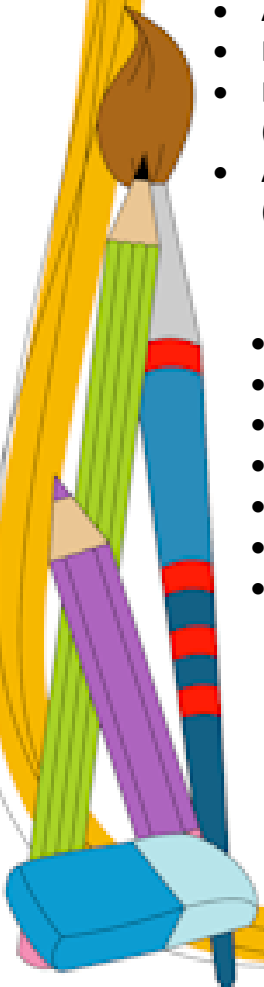
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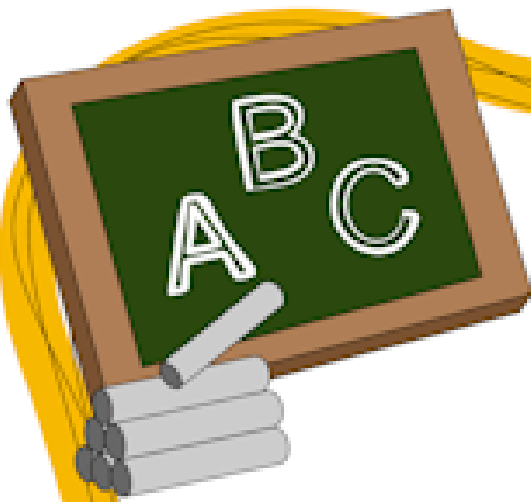
### Math

- Counting forward & backward from 0 to 100 by 1's, 2's, 5's, and 10's
- Representing numbers using the Draw It, Write It, Build It strategy
- Estimation up to 100 (grade 2) & 1000 (grade 3)
- Illustrate place value up to 100 (grade 2) & 1000 (grade 3)
- Addition & subtraction using 2 digit numbers (grade 2) & 3 digit numbers (grade 3)
- Multiplication up to 5x5 & corresponding division problems (grade 3)
- Describing, reproducing, extending, & creating patterns up to 100 (grade 2) & 1000 (grade 3)
- Addition & subtraction problems involving symbols representing an unknown number (grade 3)

### English Language Arts

- Intensive reading program using the Lucy Calkin reading program
- Small group reading lessons using the Reading A-Z program
- Small group book studies
- Lessons focusing on phonics using the Lucy Calkin reading program
- Intensive writing program using the Lucy Calkin writing program
- Sight word awareness using Dolch Words lists
- Buddy reading program





## Science

- Growth & Changes in Plants & Animals
- Properties of Solids, Liquids, and Gases
- Materials & Structures
- Position & Motion
- Forces that Attract or Repel
- Air, Soil, & Water in the Environment



## Social Studies

- Our local community
- Communities across Canada
- The Canadian community
- Exploring the world
- Communities of the world
- Exploring an ancient society

## Art

- Using repetition and variety to create and modify art patterns
- Using symmetry in art
- Themed art projects based on school-wide celebrations
- Art projects focusing on science, ELA, math, and social studies lessons

## Health

- Daily habits and responsibilities for leading a physically active and healthy life
- Focus on common communicable diseases and how to prevent them
- Proper dental care habits
- Canada Food Guide
- Importance of proper nutrition to support physical activity
- Family life lessons

## I believe....

- Learning should be FUN!
- Learning should happen together in groups.
- Learning should happen with partners.
- Learning should happen through play.
- Kids should learn from each other.
- Kids should learn by completing hands on projects.

