

# Mrs. Johnston's newsletter

Week of April 15



## Spelling Words (Test on Friday)

there	up
its	water
long	most
another	work
along	often
once	animals
sure	it's
several	upon
family	later
turn	move

Reading: We are working on Main Idea. Students have been researching their topic for Early Settlers. They have picked out 4 main ideas and are writing paragraphs about each topic.

Math: We will begin money. Students will be counting money, showing how to make different amounts of money, adding cost of multiple items and making change.

Social Studies: Brave New World- Communities in Upper Canada (1780-1850). We read a story about a young girl travelling to Canada and looked at different settlements. We will be continuing to talk about challenges they faced. We will also look at how they interacted with and learned from Indigenous people.

Writing: We will be doing some writing tied in with our Social Studies unit.

Bible: We will be looking at Jacob and Rachel.

## Monthly Memory Verse

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own understanding; think about Him in all your ways, and He will guide you on the right paths.

Proverbs 3: 5-6

## Student of the Week

This week student of the week will be Ben. You can bring in 3-4 items for show and tell on Friday.

It was so nice to see some of the grandparents at Grandparents day. The students did a great job playing their cups and singing. They've been working really hard. A big thanks to Mrs. Ullman for all her hard work with them.

Students are really getting into their projects. We are working on our writing. Please send in a shoe box by Monday. Also, students are asked to bring in some items that they can use to help decorate their shoe boxes. We will have some materials at school but if they want something specific, please send in those items as well. For example, toy buckets, lego people, rocks, string, animals for farm, etc.

Night at the Museum will be on May 1. It is only for grade 3-8 this year.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at [ajohnston@pickeringcs.on.ca](mailto:ajohnston@pickeringcs.on.ca) or send me a message through SeeSaw

