Grade 2 A

March

Newsletter

What's Happening?

March 9th-13th - Numeracy week

March 11th- Wear a number day.

March 17th – 19th Scholastic book fair

March 19th- Demo of learning in our classroom 5-8pm

March 16th – St. Patrick's Day- wear green! March 20rd – Thursday full day

March 21th- Half Day- 12:10 dismissal Spring

March $22^{nd} - 29^{th}$ – Spring Break. Please do lots of reading over the break!

Classroom Notes

Students have been working hard at addition and subtraction strategies to 20 (make 10, 1or 2 more/less, counting on, doubles, near doubles and fact families. We are continuing with our Write and Share Journals to practice writing math stories. Our next unit is double digit addition and subtraction, which is fun but difficult. Please speak to your child about what he/she is doing in class and practice at home.

We are learning how to do opinion writing and learning to add details and "colourful words" to enhance our work. Students ae working towards reaching reading levels L-M by the end of grade 2.

In social class, we will be taking a close look at life in Iqaluit. We will explore what life was like there in the past for the Inuit people. This unit will be filled with lots of wondering about their culture.

We are discussing how prayer, fasting and almsgiving bring us closer to Jesus during this special season of Lent in Religion class.

Please send your child with a water bottle every day and to pack a healthy lunch.

L.A

- *Literacy Centers
- *Guided Reading
- *Continue spelling
- *Opinion writing
- *Editing
- *Reading Comprehension

Math

- *Math groups
- *Add/Subtract

Gym

- *Dance
- *Badminton
- *Skipping
- *Inuit Games

Science

* Complete Liquids

unit

- Health
- *Food Groups
 *Healthy lifestyle

Social

*Finishing Iqaluit
*Travelling to
Saskatoon at the

end of the month <u>Tech</u>.

- *Google slides
- *mathletics

Religion

- *Lent
- *Easter

Art

- *Inuit artist Kenojuak Ashevak
- *Ted Harrison