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Principal's Message

Jan. 20, 2024

1. Review of Our Learning Success Story
2. Positive Behaviour Support Plan is in the works
 - a. Focusing on respect for self, others and property
 - b. Based on the principles that proper behavior also needs to be explicitly taught, practiced and repeated
3. Staff touch base
 - a. The kinder team is proud of how independent the kinders are at getting ready for outside and how familiar they are with the classroom routines. Also how helpful they are with their classroom jobs and responsibilities.
 - b. The Grade 1 and 2 team feels that kids are making positive gains. They are happy with how far the small groups have come (like UFLI and the fine motor groups) as well as independence during Daily 5 rounds.
 - c. The Grade 3 and 4 team feel students are becoming more independent with the established classroom routines, the class has a good flow and groupings are working well.
 - d. The Grade 5 and 6 team feel the atmosphere is more positive allowing for more productive classroom conversations and a better working environment for students.
4. Daily/weekly activities
 - a. Breakfast club has seen attendance as high as 30 with an average between 20-25
 - b. Open gym with the grades 4-6 averages between 8 and 15 depending on weather
 - c. Open gym with K-3 is usually between 15 and 22, also depending on weather
 - d. Choir has grown to 12
 - e. Lego club with grades 4-6 has an average of 9 and has had a high of 17
 - f. Lego club with grades K-3 has ranged from 9-13 with an average of 11
 - g. Creatology has a steady following of about 8 but has had as many as 14



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5. We will be participating in Jump Rope for Heart during the month of February with a fundraiser for the Heart and Stroke Foundation
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