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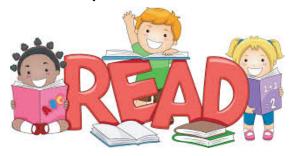
What a great start to 2025! January has been a busy month and February promises to be much the same!



Please encourage your child to wear their warm clothes during <u>recess</u>. Students often ask if they need to wear their snow pants, a hat or mittens and they are told that if they are sent to school, then they are to wear it! On the warmer days, snow pants may not be necessary for warmth but it sure helps keep them dry!

Please continue to send a small snack in a separate container so it is easier for your child to grab. Sending a water bottle every day really helps us get ready quickly and keep the water fountain line-up to a minimum.

Continue to make <u>reading</u> a priority at home. The students are always excited to receive their certificates and prizes so keep signing the Club Reading forms and hand them in when they are completed. Please have your



child read the books in the Buddy Book Bag and exchange them <u>every day</u>. Remember these books should be easy for them to read on their own. If the bag itself has gone missing, just label a large resealable type bag to use instead.

We are back to the beginning of Psalm 23. Our goal is for grade one students to be able to recite all of the verses by the end of the year. This should be a refresher for your child as we learned this verse earlier



Psalm 23:1

The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters.

Valentine's Day is on Friday, February 14. As a school, we will be having a red and pink dress up day. This is always a fun day and there will be a lot of crazy looks this day! We will take time in the afternoon to celebrate God's love for us and how He commands us to love one another. Please make sure to have your child give one for every child in the class. Please



also start them early so your child has lots of time to work on printing all of the names. It is great printing practice for them! Leaving it until the last minute results in much frustration for all!

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CLASS LÍST	Levi
OTTOO TIOT	Abigai
FVR	Noah
VALENTĪNES	Berke
	Lochic

Maximus	Sylvia	Brynn	Brigitte
Levi	Austyn	Ebenezer	Leo
Abigail	Hunter	Saphire	Teddy
Noah	Ethan	Owami	Brixton
Berkeley	Yulia	Nomzamo	Calli
Lochlan	Charley	Moyo	Sophia
Maddox	Oaklen	Kailum	***

Our 100th day of grade one is almost here! We will celebrate our 100th day on Friday, February 14. Since our 100th day falls on Valentine's Day, we will share our collections on the Wednesday and Thursday. The collection doesn't need to be anything fancy but do have your child help count the objects to make sure the number is correct.



If you are planning a trip and your child will miss school, please let me know before the absence if at all possible. You can either send me an email or send a note with your child. If you are going on a trip without your child (yay for you!), please let the office know the dates and who will be caring for your child. This saves the office staff from making phone calls and helps me keep track, too.

I am so very thankful for each child in 1B and look forward to an exciting month! Please keep our class (and me!) in your prayers! If you made it to the end of this newsletter, please send the phrase 'God is good!' on a piece of paper or sticky note along with your child's name by February 5. Thank you!

Mrs. Christensen