



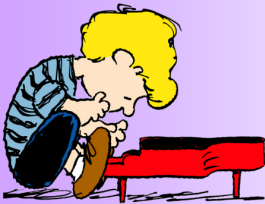
Frank Hobbs Elementary Newsletter

OCTOBER 2020

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**Our next Pro-D Day is
Friday, October 23rd**

**Teachers will be attending
professional development workshops.**

Staff Changes

Farewell to our School Administrative Assistant, Melinda Hirst. Melinda has accepted a position at a school closer to her home. We will miss Melinda! Anne Piazza will be filling in on a temporary basis. Tracy Wainwright assumes the role on November 23rd.

We also bid a fond farewell Grade 4/5 teacher Stuart Sharpe. We hope to see Mr. Sharpe back at Frank Hobbs as one of our TOCs this year.

Welcome to Frank Hobbs:

Colleen Chong - Grade 4/5 teacher

Anne Piazza - Temporary Administrative Assistant

Tracy Wainwright - Administrative Assistant (effective Nov 23rd)

Welcome Back:

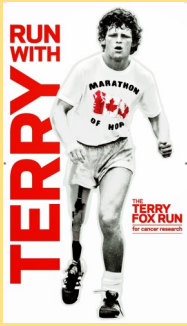
Carly Manzon - Educational Assistant

Karla Wardroper - Educational Assistant

Bike Skills Training

During the last two weeks of October, Frank Hobbs is partnering with the Greater Victoria Bike to Work Society to offer the Grade 4 and 5 students some bike skills training. The Learn to Ride program offers an in-class component and an actual on-bike session for each student. This learning will be followed up with a visit from our school liaison officer Constable Lisa Bruchetta to review road safety skills.





Frank Hobbs TERRY FOX RUN

Friday, October 23rd

Terry Fox Run

This year the Terry Fox Run will be a family event. We encourage families to do their own laps for Terry Fox. Choose a day to walk or run and record all the kilometers your whole family runs. The oldest child in your family will report that number to their teacher by Friday, October 23. The school will add up all the kilometers to see how far we ran across Canada. All student participants will be put in a draw for a Terry Fox T-shirt. Please consider making a donation to the Terry Fox Foundation at the following link:

<http://www.terryfox.ca/FrankHobbsElementary>



Halloween

Students in all grades are invited to either wear orange and black, or dress in costumes on Thursday, Oct 31st. We are leaving this decision up to the parents. We ask that all accessories including swords, fake weapons, and props be left at home. If there is make-up to be applied, this will need to be done at home, not in the classrooms or in the washrooms. Please be aware that your child will be in a costume all day - if this is a very special or elaborate costume, you may wish to consider something more "outside friendly" as students will still be outside for play, and may get dirty, or your child can wear orange and black.



PHOTO RETAKE DAY!!

Monday November 2nd is our school photo retake day for individual pictures.

"no costumes or props for school photos please"



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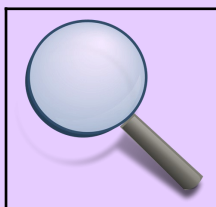
 SCHOLASTIC



October

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

We are excited to continue with the Scholastic book fairs this year however, it will look a little different. Scholastic is offering a Virtual component to the fairs this year which allows our Frank Hobbs community to still benefit from what the fair has to offer, but in a virtual way. Please stay tuned next month for more information!



Missing Library Books

The LLC is in search of Library books from last Spring. Please have a look around your house for any books belonging to the FH library and send them into school. Thank you!

Design Thinking in Divisions 1-4:

This term students in Divisions 1-4 have been working on designing tree-houses. Construction will be starting soon! A reminder to all of those students to please bring in materials needed for their structures.

Frank Hobbs Gallery Walk

Pumpkin Art



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Mr. Walasek's Sanitizer Station



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Bright Flowers Adorn our Hallway



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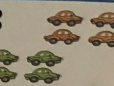

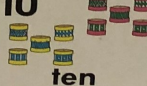
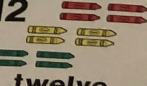



Numbers 1 to 20

How many children are
in our class?



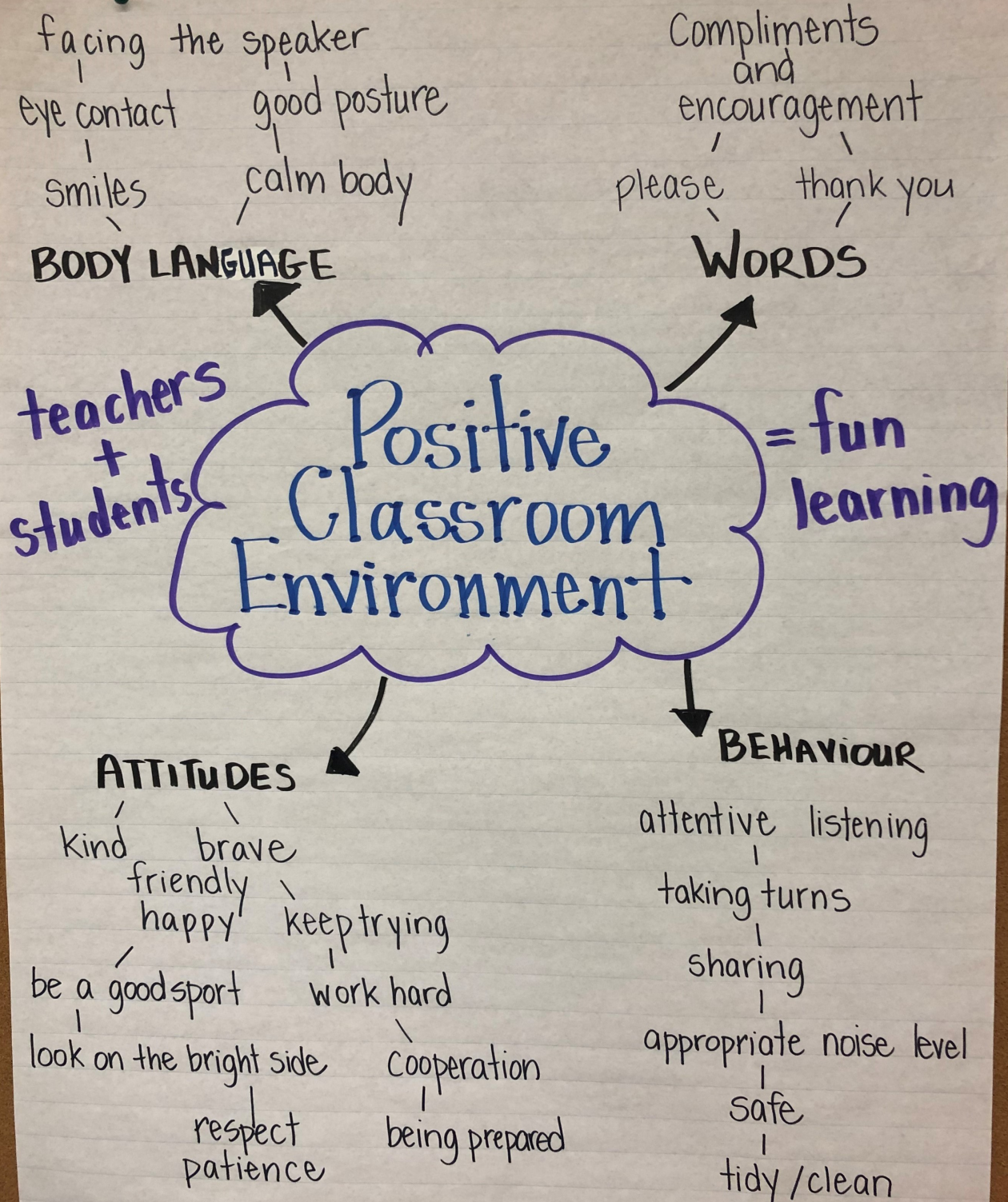
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Numbers 1 to 20

1  one	2  two	3  three	4  four
5  five	6  six	7  seven	8  eight
9  nine	10  ten	11  eleven	12  twelve
13  thirteen	14  fourteen	15  fifteen	16  sixteen
17  seventeen	18  eighteen	19  nineteen	20  twenty

Frank Hobbs Gallery Walk

Creating a Positive Classroom Environment



Reminders:

Please arrive at the school no earlier than 8:40am. Children are to go directly to their designated line up. Please do not gather at the playgrounds.

Thank you for heading home promptly. No gathering in the field or playground after school.

Please dress your child for the weather. Children will enjoy outside recess rain or shine.



Useful Links

[How to Get Rid of Head Lice \(PDF\)](#)

[Public Health for School Age Children \(PDF\)](#)

[Jump Start the Day with Breakfast Snack Attack \(PDF\)](#)

School Calendar

October

2020

MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
			1	2
5	6 Picture Day	7	8	9
12 Thanksgiving NO SCHOOL	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23 Pro-D Day NO SCHOOL
26	27	28	29	30
