## 6A Superstar News

Where STARS shine bright!
September 28-Oct 2
This week in 6A Students:
*Superstars have worked hard to walk/run as part of our week long Terry Fox Run.
*Many students wore orange shirts for Orange Shirt
Day. We read a story "When I Was Eight" and had an interesting discussion about why we have Orange Shirt Day.
*Students created "Wonder" inspired self portraits or fingerprints with character traits representing them on the inside.
*We read the story "Boys are Best" and tried an independent main idea response.
*As a class we then discussed our responses and created a version together.
*We created a chart of words to use when introducing a new example.
*We finished our shared write on "Morning of First Day of School Recount."
*Students worked on transferring their ideas from their graphic organizer into a writing sample of a summer activity.
*We brainstormed words for different word families based on rhyming patterns.
*Students enjoyed going for a walk around the Sandhills community.
*We worked really hard on representing numbers in different ways. For example, we would trade a ten rod for ten more ones.
*Students learned expanded form
*As a class we brainstormed character traits for Terry Fox
*Students explained what they think healthy eating is.
*In Science we completed a reading on "All About Plants" and responded as a class.
*We had a plant part check-in.
*Students discussed how plants are important to different groups of people, such as: vegetarians, gardeners, store owner, farmers, etc.,

## Next week we will:

*Practice adding detail with our recount writing *Finish our counting and representing numbers unit. *Learn more about plants

## Important Notes and Reminders:

*Students who wear boots to school should have a change of shoes in their backpack. Shoes are to go home each night.
*Discuss with your child the importance of trying their best when applying concepts in class and really listening to the lesson part.

## Supporting Your Child at Home:

*Review feedback on finished tasks
*Brainstorm topics for writing a recount

