

## St. Matthew's Elementary School

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## Teacher's Report

Kindergarten is well into a unit themed around spring. Lots of plant talk and are participating in BC Agriculture's Spuds in Tubs program. We were able to put our potato tubs outside just this week (they were planted before spring break.) Next week we head to the Honeybee Centre to learn all things bees!

The grade two class completed the first ever St. Matthew's retreat for First Communion. They are preparing to receive this sacrament in early May, and are growing sunflowers.

Grade 6 visited the Planetarium and finished persuasive group presentations on why different planets would be a good vacation spot. Now the students are studying government systems around the world.

Grade 7 had a great retreat at Loon Lake led by the parish youth ministry team.

All classes are looking forward to the Walkathon and are having fun competing against each other for the weekly prizes.

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