

October 4th, 2016

Walking Water Discussion

Ping Pong Wonders

Grade 1/2 Observations and Questions

- The water level is the same in all glasses
- The paper towel absorbed the water
- The colors mixed in the middle glass but not in the outside glasses



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7gm4_xtlmBg



8.2b Properties of Liquids:

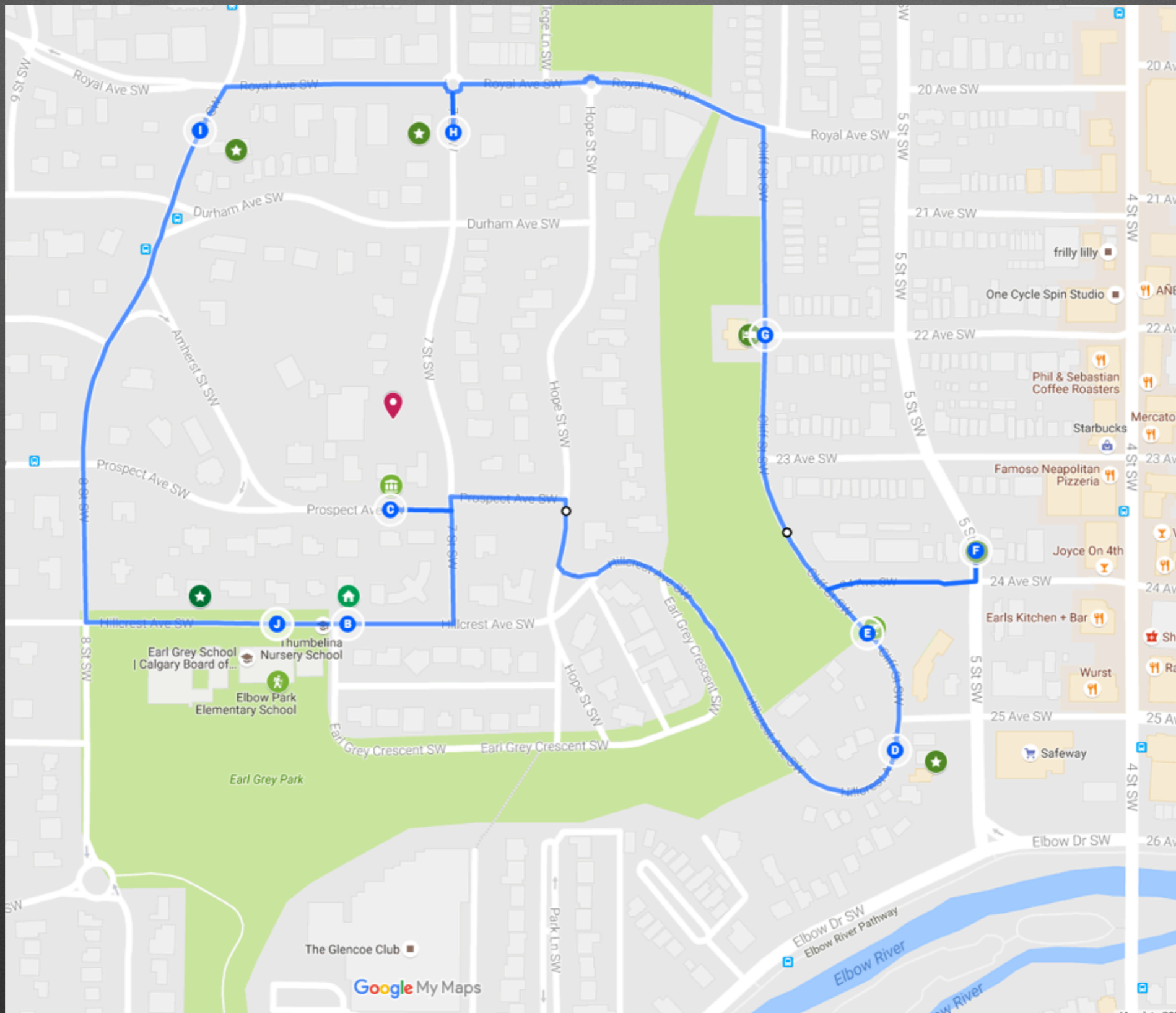
Surface Tension and Capillary Action



October 5th, 2016

History Walk

- A. **9:00 am** Depart Elbow Park School
- B. **9:05 - 9:30 am** 822 Hillcrest Avenue: Railway/Chinese Immigrants
- C. **9:35 - 9:45 am** 802 Prospect Avenue: RB Bennett/The Great Depression
- D. **10:00 - 10:30 am** 2505 5th Street SW: Aberhart House/The Great Depression
- E. **10:35 - 10:50 am** Recess at playground on Cliff Street
- F. **11:00 - 11:20 am** 2300 5th St SW: European Immigration/Early CBE School
- G. **11:30 - 12:00 pm** 2201 Cliff Street: Cliff Bungalow Community Association tour
- H. **12:00 - 12:45 pm** Break/Lunch at Cliff Bungalow Community Association
- I. **1:00 - 1:30 pm** 801 Royal Avenue: British Loyalists
- J. **1:40 - 1:50 pm** 841 Royal Avenue SW: Women's Right To
- K. **2:00 pm** Back at Elbow Park School



“Living in the Moment”

The Power of Observation and Journaling

Throughout the past few weeks, the students have spent time trying to be still in the world. We have challenged ourselves to see with new eyes and truly look at what surrounds us. Part of this thoughtful endeavour has consisted of careful observation and exploration through journaling.

Our field experiences are an excellent opportunity for the students to live in this space we have created. As a parent volunteer, we ask that you consider the following as we work with the students in the field.

Observation:

- It is truly amazing what you become aware of when you allow yourself to look and consider an object, a building, an artwork etc. longer than you might in normal circumstances
- Ask students questions to challenge their thinking and open discussions
- Allow for the time and space to really explore. Take advantage of those moments that can not be duplicated

Journaling:

- Modeling is essential. Please involve your self in the journaling process. Each of you is provided with a parent journal to sketch, question and ponder.
- Time. There is so much value in providing students enough time to talk, think, write and sketch.
- Sketching. Think about simple shapes when sketching and work from there. Draw what you really see and not what you think you see. Focus on where the light and dark is on the object, building, artwork...





