## F.E.S. Family Connections

February 15th-19th, 2021

**Vision**: F.E.S students will be passionate life-long learners who contribute as responsible leaders in the global community.

## What is Happening:

- Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup>- Family Day (no school)
- o Tuesday, February 16th- Healthy Lunch session #4 begins
- o Friday, February 19th- Day 100!
- Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup>- Substance Abuse Poster Contest due (for interested grade 4-5 students)
- o Friday, February 19th- Registration forms for Grade 1 and Grade 6 due
- o Monday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>-Friday, February 26<sup>th</sup>- Staff Appreciation Week
- Wednesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>- Pink Shirt Day!

## **Information Items**

- Our kindergarten classes celebrated the Lunar New Year today with a Dragon Dance parade around the school. They were excited to showcase their learning about Chinese New Year.
- Mrs. Casey and "Java the Puppet" continue to encourage students to bring in photos of their pets for her bulletin board display. The picture can be of a current pet, or a pet with whom you've had to say goodbye but will always treasure. We ask you to provide a copy or colored photocopy of a picture. Although we will do our best to care for your photo, we would hate for something to happen to the only photo of your pet. We also ask that the photo be labelled with your pet's name, child's name and classroom (see example). Your child can leave the photo in Mrs. Casey's envelope labelled "pet photos" located outside her guidance office. If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Casey at <a href="mailto:kerry.casey@nbed.nb.ca">kerry.casey@nbed.nb.ca</a>
- Thank you to the families who have supported the Home & School's "Top Secret" mission. All contributions must be received by Tuesday, Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Registration forms for Grade 1 and Grade 6 are due by Friday, February 19<sup>th</sup>. They
  were sent home earlier this week.
- Mrs. Casey has been busy planning for Pink Shirt Day week! We are excited to share
  that we will be participating in a live Pink Shirt Day event hosted by Travis Price, one
  of the founders of Pink Shirt Day. The virtual message will be one of hope and
  empowerment. We look forward to sprinkling kindness in and around our
  communities.