## F.E.S. Family Connections

March 14th-18th

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

Monday, 14th	Thursday, March 17th
<ul> <li>First Day after March Break</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Patrick's Day</li> <li>Chess Club at lunch (gr. 2-small group-select students)</li> </ul>
Tuesday, March 15th	Friday, March 18th
<ul> <li>Knights of Columbus posters due (grade 4-5 interested students)</li> <li>Tinker Tray Tuesday at recess (gr. K-1-small group-invited students)</li> <li>Lego at lunch (Gr. 4-small group-invited students)</li> </ul>	
Wednesday, March 16th	Upcoming Dates:
	<ul> <li>March 20<sup>th</sup>- Spring Equinox</li> <li>March 21<sup>st</sup>- World Down Syndrome Day</li> <li>March 25<sup>th</sup>- No school for students (report card preparation and professional learning)</li> </ul>

## **Information Items:**

- Thank you to our awesome Home and School group who organized a wonderful Staff Appreciation Week. Thank you also to the families who donated gift cards. They were a huge hit. We are fortunate to be supported by such engaging families.
- Last week the province announced they will be removing all remaining COVID-19 measures on March 14, 2022. This will result in a few important changes for our schools after March Break:
  - 1) Masks will no longer be required for students, staff, or visitors.
  - 2) Students will enjoy outdoor playtime in the morning (if they arrive between 7:40-8:05)
  - 3) Strict playground zones will be removed to allow more flexibility of where to play and with whom.
  - 4) Isolation rules will no longer be in place, however, as always, if your child is feeling unwell, please keep them at home