



McADAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Respect Yourself And Respect Others

MONTH: APRIL 2017



Talk with our kids about money™

April 19, 2017



TTYKAM DAY!

What is the purpose and goal of the program?

The goal is to focus attention on talking with our kids about money – and to encourage and support parents, guardians, and teachers to start or continue such talks with youth. Canada’s Task Force on Financial Literacy noted that improving financial literacy was a shared responsibility, that it would be a lifelong process, and that it was **important for financial education to be provided in our public schools**. This project responds to all of these key points. In addition, experts and research indicate that young people can benefit from early discussions about money – to help build knowledge and skills for the decisions they will face. Any day could be “Talk With Our Kids About Money Day” but we are focusing on one day a year – the third Wednesday of April – to “get conversations started” and bring attention to the importance of talking with our kids about money – starting at a young age.

For Ideas For Teaching at Home please see link: <http://talkwithourkidsaboutmoney.com/>

Jump for Heart has been supporting kids' health for more than 30 years, and encourages kids to get active by skipping rope while they collect pledges for heart disease and stroke research. The program gives children the chance to jump and play alongside 750,000 other kids in more than 4,000 schools across Canada.

April 27, 2017

Kick-Off!



Top 10 list of ways kids can help the earth:



1. Use your school supplies from year to year.
2. Use library books instead of buying your own.
3. Use a lunch box with reusable plastic containers, and a thermos.
4. Clean up the park and yard after you play. Don't Litter!
5. Turn off the lights and water tightly when you are done with them.
6. Close the doors and windows to keep heat and air from escaping.
7. Car pool with friends or walk, it saves gas.
8. Share you toys instead of buying too many.
9. Donate outgrown clothes and toys to homeless, the needy, or pass them ont o a friend.
10. Organize a yard sale and sell things your family no longer uses....someone can reuse them!!

QSP'S EDIBLE FUNDRAISER IS TEACHING US NEW SKILLS!

Let's Grow Together!



- **Responsibility** – from caring for plants.
- **Understanding** – as they learn about cause and effect (for example, plants die without water, weeds compete with plants).
- **Self-Confidence** – from achieving their goals and enjoying the food they have grown.
- **Love Of Nature** – a chance to learn about the outdoor environment in a safe and pleasant place.
- **Reasoning And Discovery** – learning about the science of plants, weather and the environment.
- **Nutrition** – learning about where fresh food comes from.
- **Creativity** – finding new and exciting ways to grow food

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>QSP ORGANIC EDIBLES CAMPAIGN GROW YOUR OWN GARDEN ITEMS! April 3 – April 18th</p>				<p>1. QUOTE OF THE MONTH</p>		
<p>2.</p>	<p>3.</p> <p>QSP CAMPAIGN BEGINS TODAY!</p>	<p>4.</p>	<p>5 Report Cards Sent Home Today!</p>	<p>6 Scheduled Parent Teacher Meetings 4:30PM – 6:30PM</p>	<p>7.</p>	
<p>9</p>	<p>10 NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS TODAY! Parent Teacher Interviews with ½ day PL in morning *PL Day for Teachers</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p> <p>APRIL SHOWERS Pitter Patter rain drops Falling from the sky Here's my umbrella Hold it High! When the rain is over and the sun begins to glow Little flowers start to bud then grow, grow, grow!</p>		<p>14</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18 QSP Campaign Ends TODAY. All Orders are Due Today!</p>	<p>19. TOKAM DAY! Talk To Your Kids About Money Day!</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>22</p>	
<p>23</p>	<p>24 PSSC Mtng 6:00PM</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27 JUMP ROPE FOR THE HEART KICK OFF!!</p>	<p>28 NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS PL DAY</p>	<p>29</p>
<p>UPCOMING EVENTS IN MAY: May 5 – NBTA Provincial Mtng (No School) May 15 – NBTA Branch Mtng (No School) May 22 – STAT HOLIDAY (No School)</p>				<p>May 24th – Welcome To Kindergarten 2018-2017 K/1 Class Early Dismissal at Noon</p>		