

McADAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MONTH: MARCH 2024

Manners Excellence Safety

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div style="background-color: red; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> Heart Healthy Schools Challenge #1 Exploring Fruits & Vegetables March 18th - 22nd </div>					1	2
					Fuzzy Flannel Friday (P J Day) 	Zero Discrimination Day
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<h2 style="color: green; font-family: cursive;">MARCH BREAK</h2>						
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Nuggets Lunch	 Smoothie Day	World Pi Day/ International Day of Mathematics Pizza Lunch		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Happy St. Patrick's Day 	 Heart Healthy Schools Fruits & Vegetables Challenge begins	PSSC/Home & School Meeting @ 4:30 Nuggets Lunch	 Muffin Day	International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination World Down Syndrome Day Pizza Lunch	 World Water Day	
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30
	No School for students – PD Day for teachers	Nuggets Lunch	 Smoothie Day	Fill Up The Truck Thursday Pizza Lunch	No School Good Friday	

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- April 1 – Easter Monday
- April 15 - Parent/Teacher Interviews (No school for students)



March is National Nutrition Month

Eat Right!

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MARCH

Well, we made it to March break! It has been a fast and fun year so far. All the staff at MES wishes everyone a great March break. Make sure to have some fun and give yourself some time to relax. Hopefully, we will have some warmer weather when we return. It is hard to believe that when we get through March there are only 3 more months left.

Popcorn Fundraiser



Our Popcorn Fundraiser brought in about \$700. A BIG thank you to all our sellers and their families and to everyone that bought popcorn seasoning through this fundraiser. Your support is greatly appreciated! All the funds raised will go toward our new playground. Popcorn seasoning is expected to arrive the week of March 14th. Get ready to fire up those popcorn poppers!



Chase The Ace

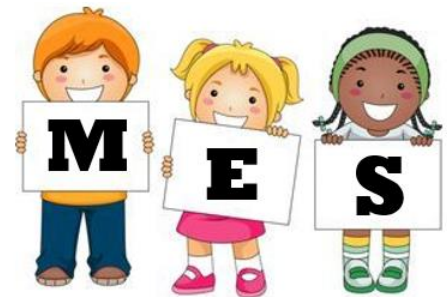
We are excited to share that we have been accepted as one of the Chase The Ace donation organizations. This is a great opportunity for the Playground Project to raise funds to reach our goal. There are different stores that sell tickets and they can also be purchased online. A portion of ticket sales go to helping fundraise for our new playground. This is a community project and we are lucky to have such great support. Let's hope the ace stays until close to the end so that we can get closer to our goal.



Monthly School Assembly

For our February assembly we celebrated the monthly perfect attendance winners, as well as, the perfect attendance winners for the whole school year. We are down to two students who have perfect attendance for the year.....WAY TO GO! Students were also presented an award for being an upstander. These students were caught standing up for other students in conflict/bullying situations. For March, we are focusing on being respectful. We want students to have respect for:

My Self
Everyone
School



Heart Healthy Schools

We are once again registered as a Heart Healthy School. We will have 5 challenges this year:

- Explore Fruits and Vegetables
- Joyful Movement
- Discover Water
- Rest & Recharge
- Experience Clean Air – This one is new for us and we are looking forward to it.

We will start with the **Exploring Fruits & Vegetables for the week of Mar. 18 – 22 and the other challenges will come in the next 3 months.** We will show the students videos and give them facts about fruits and vegetables. We will also provide various fruits and veggies during snack and lunch time. Again, we are fortunate to be part of the **Breakfast Food Procurement Program** in partnerships with the Province of NB, Moncton Food Depot, Breakfast Clubs of Canada, and Brewer Foundation. This program provides students with various healthy snacks at no cost to the school or the families. It has been great having them on board again this year because it is SOOOOOO beneficial for the students to have access to healthy food.