

Dear Primary School Friends & Families,

Happy March!

We are all waiting, patiently, for spring to arrive!

Our Character Trait for this month is Perseverance. Please continue to talk with your child about perseverance, and the importance of working through problems and focusing on their goals. At the close of the month, we recognize those students by saying their name on the announcements, taking their picture, providing them with a certificate and pencil. The pictures are displayed on our social media accounts so we can "brag" about our amazing little riders!

March 1 st	Read for Ronald McDonald House	Pledges are due in the main office
March 7 th	6:30 pm/ MS Library (LGI room)	Assess for Success Discussion
March 8 th	"Cat in the Hat" Visit	Kindergarten rooms only
March 10 th	Daylight Savings Time	Spring Forward
March 14 th	Math & Movement Family Fun Night	Primary School (5:30 pm)
March 15 th	Superintendent Conference Day	No School for Students
March 19 th	Puppet People Show	Students Only
March 19 th	PTA Meeting	MS Library (7:00 pm)
March 29 th	Student Character Assembly	Perseverance: Students Only

We are so excited for our second graders who will be visiting the Kinderhook Library and receiving their library cards. Taking your child to your local library and allowing them to utilize their card will bring so much joy for reading, something we encourage each day at the Primary School.

As many of you are aware, the New York State Assessments are fast approaching. Our third grade students will have the opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge on an ELA and Math exam. Please join us for an informative evening event on Thursday, March 7th. The goal of this event is to strengthen the partnership between parents and our school towards student achievement.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me with any questions and/or concerns. I can be contacted in the Primary school at (518) 758-7575 ext. 6004. Follow us on twitter @ICCPSPrincipal

Happy Reading,

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