

MARCH

Full Day Kindergarten Calendar

Important Days:

Irish Heritage and Epilepsy Awareness Month

- 8th – International Women’s Day
- 9th – Daylight Savings – Set clock 1 hour forward
- 10th to 14th – March Break Full Day Kindergarten
- 17th – St. Patrick’s Day (Wear Green)
- 20th – First Day of Spring
- 20th – International Day of Happiness
- 21st – International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 31st – National Indigenous Languages Day

Daylight savings:

Don’t forget to set your clocks one hour forward on Sunday, March 9th. Most clocks automatically change but double check just in case!

This Month:

This March Break and we will be focusing on different science experiments and art experiences.

March Break Important Days:

Monday 10th – Baking Soda and Vinegar reactions

Tuesday 11th – Experiment – Why We Brush Your Teeth – Eggs, Toothpaste, Juice and Pop

Wednesday 12th – Experiment - Germs – 1st Glitter, soap and water. 2nd Paper towel Germs. 3rd Glitter germs

Thursday 13th – FDK Vote - Cloud Dough or Playdough

Friday 14th – Water Drainage experiment and Walking Rainbow

March Break Reminders:

The 10th to 14th is the March Break and we will be running our full day program at Terry Tan. We will be provide morning and afternoon snacks, as well as lunch. Please ensure that your child has all of the appropriate outdoor clothing as well as indoor shoes and extra clothes.

Reminder and Learning Opportunities:

As warmer weather approaches and things begin to melt we will have more opportunities to engage in messy sensory learning experiences outside. The benefit of this play allows children to use their natural curiosity and is most often enjoyed in a larger group of friends. Children develop language, gross/fine motors skills, team building skills, providing opportunities to work with others, problem solve language, creativity and so much more. We will do our best to keep them from getting too dirty, but we asked that you please provide your child with extra clothes.

Through a series of engaging sensory learning experiences, our Full-Day Kindergarten (FDK) program is exploring the concepts of water drainage and actively participating in the removal of water from our playground. The children are enthusiastically discovering the scientific principles behind irrigation and water drainage while engaging in hands-on exploration.



Image: FDK working together to push the water out of our playground.