

McKay's Week-At-A-Glance (WAAG) for Families:

February 14th – 18th, 2022

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH IS RED DAY:

Students and staff are encouraged to wear red as we celebrate **Valentine's Friendship Day** at McKay. We look forward to a fun Valentine's Day together.

KINDNESS FOCUS AT MCKAY FEBRUARY 14TH – 25TH

On Valentine's Friendship Day, we will also kick off a two-week long school-wide focus on Kindness, in which all of our students will learn different ways to be kind, and how to make a positive difference in the lives of one another. We will be teaching, encouraging, reinforcing, tracking and celebrating acts of kindness over the next two weeks. In class, students will read books with kindness themes, engage in lessons designed to develop and foster empathy, and learn about the impact of these positive acts of kindness upon all of us in our community. At the end of our two-week focus, on February 25th, we will celebrate our learning (and all the ways we were kind) at a virtual sharing assembly for our students.



Highlights for the upcoming week include:

Monday 14th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red Day – Valentine's/Friendship Theme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students and Staff are encouraged to wear red ○ First Day of our two-week long school-wide focus on Kindness • Book Fair continues until Wednesday, February 16th • Parent – Teacher Conferences taking place Monday to Thursday • MBA Basketball for Gr 6/7s at lunch
Tuesday 15th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent – Teacher Conferences continue • Focus on Kindness: continues until February 25th • Basketball Practice for Grade 6/7 Boys: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 2:45 – 3:30 pm in the gym with Jon and Larry
Wednesday 16th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Last Day for Book Fair: Thank you to Ms. Mui, our awesome Teacher-Librarian! • Early Dismissal Today for Conferencing : 1:45 pm • Parent – Teacher Conferences continue • MBA Basketball for Gr 6/7s at lunch
Thursday 17th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent – Teacher Conferences continue • Early Dismissal Today for Conferencing : 1:45 pm
Friday 18th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pro-D Day: District-Wide Convention with Workshops for all Richmond School District staff. NO SCHOOL IN SESSION • We hope our students enjoy their day off – and a four-day long weekend.

Upcoming Dates:

Monday, February 21st

Tues Feb 22nd – Thurs Feb 24th

Wednesday Feb 23rd

Friday Feb 25th

Monday Feb 28th

Friday March 4th

Friday March 11th

March 14th to 25th

March 28th

Family Day Holiday: Happy Family Day – have a great time together!

Arts Umbrella Workshops: Divisions 1 to 6

Pink T-Shirt Day: Bullying Awareness / Kindness Focus

Kindness Focus Celebration Day: Assembly on Teams – 9:00 am

PAC Meeting for February / March: 7:30 pm on Teams

6/7 Student vs Staff Basketball game?

Last Day Before Spring Break – Yahoo! (FYI – just 5 weeks away!)

Spring Break

First Day Back from Spring Break