March 2009

Educator Calendar

All month: Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month · National Nutrition Month · School Social Work Month · March Theme: Growth Mindset & Perseverance

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 • School Breakfast Week	3 • School Breakfast Week	4 • School Breakfast Week	5 • School Breakfast Week	6 • School Breakfast Week • Staff Appreciation Day	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 • St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21 • Down Syndrome Day
22 • Water Day	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Legend: • Holidays & Celebrations • Awareness Days/Months • Appreciation Days/Weeks • Monthly Teaching Themes

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Events in March 2009

Mar 1 – Mar 31 **Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month** (Awareness Days/Months) A month promoting inclusion of people with developmental disabilities.

Mar 1 – Mar 31 **March Theme: Growth Mindset & Perseverance** (Monthly Teaching Themes, TTW teaching theme) TTW teaching theme: growth mindset and perseverance.

Mar 1 – Mar 31 **National Nutrition Month** (Awareness Days/Months) A campaign by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics promoting healthy eating.

Mar 1 – Mar 31 **School Social Work Month** (Appreciation Days/Weeks) A month recognising social workers, including school social workers.

Mar 2 – Mar 6 **National School Breakfast Week** (Awareness Days/Months) A week promoting the School Breakfast Program (usually the first full week of March).

Fri Mar 6 **Employee Appreciation Day** (Appreciation Days/Weeks) An informal day (first Friday in March) to thank every member of staff.

Tue Mar 17 **St. Patrick's Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A cultural celebration of Irish heritage.

Sat Mar 21 **World Down Syndrome Day** (Awareness Days/Months) A UN day raising awareness of Down syndrome; many people wear mismatched socks.

Sun Mar 22 **World Water Day** (Awareness Days/Months) A UN day focused on the importance of fresh water.