





JG WORKMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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March 25th to March 29, 2024 Vol. 27

Monday March 25 Day 3	Tuesday March 26 Day 4	Wednesday March 27 Day 5	Thursday March 28 Day 1	Friday March 29 Day 0
	<p>PALS Program in the Library (Lunch)</p> <p>Wear Purple</p> 			 <p>No school for students & staff</p>

Upcoming Dates:

April 1- Easter Monday - No School for students & staff

April 5 - 12:45 PM - Assembly (Co-operation)

April 8 - PA Day -No school for students

April 25 - School Council Meeting



Let's get
fundraising!

Cookie Dough Fundraiser

We will be having a Cookie Dough Fundraiser starting Monday March 25 - Tuesday April 9. orders that have been placed can be picked up at the school on April 23rd. Orders can be placed online (Link is below)

Support our school... (not sure what else to write here LOL)

<https://fundraising.terracottacookies.com/current-fundraisers/jg-workman-p-s/>

March 25 - Greek Independence Day



Greek Independence Day, also known as Greek National Day, is celebrated annually on March 25th to commemorate the beginning of the Greek War of Independence against the Ottoman Empire in 1821.

The holiday is marked by parades, military displays, religious ceremonies, cultural events, and public gatherings, and is an opportunity for Greeks to come together and show their national

pride and identity. The celebration of Greek Independence Day is an important part of Greek culture and identity.

Since this day is also a religious celebration, it always falls during the fasting period before the Easter celebration, so most Greeks avoid eating meat. The traditional Greek dish on this day is called *bakaliaros skordalia*, a fried cod with garlic sauce.



CELEBRATE PURPLE DAY WITH US ON MARCH 26TH!

March is Epilepsy Awareness Month, leading to Purple Day on March 26th, a global initiative to raise epilepsy awareness. We encourage all students and staff at JGW to wear purple on March 26th to show support and bring awareness to this cause. The goal is to spread knowledge and reduce the stigma associated with epilepsy, a neurological condition characterized by recurrent seizures due to abnormal brain activity. For more information about epilepsy, please visit <https://epilepsytoronto.org/>

LAUNCH OF PARENT'S GUIDE TO ONTARIO'S EDUCATION SYSTEM:



The Ministry of Education is pleased to inform you that the Parent's Guide to Ontario's Education System was launched today. This new resource will provide parents with helpful information that supports them to have a stronger role and actively participate in their children's education. The guide covers several subjects such as knowing how their child is doing in school, learning about suspension and expulsion processes, attending a school council meeting or parent involvement committee meeting, and knowing about specialized supports to help all children succeed. This initiative is part of the government's recent efforts to increase transparency and accountability in our school system. The full guide can be found at www.Ontario.ca/educationguide. In addition, the Ministry of Education will be posting

content on our social media channels starting this week, highlighting this new resource. Please consider reposting or retweeting our content on your channels if appropriate and timely.

■ Facebook – facebook.com/OntarioEducation

■ Instagram – instagram.com/Ontario_Education

■ X (formerly Twitter) – twitter.com/ONEducation

Keep well!
