## **2F Weekly Newsletter**

September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Seesaw. Student profiles have been created on Seesaw, an online digital portfolio platform. On Monday you will be receiving both an email and hardcopy invitation to access your child's portfolio on Seesaw. I will be sending home a copy of your child's unique QR Code which will allow you to easily access their portfolio. You can access the program either online or by downloading the Seesaw App to your digital device. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the digital portfolios or how to access them please do not hesitate to contact me. I will be teaching a series of lessons throughout this week to help familiarize the students with the use of Seesaw so that they can begin making contributions to their portfolio.

I am looking for donations of houseplants to care for in our classroom. If you (or friends or family you know of) could spare a plant our too for our classroom please let me know.



## **PARENT PARTICIPATION HOURS**

There are a variety of ways that you can earn parent participation hours helping out our class. I will be looking for parent volunteers who are able to read in French to read during school hours. Other opportunities at school include: cleaning toys and bookshelves as needed, adding words to our word wall, cutting laminating, helping prepare for art projects, cleaning desks and tables (and other ideas as they come). Some of these tasks (such as cutting laminating or preparing art projects) could also be done at home. PLEASE EMAIL (kristina.mcbride@fatimaschool.ca) and let me know whether you would prefer to earn PPH helping during the school day, before or after school, or at home. I will keep you posted on opportunities that fit your schedule.

## **CRAFT SUPPLIES**

I am looking to build up a collection of craft supplies for our classroom. If you, or anyone you know, have extra craft supplies lying around I am sure we can find a good creative use for it!



Here are some ideas: small tiles, feathers, googles eyes, pompoms, buttons, ribbon, pipe cleaners, beads, gem stones, buttons, toilet paper rolls, construction paper, card stock, scrapbook supplies, feathers, wine corks, coloured foam, felt, sparkles, stamps, yarn, scrapbook paper, etc.

AT HOME READING... I will be introducing an at home reading program later this week. I will be sending an e-mail with further details mid-week.