Updated Templeton Website
If you have not checked the Templeton website lately I encourage you to do so. It has been updated with many helpful links, pictures and information.  
http://www.mccsc.edu/templeton

Templeton’s New Twitter Account
You can now follow Templeton on Twitter at @Templeton_MCCSC

Kindergarten Registration
Kindergarten registration began February 2nd. Registration packets may be picked up in the office during school hours. Any questions please call the office.

Spring Break
Spring Break is next week. March 16– March 20th students are out of school for Spring Break. If you are traveling please be safe and if you are staying local I hope to run into many of you enjoying the sunshine and warmer temperatures. When we come back from Spring Break we only have nine weeks left of the 2014-2015 school year. Time goes fast and we will be maximizing that time and celebrating many things. Also, the weather is getting warmer and with that we ask that you help your students to remember the dress code. We hate to have to take them out of instruction and bother parents/guardians to bring in clothes for them. Enjoy the break and your time with your students. We look forward to the students being refreshed and re-charged when we reconvene on Monday, March 23rd.
The staff at Templeton is currently finishing up their first IB units. This is very exciting and means that your students will be starting learning in the International Baccalaureate program after Spring Break. We look forward to bringing this inquiry based learning to our students at Templeton.

Our current profile is: Open-Minded. People who are Open-Minded respect the views, values and traditions of other individuals and cultures, and are accustomed to seeking and considering a range of points of view.

Students who are Open-Minded respect the views and traditions of other cultures through literature and research. They value working with other students with unique talents and diverse backgrounds. They are willing to use varied interpretations and apply different theories in their research.

How parents can help develop open-minded children. Encourage children to learn about different people and cultures of the world through books, DVD’s music, art, virtual trips and traveling. Ask children to try new things such as new games, new activities or new foods. Expose children to multicultural celebrations and ask them to reflect on their experiences and on what they have learned. Make comparisons to their own culture. Let children express their opinions and allow them to take part in making decisions such as what things to buy or where to go on vacation. Provide positive feedback when you observe children being open-minded.

School Dismissal—Reminder that all students who are car riders are to be picked up at the top of Brenda Lane. Walkers will be dismissed first, then bus riders will be dropped off and then car riders will be delivered to the adults picking them up.

A change has also occurred at dismissal due to buses not being able to get through. Special needs buses will now be picking up at the first loop off of Brenda Lane. There is no visitor parking there or car pickup of students. Thank you for all of your help with this as we work to get students dismissed safely.