We have 4 days before spring break. Please check with your child about assignments, which you can see via Parent Vue.

We will lock the big doors at the front entrance in the morning. Anyone who comes to school during in session hours, will have to push the button by the door and speak so the office can open the door.

If you have an incoming 6th grader & next year will have a 7th OR 8th grader – Course Selections are due to their science teachers by Thursday, 3/12/2020. If you child lost the form they are available in the office or on the website at www.tusd1.org/valencia. Then look on the left side and click on 2020/2021 Parent Information. Once that link opens, it is at the bottom of the page.

Please take a second to review any of our social media outlets to highlight all the great stuff happening at Valencia this last week we had activities in classrooms, sports and Poetry Slam:
- Website: www.tusd1.org/valencia
- Facebook : Valencia_jags
- Instagram: Valencia_jags
- Twitter@valencia_jags

Upcoming Events:
- **Monday, 3/9/2020**
  - 8th grade ONLY – Drop Out Prevention Assembly @ 2:30PM. Students need to go to 6th period, take attendance and all walk over together to the cafeteria.
  - 21st Century After School
- **Tuesday, 3/10/2020**
  - 21st Century After School
- **Wednesday, 3/11/2020**
  - Early out 9:15AM – 3:15PM
  - 21st Century After School
- **Thursday, 3/12/2020**
  - Last day of quarter – regular scheduled day
  - Canceled PRIDE party – Regular Schedule 7 period day.
- **Friday, 3/13/2020**
  - No students, this is a regular workday for teachers.
- **Friday, March 13 – March 22: Spring Break**

When we return from Spring Break students will be taking the AZMerit 2. I highly suggest you review the test as a family because it is a challenging test and creates a good bonding time when you are all discussing the answers (in my house my kiddos like to ask dad 😊 and they love when he gets frustrated). Below is the website for more information.

[https://azm2portal.org/sample-tests.stml](https://azm2portal.org/sample-tests.stml)
For the sample test, click the top left. When a new window opens up make sure it says: guest user ON and guest session ON then click Sign-In. On the top right is a button for Released Items which has examples and answers.