





Angus McKay School  
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December 13 – 17, 2021



Date	School Day	It's Spirit Week this week! There is a poster on our website with all the details as well!
Monday Dec. 13	2	Deck your door! Classes are decorating their doors like Christmas! Grade 3 Christmas card club
Tuesday Dec. 14	3 	Wear red and green - be creative! Do you have Christmas hair? Grade 2 Reading/writing club Minecraft club
Wednesday Dec. 15	4	Dress up like a present! Lockdown/Hold and secure practice Grade 3 Christmas card club Grade 4 Reading/Writing club
Thursday Dec. 16	5 	Dress like Frosty the Snowman or dress up like winter! Grade 1 Reading/Writing club Hot lunch (for those of you that ordered) Minecraft club
Friday Dec. 17	6	Wear your PJs and bring a small stuffie to sit on your desk! Grade 5 Reading/Writing club
Monday Dec. 20	1 	
Tuesday Dec. 21	2	Minecraft club
Wednesday Dec. 22	3 	Happy Holidays! <b>Early dismissal at 2:30 pm.</b> <b>First day back: Thursday Jan 6, Day 2</b> <b>K's first day back: Fri. Jan. 7, Day 3</b>

Our Grade 3, 4, and 5 classes have been making music with boom whackers, chimes and ukuleles. Ms. Schroeder taped them performing Christmas songs. The students will be watching these taped performances in their classrooms. If you would like to watch with your child at home, you can access it through your child's class Teams site.



Thank you, Ms. Schroeder, for teaching us to play these unique instruments!

Thanks to our Grade 4 and 5 leadership team for planning our Spirit Week activities! They even wrote and performed visual announcements for the rest of us to watch!

The Grade 3, 4 and 5 classes are holding a "Tiny Art Show". The students will exhibit their pieces along the north hallway so all the classes can see them.

Please follow us on Twitter @am\_retsd, we will post some photos of our creations!

On Wednesday December 15<sup>th</sup>, we will be doing a Lockdown/Hold and Secure practice. Due to social distancing and COVID protocols teachers will have the windows of their classrooms covered and students will remain quietly in their desks. (This is different than the usual practice). For the Hold and Secure practice, nothing changes inside the school, we just lock all the outside doors. No one comes in or out. We are mandated to have these practices twice a year. Students understand it is a practice and will be informed ahead of time.

### CSA/Lunch program news

Thanks everyone that participated in our CSA fundraisers. The winner of the 50/50 draw will be announced soon!

Thanks to Meghan Taylor for organizing our hot lunch. Everything will come prepackaged and handed out to students by our Lunch Supervision staff on Thursday Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>.

*The staff at Angus McKay wishes you...*

*Happy Holidays! Enjoy a well-deserved rest and time with your families!*

