#### Today is Wednesday December 8, 2021 Day 4

### MISSION

Balaclava is an inclusive and engaging community where creativity and commitment to equity are utilized to optimize learning for all.

# VISION

We aspire to make the world a better place through informed, responsible, and compassionate action.

# MOTTO

When we look after ourselves and we look after one another, we all succeed. We are all responsible for how our school looks and feels. Please take time to wipe snow from footwear and clothing before entering the school. This helps to keep our halls a little drier and you a little more comfortable.

- Mrs. Nelligan is in a full day workshop today and we do not have coverage for her. Staff are asked to please ensure attendance is completed promptly in the morning and afternoon. Ms. Rizzo will be covering the office.
- Thank you to the families who have sent in gift cards for groceries or restaurants so far. All donated gift cards between \$5 - \$25 will be added to Holiday Hampers being prepared by the HWDSB Social Work Department to assist HWDSB families. Your efforts to make our world a better place are appreciated. Thank you.

Gift cards \$5 - \$25

Bring a gift card to School and give it to the office. You can bring a grocery store Gift card like Wal-mart,No Frills and Food Basics. You can bring any restaurant gift cards.

#### The Giving Tree

The Giving Tree is a tree that gives people in need gifts during the holidays. Thank you

They need to be in by

December 14th.

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Playground rotations
1st NB Break
Blacktop painted games, including BB net – 6A
Gaga Ball – 1A
Climber – 3A
2nd NB
Blacktop painted games, including BB net – 7A
Gaga Ball – 1B
Climber – 4A
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Please remember equipment needs to be collected at the end of recess and returned to your classrooms so it is available next time you want to use it.

Please stand and join in singing or signing our National Anthem.

When we look after ourselves and we look after one another, we all have a great day. Let's make it a great day Balaclava!