



Weekly Update December 18-22, 2023



Winter Break

Winter Break is from December 25, 2023 – January 5, 2024 inclusive. First day back to school will be Monday, January 8, 2024.

Before winter break a few important mentions

Lost and Found



Our Lost and Found will be set out during the week of December 18th for all classes to view, however, all students and parents are welcome to go through our lost and found bin in the office at any time.

Our next donation day will be Friday, December 22.

Welcome to Winter EK Day!



On Tuesday, December 19th, our Grade 5 Helping Eagles are putting together a special day for Grades K-5. Students are welcome to wear blue and/or white that day to welcome our winter season!!



Winter Day will also include a movie “Troll World Tour” which is a G rated film and the focus is empathy, diversity and inclusion.



Winter Weather 10°C

As the cold weather has arrived, please ensure that your child comes to school dressed appropriately. If they do not want to wear warmer clothes, please make sure they are packed in their back pack in case they are needed. We want all students to be able to enjoy their time outside each day. Along with this, please **LABEL ALL ITEMS WITH FIRST AND LAST NAME** so that we can return any lost items to the proper owner.

Gently Used Winter Clothing Available

Winter is here and children grow quickly! We have some gently used winter items available. If your child has outgrown their current winter clothing, and you'd like to get something in their size, please contact Stew MacNeil at smacneil@hwdsb.on.ca. We have a variety of sizes available at no cost. Please note that all requests are confidential.



Cozy Up and Read Day

Friday, December 22 (last day of school before break) will be Cozy Up and Read Day! Students and staff can come to school in their coziest clothes (pajamas, cozy pants and shirts).



Indoor Shoes

Please make sure that your child has dry shoes to wear in school. We want to ensure that the floors stay safe and dry.



Wesley's Holiday Season Store

Thank you very much for the generous donations to Wesley's Holiday Season Store. Your contributions will help many people in our community!

Absences

If you have marked your child as coming in late, and decide to keep them home, please ensure that you call the school so that their attendance can be updated. We do need to account for all students every day

Playground Supervision Hours

Playground supervision begins at **8:35am**. Students are not to be on the playground prior to that time. Playground supervision ends at **3:25pm**.