



# Angus Morrison ES

## Week At A Glance



December 14-18, 2020

### WEEKLY NEWS AND REMINDERS

Dear Families:

Our week of holiday celebrations are in full swing! Classrooms are buzzing with the spirit of the season. Our holiday food drive, although different, has been so wonderfully successful. Thank you to our families, staff and Grade 8 elves for making it happen in support of our AMES families. Please check out the calendar as a reminder of our Spirit Days.

We will send home all student belongings on Dec. 18th. Kindly check the size of indoor shoes, replenish extra clothing, clean out backpacks, sanitize water bottles and return these items on January 4.

Our School Council was happy to welcome a number of interested parents to the meeting in December. Please consider joining us in January. You will find agendas and minutes posted on the school website. Our next meeting is on Monday, January 11th at 6:30 pm. Follow this Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82518317934?pwd=b1BEdDFqa2UzS1VWwXZTVGFLTEpxQT09>

As reminders, it is very important that your child completes the SMDHU Self Assessment for Covid-19, *each day*. This is a collective commitment to reducing the spread of infection at our school. If your child demonstrates any new symptoms, please keep them at home, and follow the directions on the Self Assessment. All students must wear a mask (with ear loops). Students are directed to wash their hands frequently while at school. If your child does undergo a Covid-19 test, please give the office a call to let us know. We thank you sincerely for your on-going efforts and support.

In January, we will hold a family draw to encourage families to SUBSCRIBE to our website. This is a great way to get notifications and updates from the AMES office. In the month of January we will draw from all families who are subscribed. The prizes will be family fun items, for all ages. Simply go to [www.ang.scdsb.on.ca](http://www.ang.scdsb.on.ca). In the rotator, find the big red "SUBSCRIBE NOW" button and enter your email address. A confirmation link will be sent. Details to follow in the new year.

We extend the warmest wishes to you and your family, whatever celebration you observe. We send love and good wishes to you. As difficult as the past months have been, take stock of the blessings in your life. Enjoy your children over the break. Get outside. Read as a family. Enjoy some fun movies. Do some baking. Please reflect on the wonders of childhood. Let's look forward to 2021 with optimism, hope, and strength. Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year!

Mrs. Blayney and Mrs. Laybolt

## Weekly Schedule

<b>Monday, Dec 14, Day 2</b>	Snow Ice and Sparkle Spirit Day
<b>Tuesday, Dec 15, Day 3</b>	Candy Cane Day
<b>Wednesday, Dec 16, Day 4</b>	Christmas Carol Day
<b>Thursday, Dec 17, Day 5</b>	Christmas PJ Day December Assembly—see website
<b>Friday, Dec 18, Day 1</b>	Ugly Christmas Sweater Day Have a fabulous Christmas Break

And the Grinch, with his Grinch-feet ice cold in the snow, stood puzzling and puzzling, how could it be so? It came without ribbons. It came without tags. It came without packages, boxes or bags. And he puzzled and puzzled till his puzzler was sore. Then the Grinch thought of something he hadn't before. What if Christmas, he thought, doesn't come from a store. What if Christmas, perhaps, means a little bit more.



*Happy Holidays*