



Dr. J. Edgar Davey Elementary School

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Holiday Registry

The Holiday Registry provides a listing of supports available in the City of Hamilton to help ensure as many people as possible will be able to enjoy Christmas.

It is coordinated by The City of Hamilton, Hamilton Food Share and The Emergency Food Network operating in Hamilton. Agencies can be connected directly for additional details. Individuals and families requiring assistance may apply to one of the participating agencies

[Holiday Registry | City of Hamilton](#)

Parent Portal Reminder

Friendly reminder to please log in to your Parent Portal account to ensure we have current and correct contact information. If updates are needed, please call the school.

Other forms that are required to be completed located within the Parent Portal are:

- Verification Form
- Digital Tools Permission
- Media Consent Agreement
- Nutrition Break Consent
- Elementary emergency school closure

To access these forms, parents log into the Parent Portal and click on "Forms". On the left side you will see a screen with all the forms available to choose from.

Athletics

Spectators are welcome at both home and away games; however, all students must be accompanied by their parent(s) to be admitted into the building to watch the games. Food and drink are not permitted in the gym.

Snow

As the temperatures change and the forecast includes snow it is important for students to be aware that at school, snow stays on the ground. Throwing and kicking snow is dangerous and can result in serious injury. We ask that you please partner with us and reinforce this school rule.

Cold Weather



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Time spent outdoors is an integral part of the school day. There are great benefits when children experience fresh air, exercise and spend time outside. Outdoor play is also a break from the structure of the classroom.

Depending on the season, preparing for outdoor play in Canada can mean anything from applying sunscreen to wearing mittens and a hat. During winter, it's important that children come to school prepared for the cold. Students should wear boots, water resistant mittens/gloves and hats. It's a good idea to pack extra mittens, socks, etc. in case they are needed.

Principals decide whether to send students outside for recess. HWDSB asks Principals to follow the City of Hamilton guideline that people stay inside when it's at or below -15C, or -20C with the wind chill.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Dec 1 - Dance Day and Sprit Day - wear your Spirit wear and running shoes
- Dec 5 - Gr 7 Public Health Vaccinations Clinic
- Dec 12 - Holiday Breakfast
- Dec 23 - Jan 7 Winter Break

Attachments

Anaphylaxis Poster



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