



# Moody Elementary School

## DECEMBER NEWS BRIEF

### On the Calendar



- December 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday afternoon photo retakes
- December 7<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm PAC Meeting
- December 7<sup>th</sup> Breakfast Club in the gym Mon./Wed./Friday 8:10 am to 8:40 am
- December 14<sup>th</sup> Term 1 Report Cards go home
- December 21<sup>st</sup> to January 1<sup>st</sup> Winter Break
- January 4<sup>th</sup> School Re-opens
- January 18<sup>th</sup> School based Pro-D (school not in session)



We will be starting up our Breakfast Club with a “bagged breakfast” in the gym on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:10 am to 8:40 am beginning December 7<sup>th</sup>. The bagged breakfast will consist of some of the following individual items: apple/orange, individual cereal, milk, juice, yogurt etc.



We will not be participating in Share Food Collection this year as a result of Covid issues with handling food however, we encourage our families who can help, to make a cash donation directly to SHARE



### Counsellor's Corner:

I hope you are all keeping well at this time. Thank you, parents, for continuing to have conversations with your children about how to stay safe at home and at school. With people spending more time at home, you probably haven't asked yourself if screen time could be good for kids. Please check out this article for some interesting information and links to other resources.

<https://www.cbc.ca/documentaries/the-nature-of-things/screen-time-can-sometimes-be-good-for-kids-says-new-research-1.5799251>

As always, please contact me if you would like to talk about your child's social-emotional development.  
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**Cross Catchment:** By now you will have received the latest information on cross catchment and programs of choice. There has been some inquiries regarding whether cross catchment applications require the student PEN number or student number. The answer is that the cross-catchment application only requires the student PEN number. Parents will have access to this number at the time of registration by utilizing their child's report card where it is listed.

DPAC43 is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom Parent Education Night on Tuesday, December 8, 2020 starting at 7:00 p.m. Please see attached information “Anxiety Canada” for all of the details