

Weekly Update from Seely Place

[November 21, 2025](#)



The Giving Retriever

Dear Seely Place Families,

We hope that you have had a great week. Looking ahead to next week, we have an exciting lineup of events, including spirit week, *Balloons Over Seely Place* and our *Turkey Trot!* Please be reminded that Wednesday, November 26, is a half-day with an 11:30 a.m. dismissal. The YMCA program or after school clubs will not be available on this or any half-day. If you are unable to pick up your children at dismissal, please make alternate arrangements.

Next week, we are organizing a school-wide Spirit Week, and we encourage your children to join in the fun each day. The themes for the week are as follows:

- Monday: Pajama Day. Students are invited to wear their coziest and most comfortable pajamas.
- Tuesday: Sports Day. Students may wear their favorite team apparel or Seely Place/Edgemont gear.
- Wednesday: Turkey Trot Gear. Students can show their Thanksgiving spirit with festive Turkey Trot gear.

We have heard from some families that they will be heading out of town early for the Thanksgiving holiday, and we wish you safe travels. Several parents have also reached out with questions about how to report attendance, so we want to ensure everyone is familiar with the process.

For attendance: We use Infinite Campus for parents and guardians to report if a child will be absent or late for any reason, including illness, vacation, or appointments. Please [review this letter](#) for more information about our attendance reporting system and [this flier](#) to learn about

the Infinite Campus app. It is important to report your child's absence or lateness through the app by 9:30 am.

For early and regular dismissal: We use School Dismissal Manager (SDM) for all dismissals. Please keep your child's plan up to date, as dismissal doors are assigned based on SDM selections. No foot traffic is permitted in the car pickup lane. Click [here](#) for a step-by-step guide to creating Recurring Exceptions. If you need assistance, please contact Nancy Giglio (ngiglio@edgemont.org).

As a reminder, the PTA is holding a **spirit wear sale**. We invite you to get a head start on holiday shopping with cozy Seely wear for winter break while supporting sixth grade fundraising for end of year programs. The sale closes on November 23, and all items will ship directly to your home in time for the holidays. Shop [here!](#)

Finally, Coachman in White Plains sent a note of thanks to our Seely Place families for the amazing candy donation after Halloween. Thank you to everyone who participated and donated!



Mark your calendars:

- Schedule Adjustments
 - November 26 – Half-day dismissal at 11:30 a.m.
 - November 27–28 – Thanksgiving Recess
 - December 24 – January 4 – Winter Break (school reopens January 5, 2026)
 - January 19 - MLK, Jr. Day
- Parent-Teacher Conferences - Half days: December 10, 11, and 12 - the YMCA will be open for students already signed up for after school care
- Save the Date: [2025-2026 Winter and Spring Concerts](#)

- 6th Grade Moving Up: June 23 at 9 am at EHS

We hope you have a wonderful weekend!

Warm regards,

Eve Feuerstein, Principal, and Nate Peterson, Assistant Principal