

Weekly Update from Seely Place  
[December 19, 2025](#)



*Snowmen building in third grade*

Dear Seely Place Families,

As we come to the close of 2025, it is hard to believe this is our final communication of the calendar year. Over the past year, we celebrated the moving up of 67 sixth graders, welcomed 54 kindergarteners, and embraced 23 new families across grades 1–6. Together, we have continued to grow as learners, educators, and a caring school community.

Today marks the 70th day of the school year, and with winter break beginning next Tuesday, this is the perfect time to pause and reflect. We are deeply grateful to the many people who make Seely Place such a special place each day. To our faculty and staff, thank you for your ongoing commitment to meeting the needs of every child while keeping the health and safety of our community at the forefront. To our front office team, we appreciate your organization, energy, and constant support that keep our days running smoothly. To our custodial team, thank you for maintaining a safe, clean, and welcoming learning environment. To our PTA, we are thankful for today's thoughtful teacher luncheon and for your continued support of programs, trips, and enriching

experiences. To our Seely Place families, thank you for your trust, partnership, and patience throughout the year. And most importantly, to our students, thank you for the joy, curiosity, and inspiration you bring to our school every day. You are the heart of Seely Place.

We are incredibly proud of our community and remain committed to providing an outstanding Edgemont education that supports academic excellence, social development, and emotional well-being. We wish you a restful winter break and a happy, healthy start to 2026.

To close out the year on a fun note, our Student Council Spirit Week continues next week.

- Monday, 12/22: Flannel Day
- Tuesday, 12/23: Holidays Around the World

In addition, we would like to send a reminder to please send your children to school with a coat or jacket each day. While we appreciate that most students are arriving prepared, this past week's evacuation at EHS, which required students to walk to Seely Place, reinforced the importance of wearing appropriate clothing daily. We go outside most days unless weather conditions prevent it, so coats and closed-toe shoes are essential during the winter months to keep students comfortable and safe.

Finally, a Note from the ESF: Since 1993 the [Edgemont School Foundation](#) (ESF) has been a proud partner of the Edgemont school district, working hand in hand with all principals, administrators and teachers to enhance an Edgemont education. **Our newest project will be to design new classroom layouts and provide updated furniture for the outdated C Building classrooms at EHS.** These classrooms are used by all grades, primarily for Math instruction. Current student and teacher surveys show that the existing setup limits collaboration and makes it difficult for teachers to utilize modern learning techniques. As you consider year-end [donations](#), please remember ESF, knowing that all donations directly impact Edgemont students. Happy holidays!

### **Mark your calendars:**

- Schedule Adjustments
  - December 24 – January 4 – Winter Break (school reopens January 5, 2026)
  - January 19 - MLK, Jr. Day
  - February 16 - 20 - No School - Mid Winter Recess
- Thursday, January 15 at 6:30 pm: Grades 5 / 6 Chorus and Band Concert: Grade

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- Wednesday, January 21 at 6:30 pm: Chorus and Grades 4-6 Orchestra Concert
- Monday, June 22: 6th Grade Camp Echo trip - buses depart Greenville at 7:45 am
- Tuesday, June 23 at 9 am: 6th Grade Moving Up at EHS

We will see you on Monday for a short week, but in case we don't have the chance to tell you in person, we wish those who celebrate a very Merry Christmas, Happy Kwanzaa, Happy Hanukkah and Happy New Year!

Warm regards,

Eve Feuerstein, Principal, and Nate Peterson, Assistant Principal