



## NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER 14, 2022

### **December 15<sup>th</sup> (noon dismissal)**

Thursday, December 15, will be a half day to allow teacher to finalize grades to be sent out the next day. School will begin at 9am and will end at noon.

### **Ugly Christmas Sweater Day**

Friday, December 16, is our annual Ugly Christmas Sweater Day! Every student is invited to wear their best ugly Christmas sweater to school. Every homeroom class will also be having their Christmas party on this day. Teachers will let the students and parents know if they need to do anything for their parties. Denim is allowed on this day!

### **Christmas Break**

Friday, December 16, is a half day as it is the last day of the first semester! Christmas break will follow from Monday, December 19 through Monday, January 2. School will resume on Tuesday, January 3.

### **Dine to Donate**

Head to Texas Roadhouse for our Dine to Donate Night on Monday, December 19! Flyers will be sent home on Friday, December 16, for you to present to your waiter on the Dine to Donate night.

### **Schoolworx Messages**

Thank you to those who have been checking your schoolworx messages. Please continue to be checking them at least two times a week. This is important to do especially since we are entering snow season.

### **Social Media**

Remember to follow us on Social Media! Facebook: @emmanuelchristianschool2008 | Instagram: @emmanuelchristian\_school

### **Spirit Week**

Please see back.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

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Thursday, December 15 – Half Day (noon dismissal)

Invoices sent out

Friday, December 16 – Last Day of First Semester (Half Day)

Ugly Christmas Sweater Day

Class Christmas Parties

Friday, December 16 – Report Cards

Monday, December 19 – Dine to Donate Night

Tuesday, January 3 – Return to School after Christmas Break

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## Spirit Week!

Spirit Week is coming up on January 23-27! This event is always an exciting opportunity for the entire student body to get together and have some fun at school! Each day that week, the students will get to dress up with a certain theme and compete in challenging gym games to earn points for their class! The winning class will receive a pizza party in February!!!

As a reminder, all costumes must abide by the guidelines listed on pages 24-28 in the handbook. A few reminders are as follows: all girls must wear **knee-length**, loose-fitting skirts or shorts (**no pants**) and shirts with necklines that are no lower than three fingers from the hollow of the neck, boys may not wear any type of jewelry or grow a beard, and all graphic designs on clothing must be appropriate and tasteful. Any student not abiding by the handbook guidelines will be asked to change. Denim is allowed!

Be ready for CHANGE WARS! Bring your change (or cash) to your homeroom teacher each morning of Spirit Week to add to your bucket! Note: All pennies will count against the class of your choice, so remember to separate your pennies before you bring them to school and ask your teacher to put them in the bucket of the class you want to beat! All proceeds go toward the Junior and Senior Trip.

## SPIRIT WEEK THEMES

### **Monday, January 23:**

- Decades Day

### **Tuesday, January 24:**

- Occupation Day

### **Wednesday, January 25:**

- Jersey Day

### **Thursday, January 26:**

- Wacky Dress/Anything But a Backpack Day – Bring your school books in anything but a backpack. Looking up ideas online may help you come up with a unique and fun alternative for a backpack.

### **Friday, January 27:**

- Countries Day – Represent the state your class chose by dressing up in things that make that country special! See which country your class is down below.

K4/K5 – Netherlands

1<sup>st</sup> – France

2<sup>nd</sup> – Australia

3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> – USA

5<sup>TH</sup> – Italy

6<sup>th</sup> – Canada

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> – Germany

9<sup>th</sup> – Mexico

10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> - England