



## January 2022 Issue # 5

### Important Dates:

- January 13th: Picture Retakes
- January 20th- 21st Century Virtual Showcase
- January 24th: Progress reports distributed

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### NEW Twitter Account for Balmville

Follow us on Twitter at the following address: @balmvilleschool

Dear Parents/Guardians,



We wish each of our families a healthy, prosperous and safe new year. As we move forward into the new year, we would like to ensure that all of our students are practicing safe and healthy habits as the COVID 19 virus continues to impact our community. Please encourage your child to follow the 3W(s) at school. WEAR YOUR MASK; WATCH YOUR DISTANCE AND WASH YOUR HANDS. Please feel free to contact us by either calling the office or emailing us @ [lbuon@necsd.net](mailto:lbuon@necsd.net) or [rcooper@necsd.net](mailto:rcooper@necsd.net).

**3 W's to reduce risk of COVID-19**

<p><b>Wear a mask</b></p> 	<p><b>Wash your hands</b></p> 	<p><b>Watch your distance</b></p> <p>6 ft (~2 meters)</p> 
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COVID-19 RESOLVE TO SAVE LIVES Vital Strategies More info at PreventEpidemics.org #KnowCOVID #PreventEpidemics

**ATTENDANCE COUNTS:** Across the country, **more than 8 million students** are missing so many days of school that they are academically at risk. Chronic absence – missing 10 percent or more of school days due to absence for any reason—excused and unexcused absences, can translate into students having difficulty learning to read by the third-grade, achieving in middle school, and graduating from high school.

# Balmville Elementary School

## 21<sup>ST</sup> Century Virtual Showcase

1/20/2021

5:15 pm- 6:15 pm

Google Meet Link:

<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/r/day/2022/1/20?tab=mc#::-:text=meet.google.com/swv%2Dgmdt%2Dgzc>

### Balmville Elementary Students Donated to Town of Newburgh Animal Shelter



### Balmville Honor Society Conducted a Holiday Food Drive

