



# The Shaw Scoop!

December 2020

*Food for* 

*Even if we're not all in the Building, remember the PA Shaw Way!*

- Respect
- Integrity
- Excellence
- Perseverance

### Important Numbers to Have

- Project Bread: **800-645-8333**
- Mass 211/Mayor's Line **311**
- Rosie's Place: **617.318.0237**
- Office Housing Stability: **617-635-4200**
- Department of Housing & Community Development (**617**) **573-1100**

*Happy Holidays from our Shaw Family to yours! We look forward to saying goodbye 2020 and embracing 2021 with open arms!  
Take care, stay safe and have a wonderful winter break.*



### BPS Food Distribution Sites UPDATE!

Meal sites will be open on 12/21 ,12/22, 12/28, and 12/29

Quincy Elementary will be open on 12/23 and 12/30

**Meal sites will be closed on 12/24 and 12/31**

In addition to providing meals to our students, did you know that BPS provides a week's worth of groceries at specific locations? For locations and times click [here!](#)



### A Note from our Nurse, Rina Ambrose



The Influenza Requirement is due by December 31, 2020. Please fax proof of your students Influenza Vaccine to 617-635-8721. You can also email any Physical Exams, Immunizations and Influenza documentation to her email at [rambrose@bostonpublicschools.org](mailto:rambrose@bostonpublicschools.org). **Having this info on file is a requirement for all students regardless if they are learning in person or remotely**



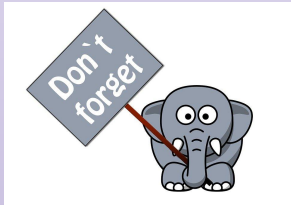
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## Important Dates:



### Girls Inc

- Mondays( 1st grade) 3:30-4:30
- Wednesdays(2nd&3rd) 3:30-4:30

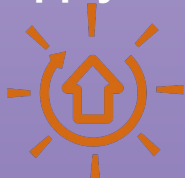
### Doc Wayne( NEW TIME/DAY!)

- Mondays (2nd Grade) 12:00-12:45
- Mondays( 3rd Grade) 12:00-1230

### NO SCHOOL

- 12/24-1/4

ABCD is now accepting applications for Fuel Assistance. Call 617.348.6599 to apply!



## Attend Today So Children Can Achieve Tomorrow

We've dealt with a year unlike any other school year and we recognize that remote learning can be difficult for some. We also recognize that life can get in the way and understand that on some days logging on to zoom may not be possible. Below are some common concerns paired with solutions to support you during remote learning.

Concern	Solution
<p>Is your usually reliable internet not working today? <b>OR</b> Do you have to bring your child to a family member's home on certain days and that family member doesn't have reliable internet?</p> 	<p><b>Contact your child's teacher immediately.</b></p> <p>Your child's teacher can offer an alternative way for your child to engage in remote learning and be marked present for the day.</p> <p><i>We may also be able offer support for your loved ones!</i></p>
<p>Is your child sick?</p> 	<p><b>Proper and Accurate Documentation is required to excuse absences.</b></p> <p>Contact your child's teacher immediately AND submit a letter or a doctor's note to Krystal Dowe (<a href="mailto:kdowe@bostonpublicschools.org">kdowe@bostonpublicschools.org</a>)</p> <p>Questions? Reach out to Gabriella Cruz 857-256-1260</p>
<p>Dealing with an unexpected life situation?</p> 	<p><b>We're here to help and support you but communication with your child's teacher is key.</b></p> <p>Your child's teacher can offer an alternative way for your child to engage in remote learning and be marked present for the day</p>