THIS WEEK AT BCHS

Belonging, Excellence, Accountability, Respect, Safety

June 3 - June 6, 2024

(For archived Newsletters please click here)

Please check out the BCHS Events Calendar https://bchs.crps.ca/.

Check out our Daily School Announcements here.

Student Timetables 2024-2025

Students now have a paper copy of their timetable for 2024-2025. Please go through this with your child and make an appointment at the main office if there are any requested changes. Please note that **June 14, 2024** is the last day to make changes - **changes will not be made in the fall,** except for Grade 12s.

WimWE Big Boat Canoeing Grade 10

On **June 6** Grade 10 students will participate in the last of the WimWE activities for this year. Thanks to the generosity of the Wim and Nancy Pauw Foundation, all Grade 10 students in CRPS have been able to hike, cross-country ski, canoe, and complete the Avalanche Skills Training Level 1 certification. If students have been present for all activities they will earn 1 credit towards graduation.

Canoeing in a big voyageur canoe on Two Jack Lake will be a wonderful end to exploring the great outdoors in Banff National Park (which just happens to be on our doorstep). We extend a big thank you to the teachers at the Canadian Rockies Outdoor Learning Centre for leading this work.

Transport Schedule:

Homeroom 10A

- 8:30 am AM group departs BCHS
- 11:45 am AM group returns BCHS

Homeroom 10B

- 12:00 pm PM group departs BCHS
- 3:15 pm PM group returns BCHS

GEAR LIST

Please wear/bring all of the following items. It is important for the comfort, safety, and enjoyment of the entire group that all participants are outfitted appropriately.

Clothing:

- -close-toed shoes only (NO SANDALS or FLIP FLOPS)
- -extra warm layer
- -quick dry clothing
- -sun hat/buff
- -rain/wind jacket
- -recommended: rain pants and a set of extra clothes

Outdoor Gear:

- -Day Pack
- -1 Litre full Water bottle or more (must be 1 L)
- -snacks

Personal Items:

- -Personal Medications
- -Lip Balm/sunscreen
- -Sunglasses

Please check the weather forecast the day of your canoe trip and be prepared for the weather!



COMMUTER CHALLENGE

JUNE 2 - 8, 2024



Banff Commuter Challenge

Sunday, June 2 - Saturday, June 8

Join the National Commuter Challenge from June 2 – 8 for your chance to win great prizes and celebrate active and sustainable transportation in our community. You can join the challenge as an individual or with your registered workplace.

Participants can log trips and distances for travel to and from work or school that are taken by transit, biking, walking, rolling or carpooling. Visit banff.ca/CommuterChallenge to sign up and participate in the weeklong challenge.

Banff Commuter Challenge 2024

The Town of Banff has invited students and staff to join the National Commuter Challenge from June 2 - 8. This week is intended to celebrate active and sustainable transportation in our community. Students can join the challenge by scanning the QR code displayed around the school to log their distance each day. Participants can log trips and distances to and from work or school taken by transit, cycling, walking, rolling, or carpooling. Prizes are available for a high school student, a local active champion, and a local transit/carpool champion.

Last day of classes and exam timetable

The last day of regularly scheduled classes is **Friday**, **June 14** for all students. **All** assignments are due on this date. The exam timetable is available on our website and below. **Students taking diploma exams are required to take them on the scheduled date as these dates are set by Alberta Education**. If students cannot take the other final exams on the date published they need to talk to their teacher about the possibility of a rescheduled date.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEK 1	June 10th	June 11th	June 12th	June 13th	June 14th
		English 30-1 /30-2 Part A	Social Studies 30-1/30-2 Part A		Last day of classes
			ELA PAT Part B (1 hr 15 mins)	Math PAT Part A (30 mins)	
WEEK 2	June 17th	June 18th	June 19th	June 20th	June 21st
	Math 30-2	English 30/1 Part B	Social Studies 30-1/30-2 Part B	Biology 30	National Indigenous Peoples Day
		Math PAT Part B (1 hr 20 mins)	Social Studies PAT (1hr 20)	Science PAT (1 hr 15)	
	English 10	Math 31	Socials 10	Math 10	
	Socials 20	Science 20		Physics 20	
WEEK 3	June 24th (3 rooms)	June 25th	June 26th	June 27th	June 28th
			Science 30		Last day of school BCHS Graduation
	Math 20 Science 10				





Important Information for Grade 12s

GRADS - YOU MUST MOVE YOUR DATA AT THE END OF THE YEAR or YOU WILL LOSE IT!

- If you are applying for post-secondary scholarships, use a personal email account, not your CRPS email.
- You will need to move your data before you leave BCHS.
- Google has tools to help you including:
 - Download If there are only a few things you want to keep, including items shared with you, download a copy of individual files or folders.
 - o Forward important emails to another personal email account. Learn more.
 - Transfer your content copy your Drive and Email files to a personal Google account. <u>Learn more</u>.
 - Archive/Takeout download a copy of items owned by you in all G Suite services into one zip file. <u>Learn more</u>.
 - Transfer Ownership If others will need to use files you own, you can transfer ownership to someone else at CRPS in sharing options, or they can make a copy for themselves. Learn more.

Parent Portal

Please ensure you can log into Parent Portal. Look for the PowerSchool Parent Portal Quick Link on our school website or <u>click here</u>. This is where you will access report cards, attendance updates, and school fees. If you have trouble with your username or password, please contact the school office.

School Fees

<u>School fees payments are now overdue.</u> You can pay your School Fees online through your PowerSchool Parent Portal Account; the link is on the <u>bchs.crps.ca webpage</u>. Once you sign in, under Navigation click Student Fees.

Payments can be made by Credit Card (MasterCard & VISA) and INTERAC.

If you wish to pay by Cheque, Cash, or Tap, you can do so through the BCHS Main Office.

In cases of financial hardship, please contact Renee Husdal for a Fee Waiver form at 403-762-4411, or email renee.husdal@crps.ca.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Renee Husdal.

Any fees outstanding at the end of the school year will be sent to a collection agency. Grade 12 parents: all school fees must be **paid in full** before ordering grad tickets or grad hoodies,

The Week Ahead

Monday, June 3, 2024

Tuesday, June 4, 2024

- Teacher support at lunch
- Valedictorian interviews 3:30 4 pm
- Scholarship deadlines for Grade 12s

Wednesday, June 5, 2024

Teacher support at lunch

Thursday, June 6, 2024

- Teacher support at lunch
- WimWe Big Boat Canoeing field trip Grade 10A morning, 10B afternoon

Friday, June 7, 2024

Upcoming Dates

- Tuesday, June 11: ELA 30-1 & 30-2 Part A diploma exam
- Wednesday, June 12; Social Studies 30-1 & 30-2 Part A diploma exam
- Wednesday, June 12: PAT Grade 9 Part B English exam
- Thursday, June 13: PAT Grade 9 Part A Math exam
- Friday, June 14: Last day of classes
- Friday, June 14: End of year Awards assembly
- Friday, June 14: Half day Friday
- Monday, June 17: Exam week starts
- Monday, June 17: School council 4:15 pm
- Friday, June 21: National Indigenous Peoples Day
- Friday, June 28: Graduation ceremony
- Friday, June 28: Last day of school for 2023-2024

School Calendar

2023 - 2024 School Calendar

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Click **here** to learn more about Settlement Services in the Bow Valley.

Click here to register as a client.

Teacher Support

Teacher Support sessions run over lunchtime on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. These are sessions for students who need further teacher support to complete assignments or have missed a test due to an absence. Students will need to bring their lunch with them.

Volunteers 2023-2024

All volunteers need to complete a Vulnerable Sector Check with the RCMP every 12 months. This usually only takes a few days - contact our office for more details and a form.

myPass

Just a reminder that Grade 10 - 12 students should set up their myPass so they can access their school transcripts and track their high school credits. Here is a **step by step guide for setting up MyPass**

International Student Program

CRPS is looking for Canmore & Banff families to host our next incredible cohort of 50 international students arriving in August 2024! Make meaningful connections, share your different cultures, learn a new language, and build life-long memories & friendships! Commitments of 5 months and 10 months are available, with monthly remuneration provided. For more information and to apply, contact **international@crps.ca** or 403-609-6072.

Follow this link to find out more!



Other Information

Help your teen connect to nature for better health

Missing important happenings at BCHS, but are awash in emails? Find information through our social media. Get connected, become involved.

News

Parent Resource - 6 Pillars of Well Being. https://www.seethesigns.ca/resources/

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information and newsletter Click Here.

Follow the <u>link</u> to view the 'The Brief'; highlights from the May 22, 2024 Public School Board Meeting.

BCHS Bear Tools

- The 2023/2024 Student / Parent Handbook is here.
- Alberta Education has now made student access to their official transcript of marks available to all Grade 10 - 12 students available through a myPass account (myPass.alberta.ca). Grade 10 marks will start to appear after the first semester.
- Please click this link for the 2022 2024 School Calendar

Please feel free to contact the Principal, Chris Rogers (chris.rogers@crps.ca) with feedback or suggestions or use our feedback <u>link here</u>.