

2025-2026 School Year SUMMER & SEPTEMBER INFORMATION

Warburg School

CONTACT PROCEDURES DURING SUMMER

If you have any questions please email Luke Stevenson (Principal): luke.stevenson@blackgold.ca
You may either email the Principal or leave a message on our school's voicemail at 780-848-2822. Please leave a detailed message with your contact information and specify your inquiry or concern. The school voicemail is checked periodically over the summer.

REPORT CARDS & POWERSCHOOL

Final marks and report cards for all students will be available on your ParentPortal at the end of the day on June 27, 2025

APPEAL PROCEDURES FOR MARKS, CREDITS, REPORT CARDS

Contact Principal Luke Stevenson <u>luke.stevenson@blackgold.ca</u> prior to 4:00 pm on July 12, 2025 for any appeals.

On July 21, 2025, diploma exam marks from June administration will be available on *myPass* on the Alberta Education website.

REGISTRATION OF NEW STUDENTS

All new families are to register their child(ren) online via PowerSchool Registration which is available on the Black Gold School Division website at: New Student Registration

Warburg School Office will reopen on August 20, 2025 (8:00 pm - 4:00 pm). If parents have questions or concerns about their child's 2025-2026 school year please feel free to email our office at ws@blackgold.ca
Parents who do not have a PowerSchool account set up before the end of June will need to contact the office on/after August 20th for assistance either by phone 780-848-2822 or email ws@blackgold.ca
Copies of birth certificate as well as any other legal documents regarding guardianship must be presented at the time of registration.

RETURNING STUDENTS - VERIFICATION FORM

Students who were attending a Black Gold School Division (BGSD) school in 2024-2025 and are returning to a BGSD school in 2025-2026 are automatically registered for the 2025-2026 school year.

Please Note that Pre K students who will be attending Kindergarten are not automatically registered even if they attended a Black Gold school in the previous year. These students will need to register.

All BGSD families are expected to complete the Student Enrollment Verification Form for the 2025-2026 school year. In late August, parents/guardians will receive an email via SchoolMessenger with details on how to access this form during the first week of school.

First Day of School

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

Regular Day Morning Classes Warning Bell: 8:30 am

Regular Lunch Hour Times: 11:30 am

Regular Day Afternoon Classes Warning Bell: 12:10 pm

Regular Day Dismissal Time: 3:05 pm

EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES (ECS): KINDERGARTEN & PRE-KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS

Kindergarten Program:

Full Days - Tuesday/ Thursday with an additional Wednesday class (1-2 per month beginning in October)

First day of Kindergarten is Thursday August 28th, 2025. The kindergarten teacher will email pre-registered families by August 20th to let them know their student's arrival time for the first day.

Students registered after June 29th, 2025 will have registration acknowledged by August 25, 2025.

School Doors open at 8:20 am each day

Morning Classes begin: 8:35 am Lunch Break: 11:30 am - 12:10 pm

Dismissal Time: 3:05 pm

Kindergarten students will be dropped off and picked up at the east school doors. Students riding the bus will be taken directly to/from the bus lane by staff.

Supplies for Kindergarten:

Inside (non-marking) shoes that students can successfully fasten and remove independently. Backpack large enough to hold a lunch kit, snow pants and books safely. An extra set of clothing in a labelled ziplock bag (this will remain in student lockers for the school year). Refillable water bottle.

Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK) is offered at Calmar Elementary School, École Bellevue School, École Corinthia Park School, Linsford Park School, Robina Baker Elementary School, and Thorsby Elementary School. If you have a preschooler who faces challenges like following directions, communication issues, anxiety, or developmental delays, early intervention is crucial. Our Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK) program provides specialized support to help your child thrive – academically, socially, and emotionally. Children may qualify as early as two years eight months old by August 31st of the respective school year if they meet the criteria. Please go to

https://www.blackgold.ca/schools/programs/pre-kindergarten/ to enter intake for free eligibility screening.

English as an Additional Language (EAL) Junior Kindergarten:

The EAL Junior Kindergarten program is a half-day program, four days a week, led by a certified teacher with an Education Assistant at École Dansereau Meadows School in Beaumont and Willow Park School in Leduc. Children may qualify as early as three years eight months old by August 31st of the respective school year if

they meet the criteria. Please go to https://www.blackgold.ca/esl-junior-kindergarten/ to enter intake for free eligibility screening.

To ensure a balance of strengths and needs across all programs, program times will be communicated directly by the school to all eligible families in September once school staff have had the opportunity to meet all the children in person and perform any necessary assessments.

SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

2025-26 Supply lists for Grades 1-12

TIMETABLE & TIMETABLE CHANGES

High School Timetables will be available August 27, 2025. Students' requesting a Timetable change will contact our school counselor, Mrs. Hodges.

POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL CLASSROOM PLACEMENT

Information on classroom placement will be available on PowerSchool Parent Portal on August 27, 2025

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please view our website <u>ws.blackgold.ca</u> for information regarding Warburg School. Our school calendar of upcoming events and important dates is posted on our site under the Calendar tab.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION & SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREAS

Have questions about busing? Start with our FAQ page — it's the quickest way to find answers to common questions.

For instructions on how to apply for transportation for the 2025–2026 school year, visit:

blackgold.ca/apply-for-transportation-Black-Gold-Students

For all other inquiries — including address changes, bus stop concerns, or missing application forms — please email us at transportation@blackgold.ca. Be sure to include your name, phone number, child's name, and bus number (if known) so we can assist you efficiently.

For more information on how to reach the Transportation team, visit: blackgold.ca/contact-transportation

2025-2026 School Year information will be posted to our BGSD website in late August.