



2024-2025 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 28, 2024

APPEAL PROCEDURES FOR MARKS, CREDITS, REPORT CARDS

Contact Principal Luke Stevenson luke.stevenson@blackgold.ca prior to 4:00 pm on July 12, 2024 for any appeals.

On July 19, 2024, 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 21, 2024 (8:00 pm -4:00 pm). If parents have questions or concerns about their child's 2024-2025 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 21st 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 2023-2024 and are returning to a BGSD school in 2024-2025 are automatically registered for the 2024-2025 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 2024-2025 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.

SCHOOL START DATE & TIMES FOR GRADES 1 - 12 STUDENTS

First Day of School

Wednesday, August 28, 2024

Regular Day Morning Classes Warning Bell: 8:26 am

Regular Lunch Hour Times: 11:25 am - 12:05 pm

Regular Day Afternoon Classes Warning Bell: 12:00 pm

Regular Day Dismissal Time: 3:00 pm

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

KINDERGARTEN:

Kindergarten is on Tuesday/Thursday (Additional one or two Wednesdays per month beginning in October)

Thursday, August 29th will be a staggered entry. The teacher will have emailed pre-registered families by August 20th to let them know what time their student will begin the staggered entry day.

Students will remain at school for the full day on August 29th.

Students registered after June 29th will have registration acknowledged by August 25, 2024.

Tuesday, September 3rd will be the start of the regular class schedule:

School doors open at 8:15 am.

Morning begins at 8:26 am

Lunch break: 11:25 am - 12:05 pm

Dismissal time: 3:00 pm

Kindergarten students will be dropped off and picked up at the East school doors.

Bus students will be taken directly to/from the bus lane by Staff.

Supplies for Kindergarten:

Inside (non-marking) shoes that students can fasten and remove independently.

Backpack large enough to hold a lunch kit, snow pants and books safely.

Extra set of clothes in a ziplock bag (this will remain at school)

Refillable water bottle.

Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK):

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

[School Supply lists](#) for grades 1-12.

TIMETABLE & TIMETABLE CHANGES

High School Timetables will be available August 26, 2024. 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 26, 2024

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please view our website [ws.blackgold.ca](https://www.blackgold.ca) 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

[Transportation Information](#). Call 780-955-6034 or 780-955-6048 for inquiries.

2024-2025 School Year information will be posted to our BGSD website in late August.