
BHS News!

January 2026



Dear BHS Seal Families,

Happy New Year and **welcome back to school!** I hope everyone enjoyed a restful holiday break filled with family, friends, and fun. January is a wonderful time for fresh starts and new goals, and I'm excited to see all the great learning and growth that will happen in the months ahead. As we begin this new year, let's continue to work together to make our school a safe, caring, and inspiring place for every student. Thank you to our amazing staff, families, and students for your ongoing support and dedication. Let's resolve to make 2026 a year full of success and positive experiences!

One great way to achieve this resolution is to be present at school every day and to arrive on time. Elementary is the time to start building a habit of good attendance. Being at school every day is one of the most important ways students can succeed. Regular attendance helps students stay connected, keep up with learning, and build strong habits for the future. Let's make good attendance a habit in 2026!

Try to line up vacations and doctors' appointments with the school's schedule whenever possible. You can find the district calendar attached to this newsletter and it's also available on the ASD-S Website. School absences spike in the weeks before and after winter break. It's tempting to extend your vacation by a few days, but remember, those days count as absences and learning happens every day.

Please refer to our January community calendar for more information on events and activities. Also, remember to check your email regularly for notices.

Sincerely,

Tammy Surette
Principal



Thank you for having after school travel plans made early in the day. Please notify us of changes to after school travel plans by 12:00 pm.

Winter is here! Generally, temperatures below -20°C (Wind Chill) would warrant staying inside (POLICY NO. ASD-S 555). School staff monitor conditions carefully to ensure that conditions are safe for outside play. **Thank you for dressing your child/children in warm winter clothing, so they can enjoy outside play throughout the winter season**



Families are asked to establish plans for days when schools are closed, or buses are delayed. Families are also encouraged to [subscribe online](#) to BusPlanner's Parent Portal for email notifications about delays and closures. Announcements are also made through the local radio stations and posted [online](#).

Please note: BHS is in the St. Stephen Education Centre (SSEC), so please listen for closures related to our education centre.

If you feel that conditions in your area are not safe, you have the final decision whether to send your child to school.



It's sneezing season! Please consider sending a box of tissues to your child's class.



Follow us on **Facebook** and **X** for good news updates.

(Please do not use social media to contact us. Contact us via email or telephone.)

GRADES 3-5



Join the **DRAMA CLUB!**

STARTING SOON!

Do you love acting, storytelling, and having fun on stage?

Come and let your creativity shine!

We'll be working on an exciting play full of adventure, bravery, and clever tricks!

Hint: The hero wears green, lives in the forest, and is famous for using a bow and arrow. He helps people who don't have much by sharing what he takes from the rich.

Sign up today and be part of the magic!



BHS Community Calendar



January 2026

REMEMBER Hot Lunch \$ is due on Wednesdays

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
The Home & School will meet the week of Jan. 5- 9 to plan hot lunches. Please watch your email for information about upcoming hot lunch opportunities.				1 HAPPY NEW YEAR 2026 No School	2	3
4 PBIS Be watching for POR's!	5 First day back for staff and students	6 Farm on the Sea Presentations Katelyn Harris	7	8	9	10
11 PBIS Be watching for POR's!	12	13	14 Choir Practice Lunch Recess	15	16	17
18 PBIS Be watching for POR's!	19	20	21 Choir Practice Lunch Recess	22	23	24
25 PBIS Be watching for POR's!	26 PJ Day	27 Storybook Character Day	28 Cozy Sweater Day Choir Practice Lunch Recess	29 Denim on Denim Day	30 BHS Clothing & Colours PBIS Assembly 1:30 Last day of English Prime for grade 5 - French starts Feb. 2	31



ANGLOPHONE SOUTH SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2025-2026
June 2025

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>EVENTS</u>
September	1	Labour Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	2	First Day for Grades 1-5
	2	Transition Day – First Day for Grade 6 and Grade 9 (Schools with combined levels [Elementary/Middle, Middle/High, K-12] will communicate their transition plan)
	2/3	Transition Days – First Day for Kindergarten (half of students attend on either day. Schools will communicate plan)
	3	First Day for Grades 7-8; 10-12
	26	Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
	30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation – NO CLASSES
October	13	Thanksgiving Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	14-17	Registration for Students Entering Kindergarten in 2026-2027
November	4	9-12 – Report Cards Issued
	10	School Improvement Planning – NO CLASSES
	11	Remembrance Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	21	K-8 – Report Cards Preparation – NO CLASSES
	21	9-12 – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
December	1	K-8 – Reports Cards Issued
	5	K-8 – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
	19	K-12 – Last Day of Classes
	22-31	Holidays – NO CLASSES
January	1-2	Holidays – NO CLASSES
	5	First Day of Classes
	19-23	9-12 – English Language Proficiency Assessment /Demonstration of Learning/Course Recovery
	26-27	9-12 – Turnaround Days – NO CLASSES
	28	9-12 – Semester 2 Begins and Report Cards Issued
February	16	Family Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
March	2-6	March Break – NO CLASSES
	13	K-8 – Report Cards Preparation – NO CLASSES
	30	K-8 – Reports Cards Issued
April	2	K-12 – Full Day – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
	3	Good Friday – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	6	Easter Monday – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	7	9-12 – Report Cards Issued
May	1	NBTA Council Day – Provincial – NO CLASSES
	4	NBTA Branch Meeting Day – NO CLASSES
	18	Victoria Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
June	8-12	9-12 – Assessment/Demonstration of Learning/Course Recovery
	19	K-12 – Last Day of Classes – Final Report Card Day (FULL DAY)