



Brooks Secondary School

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Dear Students and Families;

Principal's Message

I want to take this moment to send my sincere thank you to everyone for a year that will not soon be forgotten. Through adversity comes strength and opportunity, and I am so proud of the collective efforts of our capable staff through the many challenges that the pandemic created. Through all the adjustments we made we were able to maintain our focus on the goals of making safety a priority for all, while making in-person learning possible. A great year at Brooks! Thank you, merci, emote!

Retirements

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our retirees: Mr. Mike Austin (Culinary Arts chef instructor), Ms. Suzanne Burbidge (Librarian and Social Studies teacher), Ms. Pat Karis (Education Assistant), and Ms. Heidi Gable (Office Manager). We know students and staff will miss them dearly. We wish them well in their well-deserved retirement and thank them for their long careers at Brooks Secondary!

Vice Principal Team Changes for 2021-2022

Welcome to Mr. Matthew Hull and Mrs. Michelle Doyle as Vice-Principals of Brooks Secondary! They bring diverse knowledge and experiences to the administrative team. They join Mr. Bill Rounis (Principal) and Mrs. Tanya Larkin (Vice-Principal) for the 2021-2022 school year.

Best wishes to Ms. Jennifer Kennedy as she moves to Westview Elementary as Vice-Principal.

Summer Office Hours

The summer schedule for July and August is below. Please see the website for the most up-to-date office hours.

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
		June 30 7:00-3:00	July 1 CLOSED	July 2 7:00-3:00
July 5 7:00-3:00	July 6 7:00-3:00	July 7 7:00-3:00	July 8 7:00-3:00	July 9 7:00-3:00
July 12 7:00-12:00	July 13 7:00-12:00	July 14 7:00-12:00	July 15 7:00-12:00	July 16 7:00-12:00
July 19 CLOSED	July 20 CLOSED	July 21 CLOSED	July 22 CLOSED	July 23 CLOSED
July 26 CLOSED	July 27 7:00-12:00	July 28 7:00-12:00	July 29 7:00-12:00	July 30 7:00-12:00

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
Aug 2 CLOSED	Aug 3 7:00-12:00	Aug 4 7:00-12:00	Aug 5 7:00-12:00	Aug 6 7:00-12:00
Aug 9 CLOSED	Aug 10 CLOSED	Aug 11 CLOSED	Aug 12 CLOSED	Aug 13 CLOSED
Aug 16 7:00-2:30	Aug 17 7:00-2:30	Aug 18 7:00-2:30	Aug 19 7:00-2:30	Aug 20 7:00-2:30
Aug 23 7:00-2:30	Aug 24 7:00-2:30	Aug 25 7:00-2:30	Aug 26 7:00-2:30	Aug 27 7:00-2:30
Aug 30 8:00-4:00	Aug 31 8:00-4:00	Sept 1 8:00-4:00	Sept 2 8:00-4:00	Sept 3 8:00-4:00

Office will be closed Monday, September 6, 2021 for Labour Day, and office hours will return to regular hours (8:00am-4:00pm) on Tuesday, September 7, 2021.

2020-2021 Final Report Cards

Printed report cards will be available for pick-up beginning July 6, 2021 during office hours. Attached to report cards will be student core competency summaries (if applicable), outstanding library or text notices, block awards (if applicable) and 2021-2022 student timetables.

2021-2022 Course Changes

Student timetables will be attached to report cards of returning students. Students may drop-in for appointments to review or make course changes with counsellors/Vice-Principals during the following days:

- Monday, August 30 9:00am-12:00pm
- Tuesday, August 31 9:00am-12:00pm
- Wednesday, September 1 9:00am-12:00pm

Alternatively, students may fill out the form below for changes (please note: any changes will be made beginning on August 30, not before). Course changes will still be available until September 17 during regular school hours with counsellors if you are unavailable during the summer.

First Day of School

The first day of school is Tuesday, September 7, 2021. Busses will run at their planned pick-up times and more information will be available closer to school start-up.

- Grades 9-12: 9:00-10:00am
- Grade 8 Link Crew Orientation: 9:00am – 1:30pm *(based on the Provincial Health Orders, assembly may be virtual.)*

Next Year’s Bell Schedule:



BROOKS SECONDARY SCHOOL WEEKLY SCHEDULE 2021 - 2022

START	END	MONDAY DAY 1	TUESDAY DAY 2	WEDNESDAY DAY 3	THURSDAY DAY 4	FRIDAY DAY 1 DAY 2 DAY 3 DAY 4			
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	A1	C2	B1	D2	A1	C2	B1	D2
10:00 AM	11:00 AM	A2	C1	B2	D1	A2	C1	B2	D1
11:00 AM	11:05 AM	Transition		Transition		Transition			
11:05 AM	12:15 PM	B1	D2	A2	C1	B2	D2	A2	C2
12:15 PM	12:55 PM	Lunch		Lunch		Lunch			
12:55 PM	2:05 PM	C1	B2	D1	A1	C2	B2	D2	A2
2:05 PM	2:10 PM	Transition		Transition		Transition			
2:10 PM	3:20 PM	D1	A1	C2	B1	D2	A1	C2	B2

I look forward to an exciting year. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at 604-483-3171. See you in September!

Sincerely,

Bill Rounis
Principal