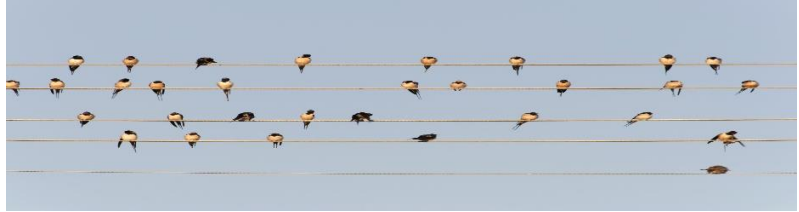


RedHawk Express

March 28, 2021



Getting Ready for a Full Nest!

On Monday April 12, the beginning of the 4th quarter of school, all students will return to full time attendance and in-person learning. On Tuesday March 23 RHS staff were given the opportunity to receive a vaccination and we were given the day to prepare for the return of all students to full time attendance. Classrooms now have their full complement of desks and chairs and physical distancing as a mitigation tool will no longer be possible. Our operational plan has been updated to reflect this change.

As a direct result masks and hand washing/sanitizing become much more important. We will be extremely strict on appropriate mask wearing and students will not be permitted to eat/drink in academic classes.

Class of 2022 (Grade 11) – IMPORTANT!

April 1, 2021 marks the first day that current grade 11 students can apply for entry to NBCC (New Brunswick Community College) for September 2022. Students can secure a spot on the waiting list for their program of choice beginning on Thursday. NBCC fills their programs on a FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED basis and as a result some waiting lists can be upwards of 2 or 3 years long. There are three steps required to apply.

- 1) apply at NBCC.ca
- 2) request that a transcript be sent to NBCC by e-mailing Lydia.Smit@nbed.nb.ca or completing a form at the RHS Main Office
- 3) paying the application fee.

*NOTE: If you are currently in Grade 12 and have no applied yet to your program of choice you should do so before Thursday to ensure you are not behind the many grade 11s's that will be applying province wide.

Weekly Schedule

Mar 29 – Apr 2

Monday – A-K

Tuesday – L-Z

Wednesday – A-K

Thursday – L-Z

Friday – NO SCHOOL

Apr 5-9

Monday – NO SCHOOL

Tuesday – A-K

Wednesday – L-Z

Thursday – A-K

Friday – L-Z

Upcoming Events

Tue Mar 30 → Grade 8
Family Info (via TEAMS)

Apr 6-9 → Re-Assessment

April 13 → Report Card Day

April 14 (AM) & April 15 (4-6)

→ Parent Teacher Conf.

Tue Apr 13 → Class of 2021

Graduation Planning Meeting

Supporting Your Students @Home

COURSE SELECTION – Only 25% of students have completed their course selection for 2021-2022 school year thus far and the deadline is Friday April 2. Parents & Guardians are asked to sit with their students and complete the process by following the steps below.

- Go to PowerSchool Public Portal (Same place you view grades/attendance)
- Select Class Registration tab
- Click on the pencil icons for each section of the course selection process and select the appropriate courses. Please note.
 - English 9, 10, 11 have been split in to two courses A & B (please select both courses)
 - French Immersion Students should select FI courses.
 - There are sometimes multiple pages of choices, be sure to view all of them.
- Once all selections have been made (10 courses and 2 alternates) press SUBMIT (located on the Bottom Right-Hand Corner)

Reminders and Celebrations

MUSIC Students → All music students, including those in grade 9 entering music in Q4, will need to carry a set of headsets to class daily. They should be the AUX or ½ inch style headphones to allow for all students to play instruments while not bothering others. Please note that Bluetooth headsets will not work.

Building materials → Our Mill and Cabinet instructor Jeremy Lemire is inviting donations of wood and other building materials that you might have to donate. The price of wood has risen considerably and with the full return to school we will have greater need for extra materials as students will have nearly double the time to work on their final projects. If you have anything to donate, please e-mail Jeremy.Lemire@nbed.nb.ca

Monitoring Gradebooks– Now is the time to be reviewing grades on PowerSchool with your students. There are 4 school days left before re-assessment week and the end of Q3. Teachers have been working hard to keep gradebooks up to date – if you have questions about your students' gradebook please contact the teacher directly.

Theme Days → **Grads** are invited to participate in Jersey Days on Monday and Tuesday of this week and Twin Days on Wednesday and Thursday.

Looking ahead to April 12 -16 the **SRC invites students** to prepare outfits for Tuesday April 13 (Tropical Day), Thursday April 15 (Jersey Day) and Friday April 16 (ULTIMATE Red & White Day)

8 school days until the RedHawks are back in the Nest!

53 School Days until Graduation!

The countdown is on...

