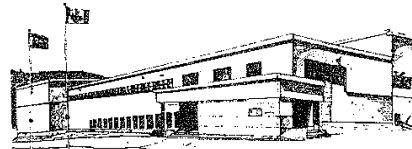


# BELLEISLE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Families of BRHS Students:

This is the end of the seventh week since Belleisle Regional High School closed and on behalf of the BRHS staff we thank you for your on-going patience and understanding over this time period. The “Continuity of Learning Plan,” was announced on April 2 and since then our 19 teachers have worked hard to connect with families on-line or on the telephone. It has been a steep learning curve for us, and we are grateful for your support and the work you are able to do with your students. We appreciate that family situations are varied and we in no way expect you to take on the role of a classroom teacher, as we know our teachers cannot offer the same learning opportunities they do inside the classroom.

BRHS will remain closed for the remainder of the year. Mr. Chaisson, in consultation with BRHS staff, has developed a process and time frame to allow for the retrieval of items from the school which is being shared with you through School Messenger/ school website. **This retrieval date will be May 7<sup>th</sup>.**

Below I have outlined some general guidelines for retrieving student items. It is critical that everyone respect the safety guidelines of Public Health so we can ensure the health and safety of our students, staff, and families.

## **Procedure:**

At BRHS, for grades 6-8, a parent/guardian is asked to pick up the items with their child (ren) as per their scheduled retrieval time, **see below**. Staff is not packaging up the student’s items as they are doing at BES. I am requesting that **families bring a bag big enough** to take all their child’s (ren’s) belonging home with them. At high school level, grades 9 -12, students may clean out their locker, pick up PPE or projects in the skills trades area. Again, the school is not packing up the materials, please remember to bring bags.

**If you are having another person pick up your student’s belongings or you are deemed an essential worker and cannot make the regularly scheduled time you must notify Mr. Chaisson in advance @ [micheal.chaisson@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:micheal.chaisson@nbed.nb.ca)**

All families entering the school will come through the front entrance of the school and you will be met by a staff member. Each person will be asked to review the questions on the poster from Public Health displayed in the window of the front doors. On entry to the school you will be asked to wash your hands using designated washrooms. It is recommended that you wash your hands again after leaving the school.

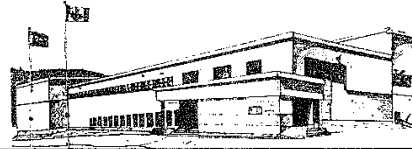
**While in the school please maintain physical distancing of 2m/6ft.** There will be staff hall monitors in place to help give directions and indicate that you are to leave the school through the back door, leading to the parking lot at the back of the school. In the back-parking lot tables will be set up with lost and found items that may belong to your family.

**A mask is not required but as in other public places it is encouraged.**

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Students who regularly use assistive technology as part of their educational program will be able to have the devices picked up for home use. A BRHS staff member will assist you with this. The items have been cleaned thoroughly.

**Please note that families can take home school textbooks to support them in their continued learning.**

**Please note that families cannot return any textbooks/library books/materials to the school at this time.**

Schools will open one evening as we know some parents are essential workers and may not be available during day hours.

School fields and playgrounds will remain closed until further notice.

Thank you for taking the time to review this important information. It is essential that everyone work together to ensure it is done in a safe and efficient manner. A reminder that for updated information for families, please check our website, Twitter or Facebook. We also send parent emails using School Messenger.

BRHS staff appreciates your support. We hope you and your family are doing well.

Yours truly,

Micheal Chaisson

Principal  
Belleisle Regional High School