

# BAYVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL

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## Administration

Ms. A. Higgins Wright, Principal

Ms. K. Irvine, Vice-Principal; Mr. S. Ishiguro, Vice-Principal; Ms. S. Sadacharan, Vice-Principal

## Learning Model Changes

In September, we shared that we would provide families further information to support switching between in-person and remote learning models prior to mid-semester.

Students learning remotely may request to return to face-to-face learning by contacting the school. Changes will be facilitated within 1-2 days. Transportation may require additional time to initiate.

Requests may also be made to move from in-person learning to remote learning. Please contact the school to request a switch to remote learning. Staff from the school will make arrangements to contact you to review the request and share information about the hybrid learning model.

- Learning model changes for students affected by COVID-19 will be facilitated within 2-3 school days.
- Model change requests will be facilitated as soon as possible and prior to mid-semester reporting.

After mid-semester reporting (**after November 17th**), students and families may request a short-term COVID-19 related model change or a long-term model change for other circumstances by contacting the school.

Families can continue to access COVID-19 related information from the Board at [www.yrdsb.ca/schoolreopening](http://www.yrdsb.ca/schoolreopening) including [frequently asked questions](#).

## Indoor Sports

We are pleased to announce that, after consultation with York Region Public Health and with increased health and safety requirements, indoor sports may now resume for students who are fully vaccinated. At our school, providing that we find coaching/supervision, this means that sports such as volleyball and basketball may resume.

For any indoor high-contact sports offered as an extra-curricular activity, all participating students must provide proof of full vaccination. York Region District School Board is developing a secure portal where students will be able to attest their vaccination status for the purposes of indoor high-contact extra-curricular activities. More information on this process will be shared as it becomes available. Please note that vaccine attestation will only be required for students participating in high-contact indoor extra-curricular sports.

We know the importance of extra-curricular activities and the positive effect they can have on students. We appreciate everyone's patience and cooperation as we look to resume these activities in a manner that is safe for all participants.

## School Council Meeting - REVISED Date

The next School Council meeting will occur virtually on **Tuesday, November 9th** from 7:00-9:30. The meeting link will be shared in a separate email.

## On-Time School Arrival

Thank you for encouraging your child(ren) to get to school on time. Doing so supports their ability to learn and engage in classroom activities. Please remember that our building is large and it can take several minutes to travel throughout. As the weather gets colder and more students may be dropped off, please be sure to build in extra time to arrive.

## Renew Computer Technology (RCT)

These links contain the [revised letter](#) and [flyer](#) regarding the purchasing of refurbished computers.

## Guidance Message – Nov 5, 2021

Here is a [link](#) to all the Guidance Messages.

Guidance on Instagram: [@bss.guidance](#) / Gr12 Google Classroom [qgy6heq](#)

Guidance Counsellor	Student <u>Last</u> Name	Email
Ms. Garito	A to F	<a href="mailto:maureen.garito@yrdsb.ca">maureen.garito@yrdsb.ca</a>
Ms. Jarrett	G to Lim	<a href="mailto:keri.jarrett@yrdsb.ca">keri.jarrett@yrdsb.ca</a>
Ms. Shah	Lin to St	<a href="mailto:sheila.shah@yrdsb.ca">sheila.shah@yrdsb.ca</a>
Ms. Won	Su to Z	<a href="mailto:joon.won@yrdsb.ca">joon.won@yrdsb.ca</a>
Ms. Chen	Guidance Secretary	<a href="mailto:iris.chen@yrdsb.ca">iris.chen@yrdsb.ca</a>

## Appointments

Guidance appointments can be made on Teach Assist under 'Appointment Bookings'. Book with your alpha counsellor based on your last name. Choose the day you would like to meet by clicking on the calendar. **YOU CANNOT BOOK SAME DAY APPOINTMENTS.** A confirmation of the appointment will appear as a yellow bar on your Teach Assist account if you follow the steps correctly. Appointments are in person for students in the building. Appointments are via phone for remote students. Remote students, please email your counsellor a cell number to reach you prior to the appointment.

## November

- 6 Carleton University Open House **register [here](#)**
- 8 University of British Columbia virtual presentation 11:45-12:40. Link shared in Grades 11 & 12 Grade Google Classrooms
- 8&9 Grade 10 Guidance class visits during Period 1
- 9 Seeking Scholarships workshop *Planning & Funding Post-Secondary Education* Click [HERE](#) to register.
- 16 MCPHS presentation on Health Sciences programs for Canadian students
- 19 Date to send in semester 1 midterm marks to OCAS/OUAC
- 20 If applying to Queen's University Major Admission Awards, students must have applied to Queen's by this date.
- 24 McMaster virtual presentation 3:15-4:00pm info to be shared closer to the date
- 26 Queen's Chancellor Scholarship nominations due to Guidance by 3:00 pm

## Guidance Presentations

Guidance provides students with a series of presentations for all grades. Here is a [link](#) to the presentation on the Guidance webpage of the school website. Guidance has completed presentations on applying to college and university. Here is a [link](#) to the presentations on the Guidance webpage.

## Volunteer / Community Involvement

Guidance is **ONLY** collecting **up to 40 hours**. Here is the [FORM](#) to complete. Please refer to our [website](#) for what is eligible and ineligible for this school year. When you complete your hours, email a **SCANNED** copy to your alpha counsellor. Students need prior approval from your alpha counsellor. Make sure to include in the name of the organization, the supervisor name and phone number in your email.

## Seeking Scholarships

The November-January Report has been posted in the Gr12 Google Classroom. Seeking Scholarships is hosting a *Planning & Funding Post-Secondary Education* workshop on November 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm Click [HERE](#) to register.

## Queen's Major Admission Awards – Queen's Chancellor's Scholarship

Students who demonstrate superior academic ability, creative and original thinking, involvement in school or community activities, and proven leadership can apply for a Queen's major admission award. To be considered for the major admission awards, students must apply for admission to Queen's on OUAC no later than November 20<sup>th</sup> to ensure that you gain access to SOLUS to submit your MAA application.

If you are interested in the Queen's Chancellor's Scholarship, the applicant must receive nomination from Bayview Secondary School. If you are interested in being nominated, please submit your application to Mrs. Jarrett, [Keri.Jarrett@yrdsb.ca](mailto:Keri.Jarrett@yrdsb.ca), by Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm. Students will be required to complete the MAA application, including a Credit Counselling summary (CCS) and letter of reference if nominated. For the purpose of submission to Mrs. Jarrett, the MAA application will be the only thing submitted (no need to submit the CCS or letter of reference). Information regarding the scholarship can be found [here](#).

## Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences in Boston

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences is the oldest university in Boston, MA. MCPHS University has more than 100 degree offerings that all focus on the health sciences. Canadian high school students are especially interested in the direct entry and pathway programs for: *Doctor of Pharmacy, Pre-Med/Medical Doctor, Physician Assistant Studies, Doctor of Optometry, Doctor of Physical Therapy*...just to name a few!

The Canadian Student Information Session is Tuesday November 16<sup>th</sup> from 6pm – 7pm EST. Students can either scan the QR code in the graphics or register in advance using this Zoom

link: [https://mcphs.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUucemhqj8uHdA6Ygnv\\_vp1xNbUI0Jnfumx](https://mcphs.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUucemhqj8uHdA6Ygnv_vp1xNbUI0Jnfumx)

### Transcripts **\*\*printed ONCE per week (Fridays)\*\***

Transcripts are an official record of Ontario secondary school credit courses that you have completed. Transcripts do not show courses you are currently enrolled in. Transcripts should only be requested for post-secondary education institutions (outside of Ontario), Canadian citizenship and for scholarships. **If you need to request a transcript, please email your guidance counsellor.** Transcripts will be printed only once per week, every Friday. Please plan your requests accordingly as we will not be printing them on various days.