

September 2024  
ESBCHS Principal's Report



<b>September 23-27</b>	<b>National Week of Truth and Reconciliation</b>
<b>September 30</b>	<b>National Truth &amp; Reconciliation Day (No School)</b>
<b>October 11</b>	<b>PD Day - No School</b>
<b>October 14</b>	<b>Thanksgiving - No School</b>
<b>October 15</b>	<b>Academic Awards Presentation For Gr. 11/12s</b>
<b>October 17</b>	<b>Parent Grad Meeting @ 6:30</b>
<b>November 1</b>	<b>Quarter 1 End</b>
<b>November 1</b>	<b>PD Day - No School</b>
<b>November 6</b>	<b>Parent/Teacher Conferences - In Person (4:30 - 8 pm)</b>
<b>November 7</b>	<b>Parent/Teacher Conferences - In Person (4:30 - 8 pm)</b>
<b>June 7, 2025</b>	<b>Grad Ceremony (Hold the Date!)</b>

- It's been a great start to the 24/25 school year.....
  - Grade Level Assemblies
  - Bandits Football home football game
  - Meet the Teacher Night
  - A special presentation from Cadmus Delorme on Reconciliation.
  - Leadership spirit events
  - AND the upcoming Terry Fox Run and Orange Shirt Day
- School Enrolment
  - Our present school enrollment is **1194**. (449 -Gr. 10s, 396- Gr. 11s, 345- Gr. 12s, 5 -R12s) .
  - We welcome Mrs. Temple (ELA teacher), Mr. Welz (Sci. teacher), Ms. Berreth (Sci. teacher), Mr. Brown (ELA teacher), Ms. Cameron (CTS teacher), Ms. Foulston (Sci. and CTS teacher), Mrs. Kallis (LEAP teacher), and Mrs. Froland (RISE teacher).
- Varsity athletics are back!
  - Volleyball, Golf, Cross Country, and Football athletes are in full swing.
    - The Sr. Football team is undefeated. Also, we added a NEW Jr. Football team.
    - Volleyball is running 4 full teams.
    - NEW Girls Flag Football
- ESBCHS has an assessment plan that outlines how we assess our students, upcoming diploma and provincial achievement exam dates, and awards criteria. Please see the assessment plan.  
[School Assessment Plan](#)
- Our Student Services department, Mrs. Wohlgemuth (A-G), Mrs. Osness (H-M), and Mrs. Nelson (N-Z) are happy to support the emotional well-being of all students. If your child has experienced any anxiety with start-up or needs any emotional or academic support, our Student Services team is there to help! Their Admin pairs are Mrs. Macarthur (A-D), Mr. Hancock (E-K), Mrs. Stroud (L-P), and Mrs. Francis (N-Z).
- ÉSBCHS continues to run a Breakfast program before school from 8:00 - 8:25 am. If a student is in need of breakfast or forgot to eat before leaving home, we are there to support them.

- An additional modular classroom has been added to our campus. We now have 4 modular classrooms.
- Council of School Councils (CoSC)
  - Waiting to hear details on meetings/events for 24-25.
- Junior High band continues this year on Tue/Thu mornings from 7-8 am. This is a great opportunity to develop instrumental music in our community!
- Please give us a follow at @esbchs on Instagram! A picture is worth a thousand words and we post almost daily! Our site is a great source of info for all going-ons at ESBCHS. Thanks to the Leadership group for contributing. As well our website is regularly updated, including a tab dedicated to our School Council !