



BRITANNIA NEWS UPDATES FOR FAMILIES

FRIDAY, JUNE 19th, 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we complete the final week of classes, we would like to thank our students who have entered the building for being so attentive to the health & safety protocols we have in place. Great work!
Some information about the events of next week:

Report Card Distribution

June 25th is Report Card Distribution day. Students are invited to come to the school to pick up their report card along with any awards/certificates they may be receiving.
Due to restrictions from COVID 19, the process will be considerably different this year. Students are to come at their assigned time and line up at the north gym entrance. They will then be directed to enter the gym foyer and proceed to their grade table. Once they have received their report card, they will exit via the southside doors.

Report Card Pickup Schedule	
Last names:	Time
A – F	11:00 to 11:30
G – L	11:45 to 12:15
M – R	12:30 to 1:00
S – Z	1:15 to 1:45

Report cards **will also be available** on the [MyEd Family Portal](#) by 3:00 pm on the 23rd. There is only one account for each student and parents/guardians to share. For any student/family who has yet to login to MyEd, please go to the [Britannia Secondary website](#) and click on the [MyEducationBC link](#).

Please use the following for your initial login:

- Login ID: student number
- Password: Brit\$2019

For more detailed instructions about signing in to MyEd, please refer to [the MyEd Page of the Britannia Website](#).

Report Card Final Marks

The final mark on the report card is based on progress prior to Spring Break plus assessment of learning opportunities that students engaged in after the Spring Break. Final grades are the same or higher than the cumulative mark the student would have attained on March 13, 2020 if the school year ended on that date.

Due to the Covid-19 response, Year End Report Cards will look a bit different:

- Students will NOT receive a term 3 mark in each of their courses but will receive a comment and work habit.
- Each student will receive a final grade in each of their courses.

- Student marks may improve but will not decrease from their pre-spring break cumulative grade. Given some teachers did assessments after the end of Term 2 but before Spring Break, the pre-spring break grade is not identical to the Term 2 grade in every case.

Graduation 2020 Walkthrough

The Class of 2020 Walkthrough will take place on **June 23, 2020 from 12:00 to 4:00 pm.**

Students will enter the school at their [assigned time](#) through the entrance by the ice rink. It is very important that this schedule is followed.

They will put on their cap and gown and walk through the decorated halls to the auditorium.

In the auditorium, each graduate will have their name and their graduation message read as they cross the stage, just as would be done at a regular graduation ceremony. The graduates will receive their graduation certificate and any awards and scholarships they may be receiving. Each student will be professionally photographed as they cross our auditorium stage and photos will be also taken of the grads as they walk through the school. The photos and will be made available to them at a later date.

The Walkthrough ceremony will be **livestreamed** and a link to this will be on the [Britannia Website](#) on Tuesday morning.

Further information is found in the [message from Ms. Kenny](#) and on this [map of the route](#).

Due to the restrictions of provincial health protocols, we are unable to invite parents to the grad ceremonies in the auditorium. Parents may wait for students at the north entrance to the gym where there will be opportunities for family photos that adhere to physical distancing guidelines.

Congratulations Class of 2020!

School Materials: Laptops, Textbooks, Library Books, Jerseys

Thank you to students who have already returned borrowed school materials. As our learning resources are limited, it is essential that students return all borrowed items.

School loaned laptops: Students who have borrowed laptops must return them by Wednesday, June 24th. Please drop off the laptop (with powercord) to the main office. All other materials can be put in the drop box outside the main office. Please ensure items are identified with student's name and the teacher to whom it belongs. Any outstanding items will be attached to the student's school cash online account.

Lockers

Students are again reminded to come into the school to clean out their locker and remove their lock. The school will not be responsible for any items left in lockers.

Food Event – Thursday, June 25

The Lotus Light Charity Society will be distributing free fresh produce in the Britannia Community Center parking lot on Thursday, June 25th at 1:00 pm. Families are encouraged to bring a cart to transport the food home.

Take care,

The Brit Admin

Britannia Website: <https://www.vsb.bc.ca/schools/britannia-secondary/Pages/default.aspx>