

Bethlehem Catholic High School



Grade 8 Parent Night

Land Acknowledgement

We gratefully acknowledge that we live, work, gather, and pray on Treaty 6 territory - traditional territories of First Nations including Cree, Dene, Nakota, Lakota, Dakota, and Saulteaux - and traditional homelands of the Métis Nation. We are respectful and thankful for the First Nations and Métis ancestors of this land and commit ourselves to the work of Truth and Reconciliation, as we are all Treaty people.



First Nations,
Métis and Inuit
Education



Bethlehem Catholic High School Prayer

Heavenly Father,

**Let the light of our faith lead us
closer to You, as the Star of
Bethlehem invites us to Your Son.**

**Thank You for all of our talents, gifts
and blessings. Guide us to use them
wisely so as to bring You honour and
glory.**

**Let our words and actions reflect
Your will to love and serve one
another.**

**We make this prayer through Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Holy Family of Bethlehem; pray for us.



Our Catholic Identity



We begin each day with morning devotion and prayer, as well as anytime we gather as a large group. We always end our prayer by asking the Holy Family of Bethlehem, to pray for us.

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Bethlehem offers a faith-based education that celebrates our Catholic values and provides unique experiences for personal growth.

What makes us unique?

- **Our Catholic Identity**
- **A Wonderful Facility**
- **Supports for Learning**
- **Specialized Programming**
- **Exceptional Extracurricular**
- **Programs for Grade 9**



Our Facility



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Supports for Learning – Student Services



- Priest and Teacher Chaplain
- School Counselors
- RAP Teacher
- Indigenous Student Achievement Coordinator
- School Social Worker
- SSWIS Worker
- School Resource Police Officer
- Administration Team

Specialized Programming

- French Immersion
- Ukrainian Bilingual
- Advanced Placement - English, French, Psychology
- EAL - English as an Additional Language
- Functional Integrated Programming
- Alternative Education Programming
- Learning Assistance Team



- English and Math Classes (Supported, Bridged)
 - Extension
 - Lunch Tutorials



Extracurricular Programs



ATHLETICS

- **Badminton**
- **Basketball**
- **Cross Country**
- **Curling**
- **Football**
- **Golf**
- **Soccer**

- **Track & Field**
- **Unified Sports**
- **Volleyball**
- **Wrestling**



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Extra- Curricular – Activities & Clubs



- Art Club
- Board Games Club
- Creative Writing Club
- Drama/Musical
- Evening with the Stars
- Female Lifting Club
- Global Bridges
- Indigenous Student Leaders
- Jazz Band
- Little Way Club
- Lost Stars (dance)
- Media & SNL
- Outdoor Ed. Club
- Student Representative Council (SRC)
- Robotics Club
- Tech Squad
- Yearbook/Photos
- Youth Action Circle

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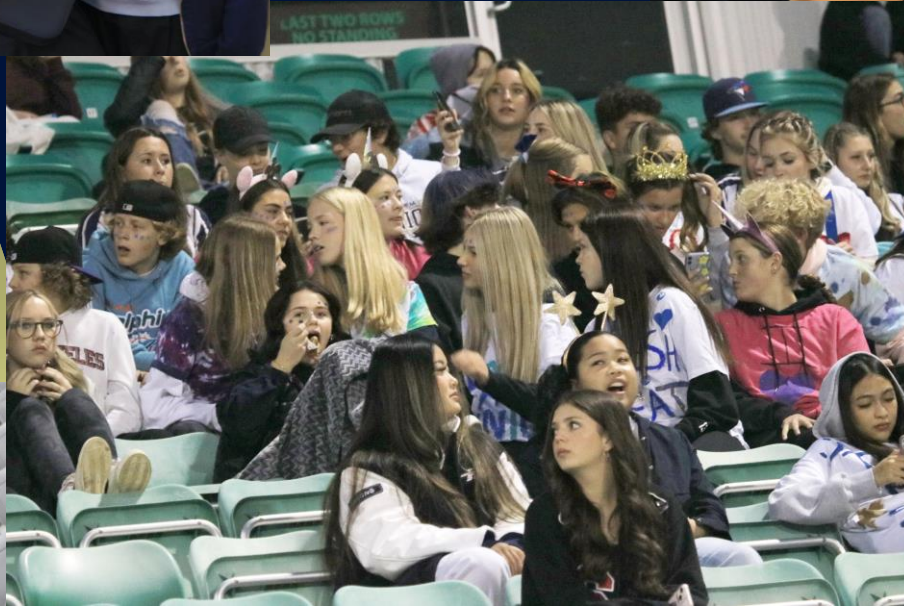


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Welcome Grade 9s!

Elementary to High School

Regular Day

Period 1	70	8:40 - 9:50
Period 2	60	9:55 - 10:55
Break	10	10:55 - 11:05
Period 3	70	11:05 - 12:15
Lunch	50	12:15 - 1:05
Period 4	60	1:05 - 2:05
Period 5	60	2:10 - 3:10

- Number of students
- 5 period day, hour long classes
- 2 semesters
(Sept – Jan, Feb – June)
- Students move classrooms
- Individual lockers
- Cafeteria
- Drivers Ed
- Transportation

Elementary to High School

- Course choice
- End of semester assessments
- Classes are numbered based on the grade level:
 - 90 are Grade 9
 - 10 are Grade 10
 - 20 are Grade 11
 - 30 are Grade 12

Grade 9 Transition & Courses

Transition to Bethlehem

Benefit of one teacher & same group of students for two classes each semester (includes 4 of the required classes)



- *Transition English Language Arts*
- *Transition Math classes*
- *Transition Phys. Ed and Arts Education*

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Full List of Grade 9 Required Classes:

Required Courses (8)

<u>x</u> English Language Arts A90	<u>x</u> Mathematics A90	<u>x</u> Social Studies 90	<u>x</u> Science 90
<u>x</u> English Language Arts B90	<u>x</u> Mathematics B90	<u>x</u> Catholic Studies 90	<u>x</u> Physical Education 90



Grade 9 Class Choices:

Student Support Students requiring Learning Assistance or EAL support will have programming needs discussed with school personnel.	Elective Courses Please indicate a first (1) and second (2) choice from Group A	
<input type="checkbox"/> Learning Assistance <input type="checkbox"/> English as an Additional Language Students who require 1 LAT or EAL class MUST select their elective from Group A. Students who require 2 LAT or EAL classes will not have an elective in their schedule.	<u>GROUP A</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Band 90 - _____ (instrument) Do you rent or own your instrument? (please circle one) <input type="checkbox"/> Arts Education 90 (Art, Drama, Music)	<u>GROUP B</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Media 90 <input type="checkbox"/> General Practical Arts 90 (Clothing, Foods, Woodworking)

Grade 9 Group A Elective: Choice #1 - Arts Education – Art, Drama, Music



Grade 9 Group A Elective: Choice #2 - Band



Grade 9 Group A Elective: Supported Courses

- Learning Assistance tutorial (LAT)
- English as an Additional Language tutorial (EAL)

Grade 9 Group B Elective Choices:



Digital Arts 90 - Components of Design, Photography, Graphic Arts, Animation & Communication Media

General Practical Arts 90 - Clothing, Foods & Woodworking



Grade 9 Group C Elective:



Choral 90

- elective credit for an 11th class
- class takes place over two lunch hours each week



Sample Grade 9 Schedule (English Program)

Semester 1

Per. 1 – (Day A) Physical Education 90
(Day B) Arts Education 90 or
Band 90

Per. 2 – English A90

Per. 3 – Catholic Studies 90

Per. 4 – Science 90

Per. 5 – Mathematics A90

Semester 2

Per. 1 – (Day A) Physical Education 90
(Day B) Arts Education 90 or
Band 90

Per. 2 – English B90

Per. 3 – Social Studies 90

Per. 4 – Elective

Per. 5 – Mathematics B90

Tips for High School Success

1. Academics

- Do your best, hand in assignments, and access supports

2. Attendance

- Attend class regularly and get involved in extracurricular activities

3. Behavior

- Be a positive member of our school community



Registration Process

GREATER SASKATOON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Student Registration Form School _____
Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools Language _____ School Year _____
Students who are not Canadian Citizens must contact the Newcomer Registration Centre, 420-22nd St E. 306-659-7000

Student

Legal Last name _____ Primary Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
 Legal First Name _____ Street Address _____
 Legal Middle Name(s) _____
 Preferred Last _____ City _____ Prov _____ PC _____
 Preferred First _____ Land Location _____
 Preferred Middle _____ QS SEC RL TWSP REG MER
 Gender _____ Date of birth _____
MM/DD/YYYY Mailing Address (if different than property address)
 Student e-mail _____ Street Address _____
 Religion (Catholic or Non-Catholic) _____ RR Number/ PO Box _____
 Parish _____ City _____ Prov _____ PC _____
 Previous School Name _____ City _____

Has your child ever been enrolled in a school in Saskatchewan? Yes No

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Last, First name _____ Property Address (if not living with student)
 Street Address _____
 Relationship _____
 City _____ Prov _____ PC _____
 Emergency Priority (1,2,3) _____
Emergency priority is the order in which a parent/guardian will be called.
 Number 1 will be the first contacted
 Land Location _____
 QS SEC RL TWSP REG MER
 Parent/Guardian Lives with student
 Emergency Contact (Y,N) Legal Guardianship
 Primary Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
 Work Phone _____ Mailing Address (if different than student/property address)
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- You will receive a registration card and a brochure from your teacher at the end of the presentation today. Registration cards will be returned to your Grade 8 teacher.

- Registration forms will be brought by Grade 8 teachers to the Grade 8 afternoon on Thurs, Feb. 6.

- The sooner the better & only at one school!

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Registration forms are due
asap.

Grade 8s visit Bethlehem
Thur. Feb. 6th afternoon

Course verification April/May

Schedule in August



Tour & Meet Staff

French immersion - please remain in the theatre

- Tour school
- Commons to meet staff & ask questions
 - Learning Assistance & Modified
 - English as an Additional Language
 - Extra-curricular Athletics
 - Counsellor
 - Admin

French Immersion

- A French Immersion Program where students are able to earn a Bilingual French Immersion certificate upon Graduation.
- To graduate with a French Immersion certificate, students must complete twelve courses at the Secondary level where the language of instruction is French.

Grade 9 Classes French

1. Français A90
2. Français B90
3. Études Catholiques 90
4. Sciences Humaines 90
5. Mathématiques A90
6. Mathématiques B90
7. English A90
8. Science 90
9. Physical Education 90
10. Band 90 or Arts Education 90

Full List of Grade 9 French Immersion Required Classes:

Required French Courses (9)

Français A90
 Mathématiques A90
 Études catholiques 90
 Science 90
 English Language Arts 90
 Français B90
 Mathématiques B90
 Science humaines 90
 Physical Education 90

Student Support

Students requiring Learning Assistance or EAL support will have programming needs discussed with school personnel.

Learning Assistance

English as an Additional Language

Students who require an LAT or EAL class will not have an elective in their schedule.

Elective Courses (1)

Please indicate a first (1) and second (2) choice

Band 90 - _____ (instrument)

Arts Education 90 (Art, Drama, Music)

French Immersion

GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
<u>Études Catholiques 10</u>	<u>Études Catholiques 20</u>	<u>Études Catholiques 30</u>
<u>Histoire 10</u>	<u>Histoire 20</u>	<u>Sciences sociales immersion 30</u>
ELA10 or ELB10	ELA 20	ELA30 or ELB30
<u>Français immersion 10</u>	<u>Français immersion intégré B20</u>	<u>Français immersion 30</u>
<u>Fondements de math et precalcul 10</u>	<u>Français immersion 20</u>	6 **one additional 30 level class
<u>Littératie financière 10</u>	one Level 20 Math	7
Science 10	one Level 20 Science	8
Wellness 10	3	9
1	4	10
2	5	11



Questions?

- size of classes

Speaking French