2025-2026



SEPTEMBER 8-12, 2025

SEPTEMBER 10 - PICTURE DAY

SEPTEMBER 23 - PICTURE RETAKE DAY

SEPTEMBER 23 - ELAA POST SECONDARY INFORMATION FAIR

SEPTEMBER 25 - REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM - RAP PRESENTATION

SEPTEMBER 26 - TERRY FOX WALK

SEPTEMBER 29 - ORANGE SHIRT DAY

SEPTEMBER 30 - NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION (school closed)



2025-2026 BGSD Division Calendar



The Library Learning Commons is excited to welcome Grade 10 English classes for a fun and informative orientation! Be sure to ask your Grade 10 English student about their visit —

they might have discovered something new and had an interaction with the one and only Cookie Monster!





The JV Girls Volleyball Team is in need of a coach! If you are interested, please contact Ms. Fedor ASAP at crissi.fedor@blackgold.ca

#### POST-SECONDARY OPEN HOUSE INFORMATION

Post-secondary open house info is available on the digital billboard in the JMHS foyer!

2025 - Alberta Post-Secondary Open House Info

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## OFF-CAMPUS PROGRAMMING AND WORK EXPERIENCE

To sign-up for work experience during the school year, RAP or the Green Certificate program, please see Mrs. van Steenis during block 2 in the office or contact her by email at: kim.vansteenis@blackgold.ca

Sign-up for the Registered Apprenticeship Progam (RAP) presentation on September 25 in the office!

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## STUDENTS' UNION

Students' Union will have their first meeting next week on Thursday, September 11 in room 105! Anyone who missed out on signing up can still join us for our first meeting.



WEAR AN ORANGE SHIRT ON SEPTEMBER 29TH



Donate online!

The JMHS <u>Terry Fox Walk</u> will take place on Friday, September 26 at 11:50–1:15pm (block 3). Please remember to bring money to donate to the Terry Fox Walk or donate online!

Student enrollment verification forms are located on your <a href="PowerSchool account">PowerSchool account</a> and MUST be signed to be able to participate.



## **SCHOOL FEES**

School fees will be posted to your PowerSchool account next week. Please pay your semester 1 fees by October 15!
To pay fees, you must log-in to PowerSchool on a browser and not the app. If you haven't set-up a PowerSchool account, please do so as soon as possible.

## **ABSENCE REPORTING \*NEW**

BGSD will be implementing a new absence reporting system this year with SafeArrival starting August 27!

For more information, please visit the <u>JMHS</u> <u>website</u> and download the app today!



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# Let's Travel The World



JMHS is organizing a student trip to Ireland, Scotland, and the UK! Spring Break 2026

Scan or click the QR code to register!

<u>Final Registration Deadline:</u>

<u>September 12, 2025</u>

First come first served.



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# **Supporting the future of agriculture** Scholarship opportunities

## **Agricultural Service Board Bursary**

The Leduc County Agricultural Service Board encourages future careers in agriculture through five bursary awards of \$1000 each to support students in an agricultural-related post secondary program.

The Agricultural Service Board bursaries are available to Leduc County residents or to children of County residents. Eligibility information and application forms can be found online at **www.leduc-county.com/scholarships** or you can pick one up from the Agricultural Services office. To pick up a form, please call **780-955-459**.

Applications are due by Oct. 31.







## ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

#### Free Application Days 2025

In the spirit of reconciliation and to honour Residential School survivors, the U of A will offer its Free Application Days from September 30 - October 9, 2025 for First Nations, Métis or Inuit students.

## **DO NOT LITTER!**

It would be greatly appreciated if everyone would please pick up their garbage in the student parking lot, school grounds and in the school. Please be respectful and help to keep our school and area clean!

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## HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA AND CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR: HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

The requirements indicated below are minimum requirements for a student to attain an Alberta High School Diploma:

#### 100 CREDITS

English 30-1 OR 30-2
Social 30-1 OR 30-2
Math 20 level
Science 20 level
Physical Education 10 (3 credits)
CALM (3 credits)

10 credits in any combination:

- Career & Technology Studies (CTS)
- Fine Arts
- Physical Education 20 and/or 30
- Locally Developed Course
- Knowledge and Employability Courses
- Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP)

PLUS 10 additional 30 level credits

# MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR: HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

JMHS is fortunate enough to be able to provide Knowledge and Employability at the high school level. These courses in whole or in combination with non Knowledge and Employability courses are able to grant a student with the Certificate of High School Achievement. The requirements below are the minimum requirements for a student to attain a Certificate of High School Achievement:

#### 80 CREDITS

English 20-2 OR 30-4
Math 10-3 OR 20-4
Science 14 OR 20-4
Social Studies 10-2 OR 20-4
Physical Education 10 (3 credits)
CALM (3 credits)

#### 5 credits in:

- 30 level K & E Occupational Course OR
- advanced level (3000 series) in CTS Course
- 30 level locally developed course with occupational focus

#### and 5 credits in:

- 30 level K & E Workplace Practicum Course OR
- 30 level Work Experience Course OR
- 30 level Green Certificate OR
- Special Projects 30 OR
- 30 level Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP course)