



2025-2026 School Year

SUMMER & SEPTEMBER INFORMATION

École Beau Meadow School

CONTACT PROCEDURES DURING SUMMER

Principal- Mrs. Shelly McCubbing shelly.mccubbing@blackgold.ca

Assistant Principal- Mrs. Jolene Vandermeulen jolene.vandermeulen@blackgold.ca

For families seeking to register or for general inquiries, please call the school at 780-929-2175 and leave a detailed message or [email ebms@gshare.blackgold.ca](mailto:email_ebms@gshare.blackgold.ca).

REPORT CARDS & POWERSCHOOL

Report cards will be available on PowerSchool on Wednesday, June 25th, 2025 under Student Reports.

APPEAL PROCEDURES FOR MARKS, CREDITS, REPORT CARDS

Parents are to contact the school on Thursday, June 26, 2025 or Friday, June 27, 2025 during office hours.

REGISTRATION OF NEW STUDENTS

All new families are to register their child(ren) online via PowerSchool Registration which is available on the Black Gold School Division website at: [New Student Registration](#)

Families will be contacted via email the week of August 20-22, 2025 confirming that their registration has been accepted.

RETURNING STUDENTS - VERIFICATION FORM

Students who were attending a Black Gold School Division (BGSD) school in 2024-2025 and are returning to a BGSD school in 2025-2026 are automatically registered for the 2025-2026 school year.

Please Note that Pre K students who will be attending Kindergarten are not automatically registered even if they attended a Black Gold school in the previous year. These students will need to register.
All BGSD families are expected to complete the Student Enrollment Verification Form for the 2025-2026 school year. In late August, parents/guardians will receive an email via SchoolMessenger with details on how to access this form during the first week of school.

SCHOOL START DATE & TIMES FOR GRADES 1 - 12 STUDENTS

First Day of School

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

Door Open & Morning Warning Bell Time: 8:20 a.m. Classes begin at 8:35 a.m.

Lunch Hour Times: 11:25 a.m. -12:20 p.m.

Dismissal Time: 3:07 p.m. (bus students) & 3:09 p.m. (all other students)

EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES (ECS): KINDERGARTEN & PRE-KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS

KINDERGARTEN:

English & French Immersion Kindergarten – Doors open at 8:20 a.m. or 12:15 p.m.
Parents must stay with their child until school supervision is present.

Half Days Everyday

English & French Morning Class: 8:20 – 11:16 a.m.

English Afternoon Class: 12:20 – 3:06 p.m.

Staggered Entry – August 27, 28 and 29

1st Day of Kindergarten (AM/PM): Tuesday, September 2, 2025

School Supplies:

- 1 Labelled Backpack (Large)
- 1 Labelled Lunch Kit
- 1 Labelled Water Bottle
- 1 Labelled pair of runners for indoor use (non-marking soles)

Class Placements:

ECS placement information for students have already been sent via email. The placement information included your child's staggered entry date and supply list. Please note that Kindergarten students do not ride the bus on staggered entry days.

Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK):

EI-PreK is offered at Calmar Elementary School, École Bellevue School, École Corinthia Park School, Linsford Park School, Robina Baker Elementary School, and Thorsby Elementary School. If you have a preschooler who faces challenges like following directions, communication issues, anxiety, or developmental delays, early intervention is crucial. Our Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK) program provides specialized support to help your child thrive – academically, socially, and emotionally. Children may qualify as early as two years eight months old by August 31st of the respective school year if they meet the criteria. Please go to <https://www.blackgold.ca/schools/programs/pre-kindergarten/> to enter intake for free eligibility screening.

English as an Additional Language (EAL) Junior Kindergarten:

The EAL Junior Kindergarten program is a half-day program, four days a week, led by a certified teacher with an Education Assistant at École Dansereau Meadows School in Beaumont and Willow Park School in Leduc. Children may qualify as early as three years eight months old by August 31st of the respective school year if they meet the criteria. Please go to <https://www.blackgold.ca/esl-junior-kindergarten/> to enter intake for free eligibility screening.

To ensure a balance of strengths and needs across all programs, program times will be communicated directly by the school to all eligible families in September once school staff have had the opportunity to meet all the children in person and perform any necessary assessments.

SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

Posted on the school website [EBMS School supply Lists](#) under the Parents Tab.

School Supply packages for Grades 1 – 6 available for purchase online at [School Start Back to School Supplies](#).

POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL CLASSROOM PLACEMENT

Classroom placement information to parents/students for the upcoming school year will be available on August 26, 2025 on the PowerSchool Parent Portal.

As classroom placements take time and careful consideration to create, students will not be permitted to change classes/teachers at any point throughout the school year.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION & SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREAS

Have questions about busing? Start with our FAQ page — it's the quickest way to find answers to common questions.

For instructions on how to apply for transportation for the 2025–2026 school year, visit:

blackgold.ca/apply-for-transportation-Black-Gold-Students

For all other inquiries — including address changes, bus stop concerns, or missing application forms — please email us at transportation@blackgold.ca. Be sure to include your name, phone number, child's name, and bus number (if known) so we can assist you efficiently.

For more information on how to reach the Transportation team, visit: blackgold.ca/contact-transportation

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