# Academics, Artistry, Athletics, Attitude

April 04 - April 22

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#### PLEASE READ:

Check out our Daily School Announcements here.

2021 -2022 School Calendar



Become a Host Family for CRPS International Students in 2022-23! CRPS is looking for Canmore & Banff families to host our next incredible cohort of 50 international students arriving in August 2022! Make meaningful connections, share your different cultures, learn a new language, build life-long memories & friendships! Commitments of 5 months and 10 months are available, with monthly remuneration provided. For more information and to apply, contact international@crps.ca or 403.609.6072

## **Spring Break**

We are now almost midway through our second semester and it is time for a well deserved break for everyone. As a reminder, the school will be closed from April 2, through to April 17 and Quarter 3 classes will wrap up as we return from break. Quarter 4 option classes will begin on Tuesday April 19.

As we move into the break, students and parents are encouraged to review their grade breakdowns on powerschool in order to make sure students are on top of all assigned work. When we return to school on Monday April 18, the last quarter of the school year will move quickly. We hope everyone has a safe and relaxing spring holiday.

# Course Selection 2022/23 School year

We will be hosting parent student transition nights after we return to school from the Spring Break. At our transition nights, families will be informed about your students' next steps in high school. We will also walk you through how students can access our online form to select courses for the upcoming school year. This is an important evening to help families understand transitions and pathways towards graduation and learning goals.

# Please note Changes to ROAM transit effective April 4 for students at CCHS.

Please click here to learn more.

# NO School Monday April 4 - Friday April 15, 2022

#### The Week Ahead

### Monday, April 18, 2022

- Grab and Go Breakfast In the Cafeteria 8:00am 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.
- Reminder our Cafeteria is now open daily for Lunch. We have Tap pay.
- 3:30 pm Girls Rugby Practice @ BCHS
- 5:30pm 7:30 Pm Boys Rugby Practice BCHS
- Badminton Practice 3:30 pm

## Tuesday, April 19, 2022

- WimWe Snow Shoeing Trip Mr. Skinners Block D Humanities Class -Please see complete gear list for the day below.
- GSA Meeting @ Lunch Mr. McQueen (all welcome) In Person
- CCHS Girls Rugby (Mr. McQueen's Team) 3:30 5:00 pm
- 5:00 pm Boys Rugby Practice @ BCHS
- Track & Field Practice Rec. Centre 3:30pm
- Boys Soccer Practice Indoor 5:00pm
- CCHS School Council @ 7:00 pm (Virtual Link/Agenda to come)

## Wednesday, April 20, 2022

- WimWe Snow Shoeing Trip Mr. Skinners Block B Humanities Class
- Wolvergreens Meeting @ Lunch Mme. Suffield (all welcome) In Person
- Student Council Meeting @ Lunch Mr. Skinner (all welcome) In Person
- 5:30 pm SR Boys Rugby Game #1 @STS
- 5:30 pm SR Girls Rugby Game #1 @ Rundle
- Badminton Practice 3:30 pm

### Thursday, April 21,2022

- 5:30 pm Girls Rugby Practice @ BCHS
- Track & Field Practice Rec. Centre 3:30pm

# Friday April 22, 2022

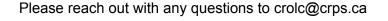
 Grab and Go Breakfast – In the Cafeteria 8:00am – 8:15 am. Start up your day with a healthy breakfast. Also Grab a snack for class.

### Some Key Dates you do not want to miss.

- April 19 First day of Quarter 4
- April 25 Parent Information Night for 2022-2023 school year
  - o 6:30 pm Grade 8 welcome
  - 7:30 pm Grade 9 Transition to Grade 10
- April 27 -Parent Information Night for 2022 -2023 school year
  - 6:30 pm Grade 10 Transition to Grade 11
  - 7:30 pm Grade 11 Transition to Grade 12
- May 2 Course Request Forms for 2022-2023 school year due.

### WIM WE - Snowshoeing Day Gear List/Agenda

Please find below a reminder of your child's date and gear list for full day snowshoeing. CROLC will provide snowshoes for all students and staff. Please see the gear list below.



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# **Snowshoeing Times:**

8:30am - Depart CCHS on CROLC bus

9:45pm - Arrive Sherbrooke Lake Trailhead (Great Divide Lodge)

9:45am - 1:45pm - Snowshoeing

2:00pm - Departure from Sherbrooke Lake Trailhead (Great Divide Lodge)

3:15pm - Arrival **CCHS** on CROLC bus

WINTER GEAR LIST for Snowshoeing

Please bring all of the following items for each day of the program. It is important for the comfort, safety, and enjoyment of the entire group that all participants are outfitted appropriately.

# Clothing:

- -Gloves or mitts
- -Toque (warm hat)
- -Pants:
  - ~Base layer: long underwear bottom
  - ~Insulating layer: fleece or polyester (not cotton)
  - ~MANDATORY: Waterproof outer layer: snow/ski waterproof pants
- -Tops:

- ~Base layer: long underwear top (not cotton)
- ~Insulating layer: fleece or polyester (no cotton or jeans please)
- ~Waterproof outer layer: snow/ski waterproof jacket

### **Outdoor Gear:**

- -Day pack (30 L)
- -1 Litre full Water bottle or more (must be 1 L)
- -MANDATORY: winter boots or insulated hiking boots
- -hearty lunch and snacks-optional: trekking poles

#### Personal Items:

- -Personal Medications
- -Lip Balm
- -Sunscreen
- -Sunglasses



# Home Work Support Room

We have now restarted our Homework Support Room for our Grade 9 and 10 students. As it has been a while since we have had this opportunity for students, please read the rationale for this program below.

Completion of classroom assigned work is crucial to a student's academic success. A zero given on an assignment because work is not completed is not a true assessment of student learning. To ensure true assessment of student learning, we believe it is important for students to complete classroom assigned work. To assist students in establishing successful study practices and understand the importance to their learning in completing assigned work, we will work with our Grade 9 & 10 students to help them complete missing assignments. Grade 9 & 10 students who are not completing assigned work will be asked by their teacher to attend a homework support room during lunch time to do any missing work. During this time, students will be given help in study skills and in completing the missed learning tasks. A failure to attend these study sessions will result in administrative contact with parents to pursue options to help the student successfully complete their work.

#### **Grad Class of 2022**

Visit the <u>Grad section</u> of the school website to keep up to date on important timely information.

# Ongoing

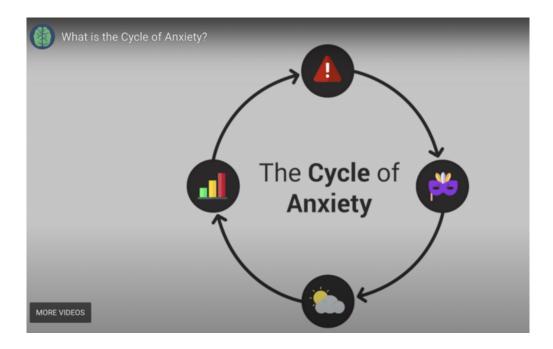
The Canmore Bottle Depot are kindly supporting the Grad Class of 2022 by setting up an account. You can drop off your bottles (any fundable recyclables) at the Canmore Bottle Depot for the CCHS Grad 2022 account.

The grad class thanks all those who are willing to support this fundraising effort.

### **School Fees**

Canmore Collegiate High School fees are now available on PowerSchool Parent Portal. Debit or credit card payments can be made online through your Parent Portal

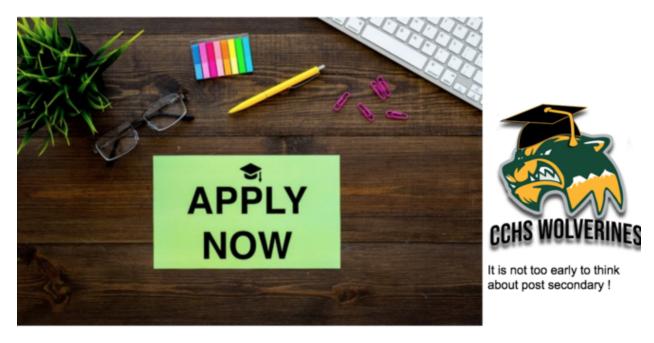
https://powerschool.crps.ca/public/.
As per Canadian Rockies School Division's Administrative Procedure 503, payment for school fees is due 30 days after invoicing. Please contact Sarah Mckay (sarah.mckay@crps.ca) to make payment arrangements if unable to pay within 30 days or if you have any questions.



Learn more about the cycle of anxiety by following the link below.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-CAd9o9OlqM

**Other Information** 



Check out the Post Secondary Link on our school website to learn about upcoming information!

### Link to the website is here

## **COVID Protocols Update - AHS Step 2**

On March 1, 2022 the Alberta Government moved to "Step 2," of the easing of our public health measures. Our school district sent out a letter earlier this week outlining how step 2 has adjusted out protocols for safety. For further information on these adjustments, please see the attached divisional re entry plan. At our school these changes impact us in the following ways:

- Students are no longer required to cohort as a result, social areas like our Wolverine Den have been reopened
- Students are permitted to leave and reenter the building during lunch hour
- Staff and students are no longer required to wear masks in the building
- Students using public transportation for Alignment classes at CCHS are required to wear masks
- Students are still required to isolate and follow the daily <u>AHS checklists</u> when they have COVID symptoms
- The school will no longer be reporting to families individual COVID cases
- Extracurriculars and sports may continue

Please note that throughout the school day, our doors will remain locked and we ask visitor to make appointments when entering the building. Visitors are asked to ring the new doorbell at the Purkis Hall doors.

## **Student Attendance**

A reminder that if your student will be late for class or leaving class early, please Call the attendance line at 403-678- 6192 ext 1.

#### Leaving class early:

If your student must leave school early for the day or for part of the day, for an appointment, please notify the school. Students must sign in and out of the office if they are leaving school or returning after an appointment ( note this in not required during lunch hour).

#### **Extra Curricular News**

**PowerSchool** 

As a school we are working hard to balance the requirement to keep our students safe with social distancing, good hand hygiene and masking, with extra curricular initiatives. We do ask that students who are not directly working with teachers or involved in an extracurricular activity leave school at 3:30 so that we can properly clean our spaces.

Please ensure you can logon to Parent Portal. Look for the PowerSchool button on our school webpage or <u>click here</u>. This is where you will access daily updates on your student's marks and attendance, school fees and more. Final term report cards are also shared with you through Parent Portal and are not mailed out from the school.

\*\* Alberta Education has now made student access to their official transcript of marks available to all grade 10- 12 student available through a myPass account (<u>myPass.alberta.ca</u>). Grade 10 marks will first appear after the first semester.

### **Upcoming**

**Missing important happenings at CCHS?** But are awash in emails? Find information through one of the medium listed below. Get connected become involved.

- school website calendar.
- Follow us on Facebook (here)
- Join us on Twitter for quick updates. <u>@CCHS Canmore</u>
- Follow us on Instagram cchs.canmore
- Follow our YouTube channel for happenings at CCHS in 60-90 secs. Collegiate Corner

- Check out our Daily School Announcements here.
- 2020/2021 <u>Student Handbook is here.</u> Find important CCHS dates such as parent/teacher interviews, course change information, exams and much more.
- Past Newsletters can be found here.

# News

Bow Valley Settlement Services Information Newsletter now posted- Click Here

# Click Here

Follow the <u>link</u> to view the highlights and agendas for Public School Board Meetings.

**Electronic Smoking Devices:** <a href="mailto:clink Here">clink Here</a>