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October 5 – October 7, 2022						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
October 3	October 4	October 5	October 6	October 7		
(ABCD)	(BLT - ABCD) BLT Bell Schedule	(ABCD)	(BLT - ABCD) BLT Bell Schedule	Conference Day CLC Schedule		
Immunization Clinics	Warning 8:25	World Teacher's Day	Warning 8:25	<b>Homeroom</b> 8:30 8:40		
Starts @9am	BLT 8:30 9:25	,	BLT 8:30 9:25	<b>Session 1</b> 8:45 9:45		
(Library)	Block A 9:30 10:35		Block A 9:30 10:35	Session 2 10:00 11:00		
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	Recess 11:45 11:55		Recess 11:45 11:55	Session 3 11:15 12:15		
Staff Meeting	Block C 12:00 1:05		Block C 12:00 1:05	Lunch 12:15 1:00		
@3:10pm	Lunch 1:05 1:50		Lunch 1:05 1:50	Session 4 1:05 2:05		
(Library)	Block D 1:55 3:00		Block D 1:55 3:00	Homeroom 2:10 2:30		
Club Presidents' Meeting @ Lunch (A209/A210)	SBT Meeting @Lunch  Kol Nidrei (Judaism)	Yom Kippur (Judaism and Samaritanism) Dussehra (Hinduism)	PAC Meeting (Burnett Library) or online TEAMS	Grade 12 Student Transcript (TVR) Review @Session 1 Mawlid-al-Nabi (Islam)		
Grade 8 Spirit Week !yaD sdrawkcaB Backwards Day	Grade 8 Spirit Week  Jersey Day  Wear a Jersey	Grade 8 Spirit Week Pajama Day Wear Pajamas	Grade 8 Spirit Week Twin Day Twin with someone	Grade 8 Spirit Week Gr. Hoodie Day Wear gr.7 Hoodie		
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#### Every student, every day, whatever it takes!

"Teaching is not a service, profession, or a job. It is a pillar of society."

A good Teacher loves teaching. They love that teaching can be conceptual and intellectual, abstract and concrete, or creative and sequential. Every day is different and rewarding. "They love that they can inspire hope, ignite the imagination, and instill a lifelong passion for reading, exploring, and learning.

Teaching is about young people and the future that we want to build together. Teaching is framed through an idea that if teachers share their knowledge and skills, they can draw out the potential of another and that tomorrow will be better than today because the young, the next generation, will be smarter, more knowledgeable, and more skillful.

Teaching is about much more than content. Teachers know their work is about hearts, minds, the past, the future, cause and effect...it is about whatever they can imagine. For teachers, teaching and learning is living life, constantly growing, and developing.

As we celebrate World Teacher Day on October 5th, we honour people who have not only bestowed wisdom upon us but draw out our potential. It is the supreme art of teaching that awakens joy in creative expression and knowledge. There is no career more important than teaching because teachers model care, empathy, passion, fun, love, and so much more every day and with every student, without fail.

Teaching is an art; it is difficult and challenging at the best of times. Sadly, the regard we have for teachers is a lost tradition. It is true that, in some respect, everyone is a teacher; some just commit a lifetime to this noble pursuit that teaches all other professions.

At Burnett we "Champion Students and their Learning."

# Career-Life Conference (October 7, 2022)

On October 7th, we are hosting our first Career-Life Conference Day of 2022-2023. Conference Days give students an opportunity to discover career paths. This, first conference day will focus developing a better understanding of self, as well as planning and preparing to meet the requirements for CLC (Capstone for gr. 12s). Students will listen to presenters, ask questions, & build on their interests.

## Grade 12 Student Transcript (TVR) Review

All grade 12 students will receive their course credit transcripts on Friday, October 7th. Is an opportunity for students to ensure their credits and marks are correct before sending them to Post Secondary institutions.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER:

Immunization Clinic

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Oct 3	Staff Meeting at 3:10 (Library)
Oct 4	SBT Team Meeting @Lunch
Oct 5	World Teacher Day
Oct 7	Conference Day for All Students
Oct 10	Thanksgiving (School Closed)
Oct 11	Collaboration Time
Oct 12	Interim Reports Due @8:30am
Oct 14	Interim Reports emailed home
Oct 15.	Innovation Grant Applications due
Oct 17	Ed Fac Meeting
Oct 18	SBT Meeting (Lunch)
Oct 19	Student Photo Retake (Morning)
Oct 19	Parent Teacher Conferences (2-4pm & 6-8pm)
Oct 20	Parent Teacher Conferences (2-4pm)
Oct 21	Professional Development PSA Day (School Closed)

### **Communicating Student Learning**

Student progress information will be communicated with parents in a variety of ways this year. For each subject, students will be given an interim report, a term report card at the mid-point of the semester and a final report card at the end of the Semester. These progress updates will include information about the learning progress to date and feedback that will aid in improving a student's performance, as well as comments about a student's work habits and engagement. The first communication will be Interim Reports, which will be sent home on October 14, 2022.

### **Interim Report Card Timeline**

October 6-11	Teachers prepare Interim Report Cards
October 12	Interim files due by 8:30am
October 12-13	Admin & Counsellors review Interim Reports
October 14	Interim Reports emailed home @ 1:00pm
October 19&20	Parent Conferences 2-4pm & 6-8pm(19 <sup>th</sup> only)

#### Sign-up for Burnett Learning Time (BLT)

Please sign-up for Burnett Learning Time (BLT). This is a great opportunity for students to complete homework, work on projects with classmates, receive learning support, get extra help from teachers, complete volunteer hours, do work experience, etc. It is also opportunity to improve both physical and mental health, as well as receive counselling support. Space is limited, so please sign-up early. To sign-up students can go to burnett.myweeklyplanner.net and select their BLT session or sessions. Sign up is now open.

## Extra-curricular school life returns with many Clubs and Teams

A lot of renewed energy has returned to our building through passionate participation with various Clubs and Sports teams. This school year, we expect to see full participation of audiences/spectators to music concerts, theatre performances, and sports games. It is not to late to join a team or a club. Teachers and parents, please encourage all students to get involved in school life by joining a team and club.