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Baulkham Hills High Newsletter



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From the principal's desk:

Schools are currently navigating an unprecedented situation regarding the world-wide spread of COVID-19. Thank you to all our families for your care and diligence to ensure we all negotiate this journey safely.

The Federal government has brought in stringent new rules related to COVID-19 (coronavirus). As a result of these rules anyone returning from any overseas country must now self-isolate for 14 days. This will have consequences for our students who may be hosting family members from overseas. It will mean the entire family will have to self-isolate for the full 14 days. We are soon to move into the assessment period for our senior students so this will be a significant problem for some students.

The NSW Department of Education has banned schools from holding assemblies and going on excursions outside the school, including sport and overnight camps. Support students will not be going to community access or work experience. Large gatherings

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Calendar 2020

This calendar is subject to change so please check carefully each week for any alterations. A whole year calendar is on the school website at www.baulkhamhillshighschool.com.au

Term 1

Week 8
Monday 16 March - Y8 History K Source Test Pds 1&2 - Y10 PASS Bronze Medallion 16/3-17/3 incl.
Tuesday 17 March - Y7 Mathematics Exam – P3-4, Yr9 P1-2 - Y8 History K Source Test P1&2 - Y10 History 5 Source Test P1&2 - Y9 Mathematics Exam Pds1-2
Wednesday 18 March - Y8 Mathematics Exam – P1&2 - Y10 History 4 Source Test P1&2 - Y11 & Y9 Preliminary Geography SGP Stage 1 due
Thursday 19 March - Y8 History B Source Test P5&6 - Y8 History U Source Test P5&6 - Y10 History 7 Source Test P1&2
Friday 20 March - Y10 History 6 Source Test P7&8
Week 9
Monday 23 March - Y12 Buffer Week 23/3 to 27/3 incl. - Y9 & Y11 Australian Geography Comp P1&2 - Y10 & Y12 Australian Geography Comp P3&4
Tuesday 24 March
Wednesday 25 March - APSMO Maths Competition Y7&8 in class
Thursday 26 March - Y7 Vaccinations (Fletcher) - Y7 History U Source test P1&2, Y7 History K Source Text P3&4, Y7 History B Source Test P7&8
Friday 27 March - Y10 Mathematics Exam P1&2 - Y12 Society & Culture Hand in assignment P7&8 - Y10 Brain Bee on line test P1&2 (Vasram) - Y9 PASS Raw Challenge (Renwick) - Y8 Commerce Exam P3&4 (Craff)
Week 10
Monday 30 March - Y12 Yearly Assessments 30/3 to 3/4 incl. - Y11 Buffer Week 30/3 to 3/4 incl. - Y8 History K Research Essay P1&2
Tuesday 31 March - Y10 History E16 Presentation - Y9 Engineering Bridge Building Pds5&6
Wednesday 1 April - Y9 History 5 Source Test P3 - Y10 History E 16 Presentation p4
Thursday 2 April - Y8 History B Research Essay in class P5-6 - Y8 History U Research Essay P5-6
Friday 3 April - Y9 History4 Source Test P5, History7 P3&4, History6 P1&2
Week 11
Monday 6 April - Y11 Half Yearly Assessments 6/4 to 9/4 incl.
Tuesday 7 April - Y10 Geography Assessment Task#1 Sydney Harbour students in class
Wednesday 8 April - Y7 Interim Reports issued
Thursday 9 April
Friday 10 April – Good Friday Public Holiday

for whatever reason are also to be postponed. No overseas excursions or travel is to be undertaken.

As before I remind you to encourage your children to exercise strict hygiene through washing hands with soap and water frequently. Always cover their mouth when coughing or sneezing. If they are unwell for any reason please keep them at home. Any student who has a chronic medical condition or immunosuppression may be at increased risk and they may be better studying from home. If this applies to your child please contact the school for further advice.

Unfortunately, these restrictions mean that a number of school events have to be cancelled or postponed, including Trivia Night, the P&C meeting and working bee, Sydney West swimming carnival, Year 9 and 10 Wellbeing days and various excursions. Band practice and cadets will continue as normal for now.

In order to encourage students to keep some distance between them we have allocated certain areas of the playground for each age group. This does not stop students using the canteen or toilets and the playing fields are still open. Students are encouraged to use public transport with care and avoid touching hard surfaces.

Thank you to the parents who have promptly paid their school fees. It would be good if we could have all payments in before the end of this term. Anyone experiencing financial hardship needs to contact Mr Parnaby, our Bursar, to discuss options.

Jeanne Bathgate
Principal

Baulko News

2020 Swim School – Year 7 and Support Unit

As part of the Personal Development Health & Physical Education program, ALL students from Year 7, as well as students from our Support unit were involved in a Lifesaving Unit. The program ran for two days and will be held at Baulkham Hills Waves Swimming Pool.

The program was an outstanding success, with students involved in both practical and theory components over the 2 day course. Students were placed in groups corresponding with their swimming ability and worked diligently towards improving their individual level and confidence

All instructors will be provided by Waves Aquatic centre, spoke very highly of our student's abilities and enthusiastic attitude over the course of the 2 day program.

Thanks again to all students for their tireless work over their time at the pool, as well as the staff who worked so hard in preparation for the program.

Mr McDonell
HT PDHPE



Update of Personal Details

If there have been any changes to your personal details, please obtain a "Change of Student Details" purple form from the office, complete and return as soon as possible.

It is important that parents/guardians keep the school informed of any changes.

P&C News

Kindly be informed that due to the proactive measures to limit the impact of COVID-19 and to adopt social distancing measures, the following P&C Events will be postponed to a later date.

- P&C General Meeting: Parent Workshop (Tuesday 24 March 6pm-8:30pm)
- Working Bee (Saturday 28 March 9.00 am – 1.00 pm)

We will keep you informed of any further updates.

Sau Wan Liew
P&C President

Band News

Do you want to keep up with the latest information with Band activities? Make sure you follow our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Baulko-Band-and-Orchestra-100848740521209>

Rehearsals will be on this week. The Baulkham Hills high school executives will be meeting tomorrow and we will keep you updated about any changes to the rehearsals.

If your child is feeling unwell, please do not send them for the rehearsals or to school.

If you have any concerns regarding sending your child for the rehearsal giving the current scenario please do send band admin an email at bhhsbandcom@gmail.com. The band committee is working closely with the school and we will keep you updated.

The Band Committee

Sport Cancellations

- ALL GRADE SPORT has been CANCELLED for the next 3 weeks.
- This means:
- week 8 - 18th March round 6 - CANCELLED
- week 9 - 25th March round 7 - CANCELLED
- week 10 – 1st April grand finals - CANCELLED

ALL Sydney West events have also been cancelled until further notice. Please watch our facebook page & google classroom for the latest news regarding representative events. We are hearing through most channels that SYDNEY WEST SWIMMING scheduled for this Friday has been cancelled. More updates will be made as information becomes available.





Media Release

Sunday, 15 March 2020

SCHOOLS TO IMPLEMENT DISTANCING MEASURES

The NSW Department of Education is introducing proactive measures to limit the impact of COVID-19 in our schools.

Mark Scott, Secretary of the Department of Education today announced that schools would adopt social distancing measures requiring them to cancel assemblies, excursions, travel, some events and conferences.

Mr Scott said these measures are precautionary and designed to reduce exposure via non-essential gatherings.

“Schools have been a focus of the community and the government as the impacts of coronavirus have developed globally,” Mr Scott said.

“From Monday onwards, school assemblies and substantial gatherings are to be cancelled, along with all excursions.

We are implementing these measures to provide peace of mind for students, parents and staff.”

These cancellations also extend to inter-school arts, sports, initiative activities and events.

All major Arts, Sports and Initiative activities and events will temporarily be ceased until further notice.

This includes whole school sporting events and inter-school events involving three or more schools.

“Local inter-school sport and other activities, can proceed but we ask organisers to ensure that as far as possible, reasonable precautions are taken,” Mr Scott said.

The Department is continuing to prepare for further closures if necessary with scaling up of technology, additional training of staff and preparation of offsite lessons.

Useful links for families and students in self-isolation can be found here:
<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/continuity-of-education>

MEDIA: mediaunit@det.nsw.edu.au

Updated information for parents and carers about COVID-19 formerly referred to as Novel Coronavirus (Novel Coronavirus) 6 March 2020

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/diseases/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>

Dear parent or caregiver,

The NSW Department of Education is working closely with the NSW Ministry of Health in response to the unfolding international COVID-19 (formerly referred to as Novel Coronavirus) situation.

Further travel restrictions

Effective of 5 March 2020, the Federal Government has issued updated advice on travel restrictions on foreign nationals (excluding permanent residents of Australia) coming to Australia from the Republic of Korea (South Korea).

Current advice from the NSW Government for parents and affected staff is:

- Any student or staff member who has left, or transited through mainland China since 1 February, Iran since 1 March or the Republic of Korea (South Korea) since 5 March, is excluded from child care services, school or work for 14 days from the date they left mainland China, Iran or the Republic of Korea (South Korea).
- Any confirmed case of COVID-19 will be excluded until they are medically cleared to return.
- Close contacts of a confirmed case of COVID-19 will be excluded for 14 days since last contact with the confirmed case.

Students and staff who have returned to Australia and have shown no symptoms during the 14-day self-isolation period are able to return to child care services, school or work.

The NSW Ministry of Health has processes to identify any close contacts of cases confirmed in Australia. Advice about not attending school would be provided to these close contacts by the NSW Ministry of Health.

Consistent with current guidelines, students who are unwell with respiratory illness should remain at home until symptoms resolve. In accordance with the NSW Department of Education's current practice, if any student becomes unwell, the school will implement infection control guidelines and follow the advice provided by the NSW Ministry of Health as appropriate.

Maintaining good hygiene standards is an important way to reduce the risk of acquiring and spreading respiratory infections. Parents and caregivers are asked to promote good hygiene, including handwashing with soap as handwashing is the single most effective way to reduce the spread of germs that cause respiratory disease.

The NSW Ministry of Health has [advice and resources about COVID-19 in English, Chinese and other languages](#)

The NSW Department of Education will continue monitoring the COVID-19 situation and provide parents and caregivers with updated information about the virus.

Telephone Interpreter Service

If you need further information please call your school principal. If you need an interpreter to assist you with your enquiry please call the Telephone Interpreter Service on 131 450 and ask for an interpreter in your language. This service will be free of charge to you.

[Updated information for parents and carers about COVID 19 6/3/2020 – Language Name](#)

2020年3月6日为家长和照顾者提供的COVID-19（以前称为新型冠状病毒或Novel Coronavirus）的最新信息

亲爱的家长或照顾者，

NSW 教育部正在与NSW卫生部密切合作，以应对全世界不断发展的COVID-19（以前称为新型冠状病毒）疫情。

进一步的旅行限制

自2020年3月5日起，联邦政府发布了对从韩国（南韩）进入澳大利亚国境的外国国民（不包括澳大利亚永久居民）的最新旅行限制。

NSW政府对家长和受影响员工的最新意见是：

- 任何学生或员工，如果自2月1日以来曾离开中国大陆或在那里过境，或者从3月1日以来离开伊朗或在那里过境，或者从3月5日以来曾离开韩国（南韩）或在那里过境，那么从他们离开中国大陆、伊朗或韩国（南韩）之日起14天内，不得上幼儿园、上学或上班。
- 所有COVID-19确诊病例都不得上幼儿园、上学或上班，直到有医生证明确认可以上幼儿园、上学或上班为止。
- 所有COVID-19确诊病例的密切接触者，从最后一次接触确诊病例之日起14天内，不得上幼儿园、上学或上班。

回到澳大利亚的学生和员工，如果在14天的自我隔离期内未出现任何症状，那么过后就可以去上幼儿园、上学或上班。

NSW卫生部有一套程序来发现澳大利亚确诊病例的密切接触者。NSW卫生部将要求这些亲密接触者不要上学。

按照现行准则，患有呼吸系统疾病而感到不适的学生都应待在家里，直到症状消失为止。根据NSW教育部的现行措施，如果有任何学生开始感到不适，学校就会贯彻感染控制准则，遵循NSW卫生部的有关规定。

坚持严格的卫生标准是一项很重要的措施，可以降低获得及传播呼吸道感染的风险。家长和照顾者都必须养成良好的卫生习惯，包括用肥皂洗手，因为[洗手](#)是减少呼吸系统疾病致病微生物最有效的一个方法。

NSW卫生部[关于COVID-19的规定和多种资料都有英语、中文和其他语言的版本](#)。

NSW教育部将继续关注COVID-19的疫情，并向家长和护理人员提供最新的疫情信息。

电话口译服务

更多信息请打电话向您的学校校长查询。如果查询时需要口译员协助，请打电话131 450给电话口译服务处，要求安排汉语口译员。这项服务对您^是免费的。

Updated information for parents and carers about COVID 19 6/3/2020 – Chinese Simplified



که قبلا COVID-19 اطلاعات به روز برای والدین و مراقبین در باره

ویروس کرونای جدید (Novel Coronavirus) نامیده می‌شود – 6 مارچ 2020

بدر، مادر یا مراقب عزیز

اداره آموزش NSW در پاسخ به وضعیت بین‌المللی COVID-19 (که قبلاً ویروس جدید کرونا نامیده می‌شد) که به تدریج روشن تر می‌شود با وزارت بهداشت از نزدیک همکاری می‌کند.

محدودیت‌های بیشتر در مورد سنر

دولت استرالیا اطلاعاتی جدیدی را در مورد محدودیت سنر برای خارجی‌های (به استثنای مؤمنان دائم استرالیا) که از جمهوری کره (کره جنوبی) به استرالیا می‌آیند صادر کرده است که از 5 مارچ قابل اجرا 2020 است.

نوصیه‌های جاری دولت NSW برای والدین و کارکنانی که به ایشان مربوط می‌شود به شرح زیر است:

- در دانش‌آموز یا کارمندی که کشور چین را از اول نوری به بعد، ایران را از اول مارچ به بعد و جمهوری کره (کره جنوبی) را از 5 مارچ به بعد ترک کرده یا از آن کشورها در نرازیت گذر کرده است به مدت 14 روز از تاریخ خروج از چین، ایران یا جمهوری کره (کره جنوبی) از خدمات مراقبت از کودکان، مدرسه یا کار محروم است.
- در مورد ناپید شده COVID-19 نا زمایی که اجازه پزشکی برای برگشتن داشته باشد محروم خواهد بود.
- کسانی که تماس نزدیک با یک مورد ناپید شده COVID-19 دارند به مدت 14 روز از آخرین تماس با مورد ناپید شده محروم خواهند بود.

دانش‌آموزان و کارکنانی که به استرالیا برگشته‌اند و در دوره 14 روزه قرنطینه شخصی هیچ عارضه‌ای نداشته‌اند می‌توانند به خدمات مراقبت از کودکان، مدرسه یا کار برگردند.

وزارت بهداشت NSW نرازیده‌ای برای شناسایی طرف‌های تماس نزدیک موارد ناپید شده در استرالیا دارد. نوصیه مربوط به زیادمن به مدرسه توسط وزارت بهداشت NSW به این تماس‌های نزدیک داده خواهد شد.

مطابق با دستورالعمل‌های نطی، دانش‌آموزانی که با بیماری تنفسی ناخوش هستند باید نا زمان بر طرف شدن عوارض در خانه بمانند. طبق رویه کنونی اداره آموزش NSW اگر دانش‌آموزی ناخوش شود، مدرسه دستورالعمل‌های کنترل عفونت را اجرا کرده و نوصیه‌های ارائه شده توسط وزارت بهداشت NSW را بطور مناسب دنبال خواهد کرد.

حفظ استانداردهای خوب بهداشتی یک روش مهم برای کاهش خطر ابتال به عفونت‌های تنفسی و شروع آن است. از والدین و مراقبین خواسته می‌شود که بهداشت خوب را نشویق کنند، از جمله شستن دست با صابون، چون [شستن دست](#) مؤثرترین روش برای کاهش شروع میکروب‌های است که باعث بیماری تنفسی می‌شوند.

وزارت بهداشت NSW [رازیماهی‌ها و جزایری را در باره COVID-19](#) به زبان انگلیسی، چینی و زبان‌های دیگر دارد. اداره

آموزش NSW کم‌کان وضعیت COVID-19 را تحت نظر گرفته و اطلاعات به روز مربوط به ویروس را به والدین و مراقبین ارائه خواهد داد.

سرورس منرچم نلنی

اگر به اطلاعات بیشتر نیاز دارید لطناً به مدیر مدرسه نان نلن بزنید. اگر برای کمک به پرسش‌تان به یک منرچم نیاز دارید لطناً به سرورس منرچم نلنی، شماره 131 450 نلن کنید و یک منرچم زبان خود را درخواست کنید. این سرورس برای شما رایگان خواهد بود.

Updated information for parents and carers about COVID 19 6/3/2020 – Persian (Farsi)

학부모와 보호자를 위한 COVID-19 (이전 명칭: 신종 코로나바이러스 (Novel Coronavirus)) 최신 정보 2020년 3월 6일

학부모 및 보호자 귀하,

NSW 교육부는 해외 COVID-19 (이전 명칭: 신종 코로나바이러스)의 전개 상황에 대응하여 NSW 보건부와 긴밀한 협조 하에 일하고 있습니다.

차후 여행 제한

연방 정부는 한국 (South Korea)에서 호주로 들어오는 외국인들 (호주의 영주권자들 제외)의 여행 제한에 대한 최신 권고를 발표했고 2020년 3월 5일부터 유효합니다.

학부모 및 영향을 받은 교직원을 위한 NSW 정부의 현재 조언은 아래와 같습니다.

- 중국의 경우 2월 1일 이후에, 이란의 경우 3월 1일 이후에, 한국 (South Korea)의 경우 3월 5일 이후에, 해당 국가에서 출국했거나 경유한 학생이나 교직원은 중국, 이란 혹은 한국 (South Korea)을 떠난 날부터 14 일 동안 보육 서비스, 학교 혹은 직장으로부터 배제됩니다.
- COVID-19 의 모든 확진자는 의료적으로 복귀가 허가될 때까지 배제될 것입니다.
- COVID-19 확진자와 근접 접촉을 한 사람은 확진자와의 마지막 접촉 후 14 일 동안 배제될 것입니다.

호주로 돌아온 후 14일간의 자가 격리 동안에 증상을 보이지 않은 학생들과 교직원들은 보육 서비스, 학교 혹은 직장으로 돌아갈 수 있습니다.

NSW 보건부는 호주에서 확진자와 근접 접촉한 사람들을 파악하는 절차를 수행하고 있습니다. 현행 지침에 따라, 호흡기 질환으로 몸이 아픈 학생들은 증상이 사라질 때까지 집에 머물러야 합니다. NSW 교육부의 현행 업무방침에 따라, 학생이 몸이 아프면 해당 학교에서 감염 관리 지침을 시행하고 NSW 보건부에서 제공한 조언을 올바르게 준수해야 합니다.

올바른 위생 기준을 유지하는 것이 호흡기 감염에 걸리거나 전파할 위험을 감소시킬 중요한 방법입니다. 학부모 및 돌보는 사람들이 비누로 손을 씻는 등의 올바른 위생을 장려하도록 요청됩니다. [손씻기가](#) 호흡기 질환을 초래하는 병원체의 전파를 감소시키는 가장 효과적인 방법이기 때문입니다.

NSW 보건부는 [영어, 중국어 및 기타 다른 언어들로 COVID-19에 관한 조언 및 자료들을](#) 제공합니다.

NSW 교육부는 COVID-19 상황을 지속적으로 점검하고 학부모 및 보호자들에게 이 바이러스에 대한 최신 정보를 제공할 것입니다.

전화 통역 서비스

더 자세한 정보가 필요하시면 해당 학교장에게 전화하십시오. 문의를 도울 통역사가 필요하시면 전화 통역 서비스에 131 450으로 전화하여 한국어 통역사를 요청하십시오. 이 서비스는 귀하에게 무료입니다.

Updated information for parents and carers about COVID 19 6/3/2020 – Korean

Hills Relay for Life

Baulkham Hills High School is once again supporting Hills Relay for Life. A subgroup of the Outreach committee is currently exploring fundraising ideas and we would love the school community support in joining the relay team, sponsoring a walker, participating in some part of the walk and cheering our team on or in financially contributing to the fundraising efforts.

Our spirit and fundraising go to support the individuals with cancer and their carers. I know that a lot of people in our school community have had a family member or friend affected by cancer and this is a way of showing them our support.



Hills Relay for Life Supporting those with Cancer.



Join us at Castle Hill Showground on the 16-17th May for all or part of the event. The relay goes for 24 hours.

Come down and take part on your own, with your family or friends.



Opening Ceremony: **9:30am Saturday**

Candlelight Ceremony: **6pm Saturday**

Closing Ceremony: **9:30am Sunday**



Register at <https://www.cancercouncil.com.au/event/relay-for-life-hills/>

Click register today, then join 'relay' and 'join a team'

Choose **Baulkham Hills High**

\$25 to get a shirt which you will be allowed to wear at school on allocated days

You will be required to fill in and submit a permission note prior to the event

You will get recognition for this activity on your report.





Health
Western Sydney
Local Health District

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NSW SCHOOL VACCINATION PROGRAM – SCHOOL NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Each year NSW Health works in partnership with schools to offer the vaccines recommended by the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) for adolescents as part of the school vaccination program.

In 2020 the following vaccines will be offered:

YEARS	VACCINE	NUMBER OF DOSES
Year 7	Human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine	2-doses at least 6 months apart
	Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis (whooping cough) vaccine	Single dose
Year 10	Meningococcal ACWY vaccine	Single dose

Parent Information Kits that include an information sheet, consent form and privacy statement will be sent home to you by your child’s school. To consent to the vaccination of your child, parents/guardians are advised to:

- read all the information provided;
- complete the consent form, including signing your name next to each of the vaccine/s you would like your child to receive;
- return the completed consent form to your child’s school;
- ensure that your child eats breakfast and has food available to eat on the day of the school vaccination clinic

Parents/guardians who wish to withdraw consent for any reason may do so by writing to the school Principal or phone the school. The Procedure for Withdrawal of Consent is available on the NSW Health website at www.health.nsw.gov.au/immunisation/Pages/withdraw_consent.aspx.

Students who return a consent form to school but are absent on vaccination day, will be caught up on subsequent school vaccination clinics, during Year 7 or 8 (for HPV and dTpa vaccines) and during Year 10 or 11 (for Meningococcal ACWY vaccine).

A Record of Vaccination will be provided to each student vaccinated at each clinic. You should ensure that this record is kept for future reference. Please do not assume that your child has been vaccinated if you do not receive this Record of Vaccination. Vaccination records will be uploaded to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) to support complete vaccination histories.

For further information:

Australian Government Department of Health website

<https://www.health.gov.au/resources/videos/getting-your-hpv-dtpa-vaccinations-at-school-what-to-expect>

<https://www.health.gov.au/resources/videos/getting-your-meningococcal-acwy-vaccination-at-school-what-to-expect> NSW Health website

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/immunisation/Pages/schoolvaccination.aspx>

Contact Parramatta Public Health Unit on 9840 3603

Public Health Unit Gungahra, Building 68
Cumberland Hospital LMB 7118,
Parramatta BC NSW 2124
Tel 9840 3603 Fax 9840 3608



More Information about vaccines in the School Vaccination Program for Year 7 Parents:

NSW Ministry of Health website: <http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/immunisation>

National Centre for Immunisations Research and Surveillance (NCIRS) Website:

<http://www.ncirs.edu.au/provider-resources/ncirs-fact-sheets/>


Australian Government Department of Health website:

<http://www.health.gov.au/resources/videos/getting-your-hpv-dtpa-vaccinations-at-school-what-to-expect>

Cancer Council Victoria website: <http://www.hpvvaccine.org.au>


Parramatta Public Health Unit: (02) 9840 3603

SCHOOL RECEPTION INFORMATION – SCHOOL VACCINATION PROGRAM 2020  Health Western Sydney Local Health District HPRM No: 20/E146




Baulkham Hills High School
Year 7 Clinic - 1st dose HPV and dTpa vaccine

- **26th March 2020**
- Plus catch-up for some Year 8 & 11 students



Year 10 Clinic - Meningococcal ACWY vaccine

- **18th June 2020**
- Plus catch-up for Year 7, 8 & 11 students
- Any Year 7 student who was absent or missed returning their consent form at 1st Visit will be caught up through-out the year

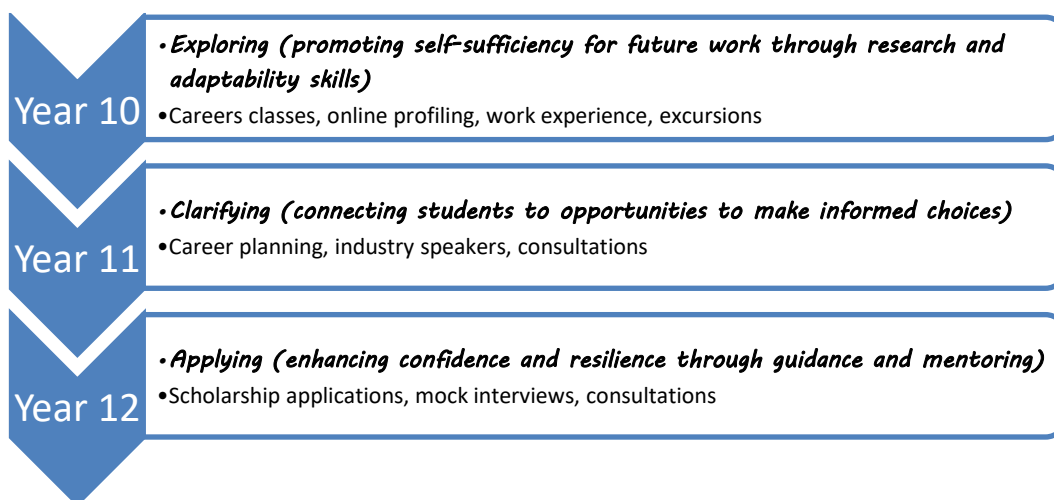


Year 7 Clinic - 2nd dose HPV vaccine

- **22nd October 2020**
- Plus catch-up for any Year 7, 8, 10 & 11 students
- Questions? Contact Public Health on 9840 3603

Careers News

Vision Statement



- Year 10**
 - *Exploring (promoting self-sufficiency for future work through research and adaptability skills)*
 - Careers classes, online profiling, work experience, excursions
- Year 11**
 - *Clarifying (connecting students to opportunities to make informed choices)*
 - Career planning, industry speakers, consultations
- Year 12**
 - *Applying (enhancing confidence and resilience through guidance and mentoring)*
 - Scholarship applications, mock interviews, consultations

Exploring - what does my child have access to for Careers in Year 10?

- Weekly Careers Classes
- [Online Careers Profiling Report](#)
- Tailored resources on Google Classroom including a Career Competency Checklist

- [Study Work Grow](#) Careers Subscription (news/events/work experience opportunities)
- [Online Careers Portfolios](#) (Study Work Grow website)
- Hard copy Careers Portfolios with Baulko logo
- Subject Selection Assistance including [UAC's Steps to Uni for Year 10 Students](#) and online tool ([Subject Compass](#))
- The Careers Department subscription (virtual work experience/audio & video of careers)
- University & industry speakers at lunchtimes Terms 1 & 2
- Careers excursions & incursions (Term 4)

Clarifying - what does my child have access to for Careers in Year 11?

- Future Planning Careers Session
- Individual appointments with the Careers Advisor (applying to uni, scholarships)
- University & industry speakers at lunchtimes Terms 1 & 2

Applying - what does my child have access to for Careers in Year 12?

- Individual appointments with the Careers Advisor (applying to uni, scholarships)
- University & industry speakers at lunchtimes Terms 1 & 2
- Scholarship writing assistance
- Mock interviews
- Access to guides provided by UAC and specific tools such as [Course Compass](#)
- Applying for uni information session (info provided by Universities Admissions Centre – UAC)

What standards is the BHHS Careers Program measured against?

The Careers Advisor is qualified by the [Australian Council for Educational Research \(ACER\)](#). All of the career development activities in the BHHS Careers Program have been informed with regards to:

- Research (domestic and international)
- Professional development in advanced coaching techniques & models (the Careers Advisor is trained in delivering Morrisby Online Profiling and Motivational Mapping)
- The [CICA Professional Standards for Career Development Practitioners](#) (the Careers Advisor is a member of state and national Career Development Associations and has qualifications endorsed by CICA)
- The [Career Industry Council of Australia School Career Development Service Benchmarking Resource](#) (used to identify and address gaps in the program)

Further information for parents

See the BHHS website: <https://baulkham-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/learning-at-our-school/careers.html>

Sign up to **Study Work Grow** for updates (code available on Google Classroom):
<https://studyworkgrow.com.au/school/baulkham-hills-high-school/>

Resources to help you support your child: <https://myfuture.edu.au/footer/assist-others>

Ms Hardy

Careers Adviser



Coronavirus – Update on Work Experience Policy

Dear parents

Unfortunately due to the recent outbreak of the novel coronavirus, all work experience placements are suspended and new placements will not be approved until further notice due to increased risk to students in workplaces involving close contact with members of the public and the current policy of the DET regarding excursions and similar activities.

All placements are subject to the following policy/legislation/insurance as outlined by the DET (please note this is applicable to all schools and is not a school-based policy):

- **Workplace learning will not be approved if there are any doubts about the safety of our students:** <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/career-learning-and-vet/workplace-learning>
- Employers are subject to their obligations under the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011* (NSW) to manage risks with regards to supervising students
- Certificate of Currency (insurance certificate)

Under this policy future placements during 2020 may still be approved dependent upon the management of risks as outlined by the employer in the document (Student Placement Record), and further updates provided by the Department of Education.

Recently employers have at their discretion decided to withdraw and delay offers for placements already made to students due to their own policies. This has happened with a global IT firm with offices in Sydney and these placements have been delayed until later in the year, with the students given alternative options for suitable dates. These placements will only be approved later in the year by the school if DET policy allows.

Please note that **work experience is not a requirement of entry into medicine courses** and there are **other activities demonstrating commitment over time to helping people that are more valuable for medicine applications and interviews such as volunteering (e.g. St John's Ambulance Cadets, Red Cross)**. Students can also undertake work experience in the holidays in Year 11 and 12 if they are unable to complete it in Year 10.

This policy will be updated as soon as possible in accordance with current NSW public health guidelines if there are any changes. It is the responsibility of the school nominee (Careers Advisor) on behalf of the Principal to implement and comply with the DET's policies above in order to ensure student safety.

Thank you for your understanding.

Ms Hardy (Careers Advisor)

Cough etiquette

Cover your cough



- When coughing or sneezing, use a tissue to cover your nose and mouth
- Dispose of the tissue afterwards
- If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow.

Wash your hands



- After coughing, sneezing or blowing your nose, wash your hands with soap and water
- Use alcohol-based hand cleansers if you do not have access to soap and water

Remember hand washing is the single most effective way to reduce the spread of germs that cause respiratory disease.

Anyone with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection, regardless of the cause, should be instructed to cover their nose/mouth when coughing or sneezing; use tissues to contain respiratory secretions; dispose of tissues in the nearest waste receptacle after use; and wash their hands afterwards.

