



# 2026-2027 School Year SUMMER & SEPTEMBER INFORMATION CALEDONIA PARK SCHOOL

## CONTACT PROCEDURES DURING SUMMER

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For those families seeking to register or inquire about our school, please call the school at 780-986-7888 and leave a detailed message.

## REPORT CARDS & POWERSCHOOL

Report cards were emailed, or PowerSchool final marks were available on June 25th, 2025

## APPEAL PROCEDURES FOR MARKS, CREDITS, REPORT CARDS

To appeal a mark, please contact Donavin Simmons (donavin.simmons@blackgold.ca) on or before July 6, 2026.

On July 17, 2026, diploma exam marks from June administration will be available on *myPass* on the Alberta Education website.

## JUNE NEWSLETTER

Caledonia Park School's **June Newsletter** is posted on the school website.

## 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](#)**

Email replies will be sent for all new registrations between August 19 - 24, 2026.

Students registered in the Black Gold School Division in 2025-2026 and returning to a Black Gold School in September should NOT complete a new student registration form.

## RETURNING STUDENTS - VERIFICATION FORM

Students who were attending a Black Gold School Division (BGSD) school in 2025-2026 and are returning to a BGSD school in 2026-2027 are automatically registered for the 2026-2027 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 2026-2027 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

**Thursday, August 27, 2026**

Regular Day Morning Classes Warning Bell: 8:05 am

Regular Lunch Hour Times: 11:50 am - 12:48 pm

Regular Day Afternoon Classes Warning Bell: 12:45 pm

Regular Day Dismissal Time: 2:50 pm

## EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES (ECS): KINDERGARTEN & PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

### **KINDERGARTEN:**

Caledonia Park School offers ½ day ECS programming from Monday to Friday. Morning program hours: 8:10 – 10:54. Afternoon program hours: 12:06 – 2:50 pm. Parents will receive a letter in the mail in early August indicating their child's staggered entry dates and times. The first day of regular classes will be September 01, 2026

### **Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK)**

Every child grows differently. Our Early Intervention Pre-Kindergarten (EI-PreK) provides specialized support for "little learners who need a little more" with communication, following directions, or social-emotional development. Available at Calmar Elementary, École Bellevue, École Corinthia Park, Linsford Park, Robina Baker, and Thorsby Elementary, our program helps children build the confidence and skills needed to thrive. Children may qualify as early as two years and eight months old (by August 31) if they meet eligibility criteria. Let us partner with you to give your child a strong start. Visit [www.blackgold.ca/pre-kindergarten](http://www.blackgold.ca/pre-kindergarten) to learn about our Alberta Education funded programming today; please return on August 24 to begin our free intake and screening process as we partner with your family for a strong start to school.

### **English as an Additional Language (EAL) Junior Kindergarten:**

Every child grows differently. Our English as an Additional Language (EAL) Junior Kindergarten is a social, play-based program for children whose main language at home is not English. Led by a certified teacher and an Educational Assistant, this program focuses on increasing vocabulary through play and building communication skills in a happy, supportive environment. Offered at École Dansereau Meadows School (Beaumont) and Willow Park School (Leduc), children may qualify as early as three years and eight months old (by August 31) if they meet eligibility criteria. We celebrate the diverse cultures our families bring to the classroom! Visit <https://www.blackgold.ca/esl-junior-kindergarten> today to learn about our Alberta Education funded EAL programming; please return to the site on August 24 to begin our free intake and screening process as we partner with your family for a strong start to school.

## SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

All grades' school supply lists are posted on our website at <https://cps.blackgold.ca/parents/supply-lists/>

Caledonia Park School has teamed up with School Start for easy supply ordering! This is optional for families, but if you are interested in looking into it, please visit <https://schoolstart.ca/> – You can search our school & class lists through the “Parents Shop Here” option! All orders will be delivered directly to your home.

## TIMETABLE & TIMETABLE CHANGES

These will be provided on the first day of school.

## POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL CLASSROOM PLACEMENT

Students presently enrolled have received an email with next year's grade placement. New students will learn about classroom placements on August 27, 2026.

## 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 2026–2027 school year, visit:

<https://www.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](mailto: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](https://blackgold.ca/contact-transportation)

**2026-2027 School Year information will be posted to our BGSD website in late August.**