Bainbridge High School Students ~ we can’t wait to see you next week!

We are transitioning to our HYBRID schedule on March 1st - linked here. All hybrid students are assigned to AM or PM classes on campus.

Prior to Monday, please read through expectations and details about the return to campus explained below.

Campus Community Expectations - Read details below and watch this short video

Wear a mask
Please ensure that your mask is on, fully covering your nose and mouth, as soon as you step onto the BHS campus. We encourage you to bring a second mask in your backpack each day as well. If you need a mask during the school day, each classroom is equipped with backup masks for student and staff use. Please remember to wash cloth masks at home after use, and throw away disposable masks after wearing at school.

Watch your distance
We ask that you stay six feet apart when standing on campus, both inside and outside. We know this may feel awkward when you are talking with friends and classmates, but we need all members of the BHS community to comply with social distancing on our campus in order to keep our school up and running. Please self-monitor and pay attention to your proximity to others when standing still. During passing periods we expect you to KEEP MOVING to your next class. You only have five minutes to get from one classroom to the next, and we expect you to head towards your classroom and line up six feet apart to wait for the classroom door to open.

Wash your hands
When you arrive on campus, we ask that you use the hand-washing station at entrances and the hand sanitizer provided. At each classroom doorway there is hand sanitizer for your use upon entering. Additionally, please remember to wash your hands thoroughly in the bathrooms on campus.

Wear warm clothes
You will be expected to stand outside and wait in line to enter the COVID stations before your first class each day. Additionally, all classroom windows will be open for the duration of the school day. The classrooms and hallways can feel a bit chilly, so we strongly encourage you to wear warm clothes and dress for the weather!
If you have not already done so, we encourage all families to review the resources linked here:

- BISD Return to Learn Handbook
- BISD COVID-19 Safety Handbook
- BISD COVID-19 Data Dashboard
- BISD COVID-19 Testing for Students & Staff

### Campus Arrival - Check out the steps below and watch the attached videos

1. **Mask up before you step on to campus** -- [video](#)

2. **Wash your hands & use hand sanitizer before entering buildings/classrooms** -- [video](#)

3. **Enter BHS buildings through the COVID Monitoring Stations.**
   When you scan in through the COVID station each day, you are indicating that you can answer **NO** to the daily screening questions listed below. **If you can not answer NO** - please do not come to school.
   Thank you for helping us keep our campus community healthy and safe.

   - Do you have any of the following symptoms: fever (100.4) or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, recent loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea?
   - Have you been in close contact with anyone with confirmed COVID-19?
   - Have you had a positive COVID-19 test for active virus in the past 10 days, or are you awaiting results of a COVID-19 test?
   - Within the past 14 days, has a public health or medical professional told you to self-monitor, self isolate, or self-quarantine because of concerns about COVID-19 infection?

### Steps to enter BHS buildings:

**Go to your assigned building entry door for 1st period (M & W) or 4th period (T & Th)** -- [video](#)
When you come to campus, line up at the COVID Monitoring station at your assigned building entry door for 1st period (Monday & Wednesday) and 4th period (Tuesday & Thursday). Teachers will share this information with students during class on February 24th & 25th.

**Scan your ID card** -- [video](#)
Bring your ID card to school EVERY DAY. Please stand six feet apart from students in the line, and have your BHS ID card ready to scan when you approach the COVID monitoring station.

**Take your temperature** -- [video](#)
You will be expected to take your temperature daily upon entry to BHS buildings. Please pull down your hoods, lift hats, and make sure your forehead is visible for the scan.
Quick guide for BHS hallways & classrooms

Pay attention to directional arrows on the floors -- video
Keep moving and keep your distance, in order to keep everyone healthy at BHS. Please move through the hallways and stairways on the RIGHT side.

Standing on campus, both inside and outside -- video
Self-monitor your spacing. We know it may feel awkward to stand far apart from your friends, but we need all BHS students and staff to self-monitor spacing and stand six feet apart.

Classroom doors closed -- video
If your classroom door is closed, please wait in the hallway, spaced six feet apart from your classmates. Your teacher will open the door once classroom cleaning is complete.

Classroom windows open -- video
Classroom windows will remain open for the duration of the school day. It can be a bit breezy inside, so remember to wear layers to school.

Bathroom & water breaks -- video
Only one student will be allowed out of each classroom at a time to use the bathroom or step outside for a water break. Students are expected to use the closest bathroom to the classroom. Please note that all water breaks MUST be taken outside. Do not pull your mask down to drink from your water bottle inside BHS buildings. Water fountains are currently not available for use.

IMPORTANT info about library access, student materials & technology support - linked here

Connecting with BHS teachers & counselors

Connect with your teachers
Your time on campus will feel different than a typical school year, as we can not allow students to hang out in teachers' classrooms before and after class. We understand that this is a valuable time to connect with teachers and can't wait for this practice to return soon. For now, we need all students to enter classrooms at the start of class and exit buildings when class ends. You can connect with your teachers via email and Zoom office hours during asynchronous learning time over the week.

Connect with your counselor -- video
We will not be scheduling individual in-person meetings with BHS counselors until later this Spring. For now, you can continue to connect via email or phone, and make appointments to meet with your assigned counselor via Zoom. Counselors will be sharing out detailed information for the course request process for next year in the upcoming months and will visit junior classes to talk through important steps for Fall of Senior Year.

NOTE: In an effort to limit the number of people on our campus daily, we will not allow any visitors, guest speakers or family members to enter BHS buildings or meet with BHS staff members in-person on campus. All meetings with BHS staff members will be held via phone call or Zoom. We will revisit this policy in late April. Thank you for understanding.
Getting to and from campus
Please note there are a few changes to bus and car drop off and pick up locations at BHS this year.

Traveling by BISD school bus
CHANGE: BISD busses will pull into the FRONT loop along High School Road by the flag pole. There will be NO STUDENT DROPOFF allowed in the front loop.

Please note: The only students allowed on BISD busses are those who previously submitted their transportation need via the BISD transportation survey earlier this year.

Traveling by car - student driver (see map below)
Students driving to campus MUST have a valid parking permit to park in BHS lots -- video.

Traveling by car - adult driver (see map below)
CHANGE: There are two approved drop off and pick up points for BHS students this year.
1) Student dropoff along MLK Jr. Lane next to the new BHS theater. Cars will pull up to the curb to drop off students, and then circle the small roundabout near the tennis courts.
   Please note only RIGHT turns are permitted onto and out of MLK Jr. Lane.
2) Student dropoff in the Bainbridge Aquatic Center parking lot. Please be aware that there will be students parking in this lot, so do not block parking spots during drop off and pick up.