INSPIRING LEADERS FOR LIFE

BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Student # _____

welcome

to Grade 8 2027

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YOUR GUIDE TO PREPARING YOU FOR THE FIRST DAY OF HIGH SCHOOL

A word from our Principal

Dear Parent/Guardian

Congratulations on making a very correct and very important decision. Your decision to join one of the best schools in this country is indeed noteworthy. You have chosen an institution that has consistently produced some of the best academic, sporting and cultural results.

An institution that prides itself on developing well rounded young men and women ready to make valuable contributions to this country and the lives of all who live in it.

Having chosen Bryanston High, we ask you to please note:
- Everything that we do at this institution is in the best interest of your child/ward.
- Everything that happens at this institution is guided by the School Code of Conduct which parents signed when enrolling their child/ward.
- We are human and we will make mistakes along the way.

We implore parents to allow and encourage their child/ward to fully participate in all that is on offer. Take advantage of the grade controllers and assistant grade controllers. We also ask that parents recognise the fact that your child is now in high school and therefore it is time to allow them to slowly develop some sense of independence.

We look forward to lots of interaction with parents between now and 2031 and for the rest of your lives as we will always consider you to be family –
The True-Blue Family.

Thank you

Mr J Lawrence
Principal

Virtue

Fidelity

Justice

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Our mission

Bryanston High School strives to provide quality education within a caring environment that balances the pursuit of academic excellence and the development of life skills, so as to empower all of the learners to achieve their potential and meet the challenges of a dynamic society as responsible citizens.



Our vision

It is the school's vision that each matriculant leaving Bryanston High School will leave with a sound academic foundation, will have participated actively in various spheres of the school, will have learnt morals, respect and represent all that is noble and good within the community of Bryanston. Each matriculant will wear their uniform with pride and upon leaving the school their achievements will enable us to wish them well for their bright futures.



Our principles

- Education should be academic.
- Academic activities should always be a priority.
- Sport and Cultural Activities should play an important role in education.
- Education should be child-orientated.
- Discipline should at all times be strict, but sympathetic and fair.
- Education is a partnership between the educators, the parents and the child.
- Education has an entrepreneurial emphasis.
- Education is community based.



A warm welcome from your grade controllers

Dear Grade 8 Learners and Parents,

Welcome to an exciting new chapter in your school journey!

Starting high school is a big step, filled with new experiences, opportunities, friendships and challenges. Grade 8 is a year of discovering who you are, exploring your potential and learning to embrace new opportunities.
As your Grade Controllers, our goal is to ensure that every learner feels welcome, supported and valued. We want you to feel that you belong and that you have the confidence to become the very best version of yourself.

As you begin this journey, remember three important things:

- **Be brave: Try new things, get involved, make friends and step outside your comfort zone.**
- **Make good choices: Show kindness, respect others, take responsibility and always strive to do what is right.**
- **Ask for help: Never be afraid to speak up. Your teachers and support staff are here to guide and encourage you.**

We believe that success comes through effort, perseverance, respect and a positive attitude. There will be wonderful achievements and challenging moments along the way, but each experience is an opportunity to learn and grow.
To our parents, we look forward to building a strong partnership with you. Your support, encouragement and communication play an important role in your child's high school journey.
Remember: You are not here simply to get through high school. You are here to make the most of it!
Believe in yourself, embrace every opportunity and make memories that will last a lifetime.

We look forward to being part of your journey and watching you grow, learn and flourish.

Welcome to Grade 8.
Let's make it a fantastic year!

Meet your Grade Controllers



Mrs L Liversage

linzeliversage@bryanston.com



Mrs C Bukris

carrynbukris@bryanston.com



Ms J Mostert

Assistant

johndiemostert@bryanston.com



Ms M Cartwright

Assistant

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RCL

Representative council of learners

Welcome to Bryanston High School! We are the councillors, and our job is to look out for you, listen to your concerns and help make our school a better place for everyone.
We also encourage learners to get involved and become active members of our school community.

The RCL is all about making your voices heard and giving you the opportunity to make a difference. You can get involved by joining the RCL body, sharing your ideas and helping us bring them to life!

Remember, we are here for you, so never be afraid to approach us. We hope you enjoy your time here, embrace every opportunity and make the most of everything Bryanston to offer!





Nozo Juru (Headgirl)
Scott Baker (Headboy)

They exude the pillars of Bryanston High and they should be respected and looked upon as role models that all of you would aspire to emulate.

Code of Conduct

While it is a learner's right to receive an education, and while Bryanston High School will strive to provide the educational opportunities our community has come to expect, it is important that learners acknowledge their responsibilities to themselves, their peers, their teachers and our school.
Learners will therefore commit themselves to:

- **Be punctual for school, every lesson and extra-mural activities;**
- **Establish realistic, clear and meaningful academic goals for each year's study programme;**
- **Establish a sound work ethic to ensure sustained academic progress;**
- **Assist in keeping our buildings and grounds neat and clean by not littering and by picking-up any litter they may find;**
- **Conduct themselves, whether on school premises or not, in a manner that is a credit to the image of our school;**
- **Be courteous and respectful in their conduct towards all staff, teachers, learners, councillors and visitors to our school.**
- **At all times adhere to the school rules as set out in the learners' diary.**
- **Involve themselves in all spheres of school life to ensure our high standards are maintained;**
- **Ensure that all equipment provided by the school is used with care;**
- **Wear their school uniform with pride and dignity at all times, whether at the school, on school outings or out in the community.**

The official school diary, which is issued at the beginning of the Grade 8 school year to every learner, contains Codes of Conduct for learners and parents, the Discipline Policy, General Rules and Uniform regulations.

PARENTS ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN THE CODE OF CONDUCT.

Parents must also sign the diary daily and be aware of its contents.

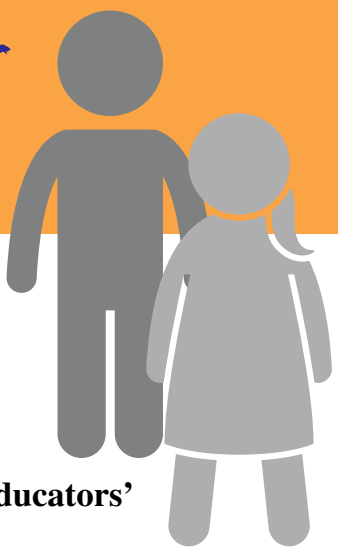
ARRIVING LATE / OR LEAVING EARLY PROCEDURE

The school bell rings at 07h30. Any learner arriving after that time must report to the home zone area where the latecomers committee will record their names. Parents of all learners that are absent or late will get an automated SMS reporting the learner absent. The absentee list will be updated daily according to the latecomers list.

Learners must obtain permission in their diary from all teachers of classes being missed before going to their Grade Controller to go home early. Under no circumstances can they phone their parents to collect them without telling their Grade Controller. They must report to the front office where they will be signed out and given a note for the guard at the gate to let them out. It is easier and preferable for parents to send a letter/email to the Grade Controllers in advance.

The School prides itself on having amicable relations it enjoys with parents/guardians. While parents/guardians can be reassured that the school will provide their children with the best possible education with the resources available to it, parents/guardians must also acknowledge certain responsibilities when it comes to a child/ward's schooling. The parents/guardians must impress on their child/ward the importance of adhering to the school rules and the disciplinary standards required by the school and the parent body as a whole (as represented by the Governing Body).

Code for Parents



Parents shall strive to

1. **Support educators in their efforts to teach their children i.e. monitor homework, check test results, help set goals, regularly consult the diary for educators' comments.**
2. **Communicate with Grade Controllers or the Principal timeously regarding areas of concern before they become major issues.**
3. **Involve themselves as much as possible in the School's activities, either actively on a Parents' Committee or Governing Body or simply as committed supporters of the School.**
4. **Familiarise themselves with the School's admission documents and the Code of Conduct to avoid confusion at a later date.**
5. **Make suggestions for learners through the Grade Controllers, or provide assistance on request to improve the educational process and environment.**
6. **Nurture their child's learning through guidance, questioning, assisting and showing interest in their child's academic progress.**
7. **Provide the daily opportunities needed by their child to complete set scholastic work at home.**
8. **Ensure that their child arrives punctually for all school activities.**
9. **Familiarise themselves with the School's Discipline Policy and support the School in the implementation and administration thereof.**
10. **Fulfil their financial obligation to the School by paying the school fees as agreed upon at the Annual General Meeting of the Parent Body.**
11. **Inculcate sound values and norms in their child to ensure that every child at Bryanston High School contributes to the establishment and maintenance of a stable learning environment.**

The school rules referred to in the above policy as well as the full school Code of Conduct is printed in the learner's diary.

To help prevent cyber bullying and assist with the possible issues that may arise throughout the year, we as Grade Controllers would like to raise the following points with parents and guardians:

1. Learners blocking parents on different platforms:

a. Social media platforms, such as WhatsApp, Instagram, Facebook, TikTok and others, have the functionality on which you can block certain followers/friends from viewing specific posts and status updates. This allows learners to block their parents/guardians from viewing things they post daily. Learners have been making use of this functionality to publicly bully other learners and/or to post inappropriate photos of themselves and/or friends.

2. Learners creating multiple accounts:

a. The beforementioned social media platforms also allow users to create multiple profiles by some learners, which are used in a similar fashion. Learners create these additional profiles to contact other users/learners anonymously and bully/blackmail them.

3. WhatsApp Groups:

a. WhatsApp groups between learners are not permitted unless a teacher is present to monitor the content of the group. The school discourages the use of WhatsApp to contact other learners without the knowledge of parents/guardians.

4. WhatsApp and its use by the school and teachers:

a. WhatsApp is not considered as a formal means of communication by the school. Register class groups and subject groups are created by teachers purely as a method to remind learners of what homework has been given and is due, what the demarcation is for tests and for grade controllers to quickly find learners who are needed for whatever reason.

5. School diaries:

a. All learners are provided with a school diary at the start of each year. These diaries must be the primary resource used to record homework and must be used by learners when signing out for early collection.

6. Parents overseeing phones:

a. A reminder to parents struggling to limit their child's/ward's cellphone usage: You as the parent/guardian of the learner has full rights to take the phone away as it is YOUR property, not that of the learner. You are the one who purchased the phone, and you are the one allowing the learner to temporarily use it.

b. There is an application called "BARK" which parents/guardians can use to better control and limit their child/ward's use of their phones. This application allows parents to monitor incoming messages and set time limits on the use of phones. Please visit your phone's Appstore for more information on the app.

7. Lost and stolen phones:

a. Learners who bring their cellphones to school are responsible for keeping the phones safe. The school is in no way liable for the loss, damage, or theft of ANY cellular devices.

It is only with the support of parents/guardians that cyberbullying can be prevented. We as Grade Controllers implore you to be vigilant and monitor your child/ward and their online activities.

Yours sincerely
Grade 8 Grade Controllers



Stay Informed. Be Involved.

CONTACTING TEACHERS

The main line of communication for parents is either via telephone, (ask reception to be redirected to the person you wish to be directed to, or otherwise leave a message for them (if they're teaching) or you can send an email to individual teachers.

Staff and educator email information is available on the Scadsys parent portal or the school website.

Communication Platforms

To register please go to www.bryanston.com and register for the PARENT PORTAL.

Once logged on, you can check your Fee Accounts, child's term assessments, test and exam results, disciplinary issues, absenteeism, letters to parents and teachers' contact information

PLEASE NOTE YOU CAN ONLY REGISTER IN THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Enjoy your school's successes, news & photos on the official Bryanston High School Facebook and Instagram page (**@bryanstonhighschool**).

http://www.facebook.com/pages/BryanstonHighSchool

CONTACT US

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(011) 706 6010

Office Email Address
bryhigh@bryanston.com

OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tue, and Thurs
07h40 - 14h20

Wednesday and Fri
07h40 - 13h20

The school's website is **www.bryanston.com** and contains links to useful information such as exam timetables and the latest newsletters, as well as valuable contact information.

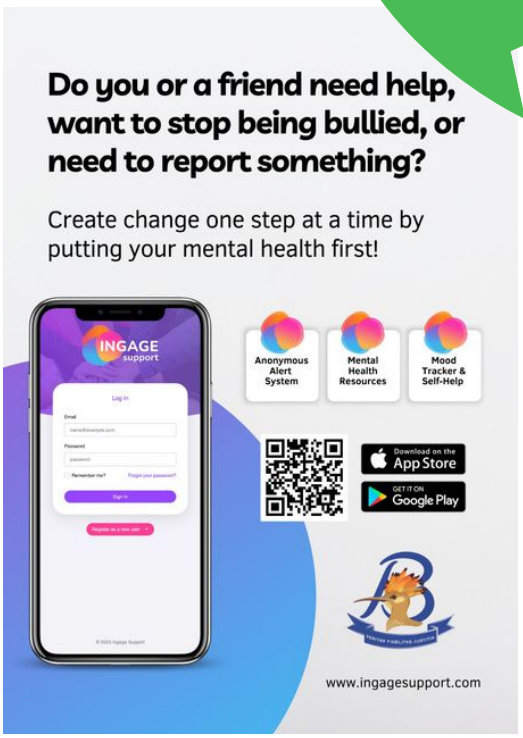


All students are signed up for Office 365!

What does Office 365 give me as a student?

- A personalised school email address (50GB mailbox).
- Free Microsoft Office on up to 5 devices.
- 1TB of Cloud storage in OneDrive.
- Microsoft TEAMS - Ability to collaborate and communicate with your teachers – get notes, chat, extra resources, past papers, submit assignments and homework electronically to your teachers.
- Be informed about school activities and events, assessment dates and more.
- No cost – it is free. Grade 8's will get their email addresses and logins in the new year.

Mental health Matters!



Mental Health Matters at Bryanston High School!

A very warm welcome to our new grade 8 learners. I would like you to know that you are not alone! It is okay to speak to a Counsellor if you are struggling with your mental health. Do not suffer in silence, your school Counsellor is here for you.

My name is Vanessa Seme and I am Head of our Counselling Department at Bryanston High. I am available daily and can be contacted on vanessaseme@bryanston.com. Working alongside me is Ruby Mazenge, our social worker. Her email address is rubymazenge@bryanston.com

The counselling office is situated inside the Media Centre, straight down the steps, next to the zebra picture on the wall.

I would like to highlight a very valuable hub of information on mental health because #mentalhealthmatters!

This website includes webinars, tough topics, psycho-education, helplines, articles and more. Visit The South African Depression & Anxiety Group: www.sadag.org



#bekindtoyourmind

True Blue



SPORTSMANSHIP

SPORT AND CULTURAL EXTRA-MURAL ACTIVITIES

These are an integral part of an overall education and every child is encouraged to participate in at least one extra-mural activity each term.
More on the options available will be discussed in the first few days of school in 2026.

SCHOOL HOUSES

Apollo is **YELLOW**

Neptune is **BLUE**

Jupiter is **RED**

Mercury is **GREEN**

AFTER SCHOOL PROCEDURES

Learners are to wait at the designated learners' gate until 3pm. After 3pm this gate will be locked and learners will be moved to the allocated confined waiting area. The tuck shop will close daily shortly after school.
Please note that Bryanston High Pupils are not allowed to wander around the Bryanston Shopping Centre without their parents.





Please tell us about any allergies, medical conditions or medications that you have.

Important Information

One of the best ways to ensure your child has a successful high school career is for you to get involved. There are many opportunities for parent involvement, we will send out a form at the start of the year asking where you would like to assist. Whatever your talent or passion, come forward and we will happily find a use for your skills and enthusiasm.
Some of the opportunities for involvement are:

Sports and Functions Committee (SFC) needs your help with anything from making sandwiches, providing a cake for a function, helping decorate the hall for a dance, assisting sports teams with refreshments and tea on Derby Day's etc.
Contact Mrs Tamsyn Lobban: tamsynlobban@bryanston.com

School Governing Body (SGB) has a number of sub-committees and would welcome your input in areas such as marketing and fundraising.
Contact bryhigh@bryanston.com

Social Responsibility Programme is another opportunity for you, as parents together with your children to get involved with a charity organisation for the year. During the year the Grade 8 classes will be required to assist with various fund-raising activities and community-based projects.
More information will be given out at the start of the school year. Should you have any suggestions or perhaps contacts that could help with this initiative, please contact Mrs Liversage: linzeliversage@bryanston.com / Mrs Bukris: carrynbukris@bryanston.com

Bryanston High School Marketing: we encourage you to share any photos that you take at any school events, sports, games, etc with our marketing team so that we can load these onto our social media pages.
Please share any news on activities your child participates in outside of school with us.
We would love to share this news with our community on our social media platforms.

Email: tamsynlobban@bryanston.com

Extra-murals







OFFERED AT BHS

SPORT

Athletics
Cheerleeding
Chess
Cricket
Cross country
Equestrian
Hockey
Netball
Open water swimming
Orienteering
Rugby
Squash
Swimming
Tennis
Tennis coaching
Volleyball
Padel
Robotics
E-Sports

CULTURE

Drama
Backstage Crew
Catering
First Aid
Photography Club
Public speaking
Debating
Sound & Lighting
Science Expo
Model UN
Book Club

SERVICE

Debs & Squires
Olympiads
LIA (Leadership in Action)

Get involved!
There is something for everybody!

10 TIPS FOR SPORT PARENTS



TOP 10 TIPS



#1 FOCUS ON THE PROCESS NOT THE RESULT

#2 AVOID PRESSURING A CHILD ABOUT WINNING OR LOSING



#3 HELP YOUR CHILD TO SEPARATE SPORT FAILURE FROM PERSONAL FAILURE

#4 GIVE YOUR CHILD FREEDOM TO PROBLEM SOLVE AND MAKE THEIR OWN DECISIONS

#5 ENCOURAGE, ENCOURAGE, ENCOURAGE



#6 ALLOW YOUR CHILD TO PLAY FOR HIMSELF OR HERSELF

#7 ENCOURAGE YOUR CHILD TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR DECISIONS



#8 WATCH WHAT YOU SAY TO YOUR CHILD



#9 RESPECT AND DO NOT INTERFERE WITH THE COACH



#10 DO NOT CONSTANTLY INSTRUCT DURING TRAINING AND GAMES

@BelievePHQ

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GOOD SPORT PARENT

VS.

BAD SPORT PARENT

- Supports the coach
- Lets their child make decisions
- Encourages their child
- Lets their child have fun
- Praises their child and cheers for everyone
- Is a role model
- Respects officials
- Respects the opposition
- Supports the coaches decisions
- Gives their child autonomy
- Wants their child to learn lessons from sport



- Argues with the coach
- Constantly shouts instructions
- Criticises their child
- Over pressures their child
- Compares their child to other players
- Demonstrates negative behaviours
- Is abusive towards officials
- Argues with opposition parents/players
- Disagrees with the coaches decisions
- Tells their child how to play
- Wants their child to win at all costs

Leadership in Action

Carnival Day

Carnival Day is a much-anticipated event that is put together by the LIA (Leadership In Action) committee and each Grade 8 class. Each LIA group will choose a country to represent with their designated Grade 8 class. It is a day where imagination knows no bounds and our LIA and Grade 8 class get the chance to showcase their talents by representing their countries' food, traditional dance, games and cultural attire.

We would like to encourage the Grade 8 learners to get involved in this LIA event as this will give them a chance to get to know the Grade 11 learners with hopes that they will be mentored by them throughout the year.

The aim of the Carnival Day is to showcase the school's diversity and high-spirited community as students from different backgrounds will be working together towards a common goal, each adding their individual touch, however, it fosters community and reinforces a sense of teamwork and understanding between the Grade 8 and Grade 11 learners.

This will all be monitored by the teachers in charge who will be overseen by our MICs of LIA, Mr Wian Van Wyk, Mr Sam Malebane and Miss Natania Krishnasamy.

In 2026, we raised over R50,000 from Carnival Day and would like to break that record in 2027. We believe that with support from parents in aspects such as sponsorships, food, catering and assistance on the day that this is possible.

We look forward to working with the Grade 8's of 2027 in making this day a success.













School Hours

Please ensure to fetch your child timeously everyday!

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
07h30 - 14h20

Wednesday
07h30 - 13h20

Friday
07h30-13h20



CALENDAR & TIMETABLE INFORMATION (LINKS ON WEBSITE)

- https://www.bryanston.com/events/calendar-of-events (Main school calendar of events)
- https://sport.bryanston.com/ (Sports calendar & all sport information - under construction)
- https://www.bryanston.com/academic/assessment-program (Assessment calendars)
- https://www.bryanston.com/academic/exam-timetables (Exam timetables)
- https://bhs.edupage.org/timetable/ (Class timetables)

Important Dates

Tuesday - 12 January 2027

Term 1 - School starts promptly at 09h00.
You are required to be at school by 08h40. (Please refer to the back of the booklet for more information.)

Friday - 15 January 2027

Grade 8 Gala

This fun - filled gala, during school hours is a traditional Bryanston High School activity that is aimed at having fun in the sun after your first few days at our institution.
Learners will receive a light lunch at the gala.

Wednesday - 27 January 2026

Grade 8 Induction

#igniteyourflame

5th - 7th March 2026

Grade 8 camp





Grade 8 Camp

5th - 7th March 2026

Learners will be able to get to know their peers and educators in a fun and interactive environment at **CAMP KONKA.**

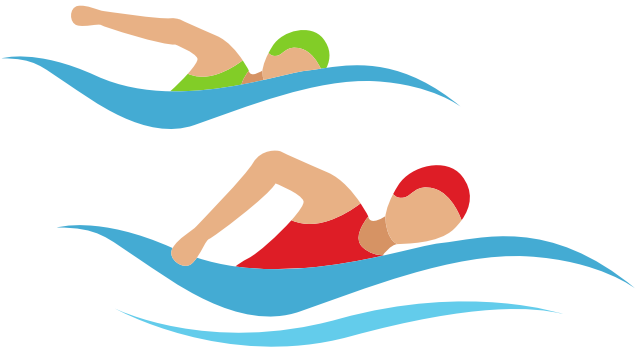
(Cost - R2600 - payable on or before the 28th of February 2027) The price is inclusive of all meals, activities, accommodation and transport.

Please will all parents scan the QR code and fill out the required information





Grade 8 Gala

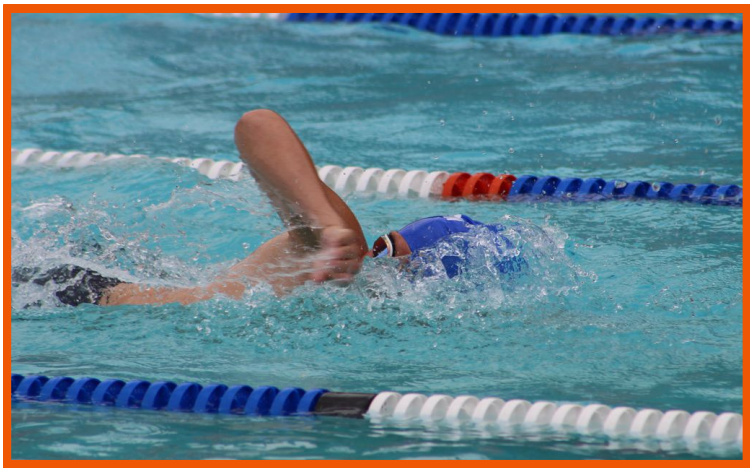


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Blue Flame Cafe

Dear Parents / Guardians

Blue Flame Café Tuckshop at Bryanston High School – Independently Run

Each child is on the Scadsys system which is a computerised point of sale at the tuckshop. Learners are able to load money on the system by either cash or credit or debit cards. The learner can load money onto their student number, this is a safe way of not having to carry cash with them at school This system will not allow them to purchase on the student number if there is no money on their account.

Parents can log onto the parent portal via the Bryanston High School web site **(www.bryanston.com).** Parents / learners need to register to access the portal. To check our full range of items and prices available to purchase you need to go the parent drop down and scroll down to menu and restrictions. To see the student available balance, click on the Parent drop down menu – Student Account.

The tuckshop has a pre-ordering system, whereby we urge the students to order their lunch etc. before school commences (we do not do online orders). The tuckshop opens at 7am every morning for Pre-ordering. This method alleviates long queues and them not being able to purchase their preferred lunch and being disappointed due to being sold out of certain food. We have a separate queue for students who have pre-ordered which allows the students to seamlessly get their pre-order. From time-to-time specials will be run and advertised in advance.

We urge as many learners as possible to use the pre-order system to help us with social distancing.

Operating Times:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

07h00 - 16h00

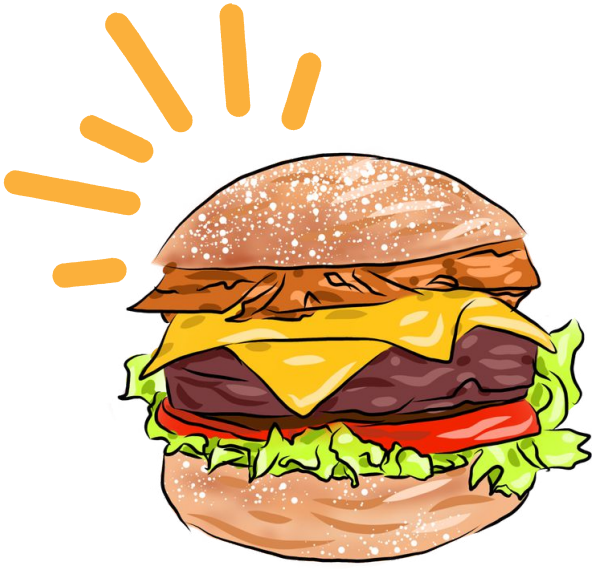
Wednesday & Friday

07h00 - 15h00 unless there is sport

Limited hot food can be ordered for the afternoon

Regards

Blue Flame Cafe



Blue Flame Cafe

Menu



Toasted Sandwiches: Cheese, Cheese & Tomatoe, Cheese & Ham, Bacon & Cheese and Chicken Mayo

Burgers: Crumbed Chicken (halaal), Chicken, Beef and Rib

Wraps: Chicken or Vegetable

Hot Dog: Chicken (Halaal)

Pies: Chicken & Mushroom, Pepper, Beef & Onion, Cheese Burger, Cornish, Steak & Kidney, Sausage Roll, Spinach &Feta, Veg, Curry. (All pies are Halaal)

Salads: Green, Feta, Chicken, Bacon, Avocado

Rolls: Health Roll, Chicken Mayo, Chicken Prego

Refreshments: Cool drinks, Still & Sparkling water, Energades, Super C, Flavoured Water, Steri-Stumpies

Snacks: Lays Chips. Chelsea Buns, Biscuits, Muffins and Breakfast Muesli

What's to Eat?

The SFC

Bryanston High School has a proud culture of parent involvement. We have a well-established Sports and Functions Committee (SFC) that enables parents to get involved and to use their unique talents and skills to help make each event successful. Through this committee new parents are given the opportunity to meet and network with other parents of our school. You are also given a valuable insight into school programmes and upcoming events, that assists you as a new parent to integrate into high school life.

We invite you, our new parents, to join this committee and bring fresh energy and ideas to our events and our school. If you are interested, our first information meeting will take place in the school hall on **Tuesday 19th January 2027** from **17h00 and 17h30**.
We invite you to attend this meeting where we will give you all the information about the SFC and answer any questions you may have.
You are under no obligation to join the committee, but we would love you to join us, hear about the function of this SFC Committee.









School fees



As per the South African Schools Act 1996 (No. 84 of 1996) and Government Notice No. 1293 of 12 October 1998, Bryanston High School is a Section 21 FEE PAYING School.

PAYMENT METHODS

1) Electronic Funds Transfer

For those paying monthly or annually in advance, EFTs must be made directly into the school's bank account.

Bank FNB Weirda Valley Branch 26 09 50 Account 588 200 284 97

Always include the Student Number as reference, plus what the payment is for.

2) Cash Payments

We do not accept Cash for Fee Payments at the school.

For the few families that do not yet have bank accounts cash payments may still be made at any of the hundreds of EasyPay outlets around the country. The closest of which are across the road at Checkers in the Bryanston Shopping Centre, and in the Pick n Pay on the corner of Winnie Mandela Drive and Republic Roads.

Other EasyPay sites include Spar, Makro, ABSA, Shell, Caltex, Telkom and Post Offices.

Please ensure that you use your unique EasyPay reference number (at the bottom of your fees statement).



We are proud of our culture of payment!

PAYMENT OPTIONS

		Grade 8	Grade 9-12
OPTION 1 - Pay over 10 Months after First Instalment		ZAR	
SCHOOL FEES 2027		62 500	60 500
First instalment	**30 November 2026**	5 000	5 000
Balance Payable over 10 months from January to October 2027		57 500	55 500
Ten EQUAL payments	From 31 January	5 750	5 550
OPTION 2 - One Payment in full by 31 December 2026			
SCHOOL FEES 2026		62 500	60 500
First Instalment	30 November 2026	-5 000	-5 000
5% Fee Reduction for Early payment	31 December 2026	-3 125	-3 025
Balance payable	31 December 2026	54 375	52 475

2026 School Fees

INDICATIVE ADDITIONAL COSTS

Academic and Extracurricular (Variable)

Uniforms (full set per learner)
Extramural kit
Equipment
Tours, outings
Textbooks
Stationery
Camps
Entrepreneur Days
Levy for additional subjects

Levies for elective subjects (Payable in January)

Computers/CAT/IT	R1 500
Art	R1 500
Consumer Studies	R1 600

EGD Equipment to be purchased from Media Centre

Grade 9 Business Simulation	R220

Other

Matric Dance	R920 pp
Matric Jackets	R850

2026 School Fees

Payment References

For all payments made to the school please use the following format:
STUDENT NUMBER and REFERENCE according to activity/event
Example:
22333/ Gr 8 Camp OR 22333 / School Fees

Important reminders

1. **WE'RE A FEE-PAYING SCHOOL** – If you're looking for a no-fee school, kindly ask any of our admissions staff for a list of nearby schools that are State supported and do not charge fees. Contrary to popular opinion, the State does not reimburse us for any exemptions that may be granted and we expect all parents to pay their way.

2. **IF YOU'RE ASSISTING SOMEONE ELSE'S CHILD** - Any person who is not the biological parent or guardian of any child that they wish to admit to the school – shall, save in so far as they are legally exempt, be required to accept responsibility of Parent as defined in Section 1 of the Schools Act.

3. **SPONSOR** – If you have indicated that you are a Sponsor for this child, be aware that this means you are sponsoring their school fees and related costs (e.g. uniforms, stationery, tours etc.), and not simply "assisting them to fill out the forms".

4. **IF YOU'RE DIVORCED** – The Supreme Court of Appeal has ruled that both Parents are jointly and severally liable to the school for fees, regardless of which Parent admitted the Child, who has custody, who has residence and who the divorce order says is responsible for the school fees. We are not here to mediate, adjudicate or enforce your divorce agreement

Textbook requirements

Please refer to the separate hand out



Uniform requirements

Learners are required to have the following uniform when they start their first day of Grade 8 at Bryanston High School:

GIRLS SUMMER UNIFORM

· Grey skirt
· Light weight royal blue sleeveless jersey with school badge
· White dual shirt with school badge
· White anklet socks (no secret socks)
· BHS royal blue blazer with school badge

BOYS SUMMER UNIFORM

· Grey trousers
· White dual shirt with school badge
· Light weight royal blue sleeveless jersey with school badge
· Grey anklet socks
· BHS royal blue blazer with school badge

GIRLS SPORTS UNIFORMS

· BHS white cap sleeve sports shirt for girls with school badge
· EITHER Blue shorts quantec OR Blue and white girls skorts

BOYS SPORTS UNIFORM

· BHS white sports shirt for boys with school badge
· Blue shorts quantec

GIRLS WINTER UNIFORM

· Grey skirt
· Heavy weight royal blue sleeveless jersey with school badge
· White long sleeve winter shirts
· BHS royal blue blazer with school badge
· BHS royal blue tie with badge
· Royal blue winter jersey
· Girls winter socks (grey)
· Grey stockings—ladderless

BOYS WINTER UNIFORM

· Grey trousers
· White long sleeve winter shirts
· Heavy weight royal blue sleeveless jersey with school badge
· Grey anklet socks
· BHS royal blue blazer with school badge
· BHS royal blue tie with badge
· Royal blue winter jersey

BHS learners wear their uniform with pride!

Bryanston High Uniform Shopping starts now!



Avoid the New Year's rush- Shop this side of the year

We invite you to come enjoy a shopping experience like no other @
Fourways Crossing Shopping Center - Winnie Mandela Drive &
Sunrise Blvd - Lonehill
McCullagh & Bothwell - Shop U2 Upper level

Why shop now?

- ✅ Skip the long lines in January
- ✅ Get the right sizes before they sell out
- ✅ Enjoy friendly, personal service

Come in NOW and get your child school-ready early! Let's make "back to school" a breeze this year.

011 705 1070 / fourways@mcandb.co.za
Mon-Fri 08:30 - 17:00
Sat 08:30-15:00
Sun & Public Holidays 08:30- 13:00

McCullagh & Bothwell
SCHOOL WEAR

Dear Bryanston High Parents and Learners

The importance of shopping *early* to miss the January rush!

AVOID THE JANUARY QUEUES AND FRUSTRATION!

As I am sure you are aware by now, the Bryanston High uniform shop has moved from the school premises to our **Fourways Crossing branch**. We would like to invite you to come and visit us, and encourage you to come early (November or early December) to buy your uniform for 2026.

Over time, experience has taught us that having a queuing system, along with making use of our Order-and-Collect facility, enables us to offer parents a more efficient & overall better service, over the January back to school rush. However, it is inevitable that from time to time there will be queues.

Due to this, we therefore *STRONGLY* encourage you to do your uniform shopping as early as possible.

Please note that the number of shoppers allowed in the store at a time, will be restricted. ***From a customer shopping experience perspective, it really is in your best interests to shop early, if at all possible! Don't leave your shopping until January!***

Points to note:

SHOP EARLY – Before the middle of December
BRING ESSENTIAL SHOPPERS ONLY PLEASE
BE ORGANISED- Plan what you need and know your sizes in advance if possible (by checking your previously bought uniform)
Make use of our ORDER-AND-COLLECT Service- If you know what you need and KNOW your sizes, email us your order in advance to collect and pay (dedicated collection point when busy)- see attached template or **visit www.mcandb.co.za**

Make use of our ONLINE SHOPPING STORE – visit https://bryanstonhighschool.mcandb.co.za/

Normal trading hours	January extended trading hours
Monday to Friday: 8:30am to 5pm Saturday: 8.30am to 3pm Sunday & Public holiday: 9:00am to 1pm NOTE: 25&26 December & 1 January: Closed	Monday to Friday: 8:30am to 5pm Saturday: 8.30am to **5pm** Sunday & Public holiday: 9:00am to 1pm

Saturday afternoons after 2pm are generally quieter, and are a good time to shop! The shop is generally substantially **BUSIER *after* 11am each day**, therefore shopping before 11am is recommended.

4waysreceiving@mcandb.co.za Tel: 011 705 1070 Cell: 082 077 9500 www.mcandb.co.za

Please ONLY use this facility if you know the actual McCullagh & Bothwell garment size. Do NOT use this facility if you are a first-time customer or if you are not sure of what garment and size you need!

McCULLAGH & BOTHWELL ORDER-AND-COLLECT FORM

CUSTOMER INFORMATION	
CUSTOMER NAME:	
CUSTOMER CONTACT NUMBER:	
CUSTOMER EMAIL ADDRESS:	
DATE OF ORDER:	
SCHOOL NAME:	

INTERNAL USE	
REFERENCENUMBER:	
DATE ADVISED READY FOR COLLECTION:	
ORDER HANDLED BY:	

ITEM- Please describe item fully/ be very clear regarding the item you require (eg: 'short sleeve boys school shirt' instead of 'shirt')	LEARNER GRADE	QTY	*Mc&B SIZE (MUST be actual Mc&B garment size)	** SIZING COMMENT

*Use this column if you know yourMc&B size. It is imperative we try to getthesizing correct,as thiswill prevent having toreturn for an exchange.
**Use this column if you are not sureof Mc&B sizing to provide guidance orinformationtoassist uswith estimating your size. A previously bought garment is the best info source for guidance- pleaseuse/ provide the sizing from a previouslybought 'same'garmentwhere possible. Checkgarments for size when collecting order!

Fourways Crossing 011 705 1070 4waysreceiving@mcandb.co.za

Second-Hand Uniform Shop

Bryanston High School offers a second-hand uniform shop for
Bryanstonians looking to purchase pre-loved uniforms that are still in good condition.
The shop is conveniently located on the school premises down the main driveway on the left hand side and is run by Mrs Musper.

Operating hours
Monday - Friday 07h00 - 12h00
Contact: Aida on amtenaja@gmail.com/ 0790171961

Our second hand uniform shop does hold the lost property should any items be
handed in to the school

Find your way around



Guide to a Fool Proof First Day



DAY ONE

PARENTS please drop your child at the top parking lot on Tralee Road before 09h00 on Tuesday 12 January 2027. Feel free to take those special "first day" photos at the gate but please do not come down into the school with your child.

LEARNERS on Day 1, you will be dressed as your favorite Super Hero, carrying a bag big enough for your 2027 textbooks, an exam pad and a pen and will be met in the top parking lot by your Matric Councillors and escorted to the hall or quad (depending on the weather) where you will be issued with your Induction Handbook.
We will finish at 13h00 on Day 1.



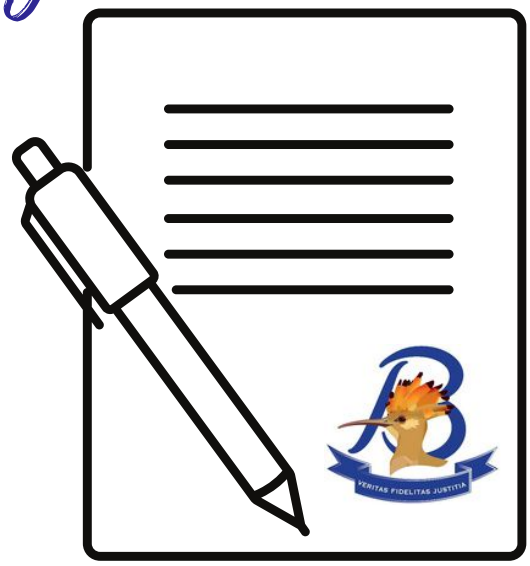
DAY TWO, THREE AND FOUR

You will be dropped off at the same place for the next 5 years.
Take a deep breath as you tackle this next stage of your journey, and relax…
There is no initiation at our school, but you will, like all pupils before you, participate in a fun orientation programme for a few days while you all get to know each other and make new friends.



Look after your belongings. If they must be left unattended, leave them in view of our security cameras. Please mark items clearly with your name.

What to bring with you on your first day of high school...



Exam pad and pen

School bag for your Textbooks

1x Ream of Typex paper

Baby/toddler photo of yourself (standard jumbo 10x15 size photo)

Transfer card from your Primary School

A copy of Grade 7 School Report

NB! PLEASE email a copy of your grade 7 report to linzeliversage@bryanston.com by 6 January 2026

R120 paid into the schools KARRI APP by 13th January 2027 which covers all Grade 8 gala and Induction evening learner catering.

Dressed as your favorite "Super Hero"

Please carry packed lunch / money for tuckshop & a water bottle

Orientation Week Program

To begin with, the Grade 8s will be coming into school on Tuesday, 12th January from 09:00 to 13:00. Please ensure that your child brings their school bag on this day, as we plan to hand out textbooks to them in order to avoid taking up valuable teaching time on the Monday the 18th of January when they'll be in their classes.

A quick rundown of what they can expect over the next four days at school:

- **Day 1:** This will be all about familiarizing the students with their new environment. They will meet their counselors and educators, sort out their textbooks, and be divided into their register classes. It will also be a great chance for them to get to know one another.
- **Day 2:** The focus will be on the introduction of school culture, including some camp administration, transfer cards, and the collection of Grade 7 reports and a ream of paper for the administration process.
- **Day 3**: This will be a fun day with a rotation of eight different activity stations, where students will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of activities, ensuring they have a good time while getting to know their peers.
- **Day 4:** We will begin the day with some quick final administration, and then the students will enjoy a sports day, which will include demonstrations of the various sports. We will end off the day with a swimming gala—which is always a highlight. Please make sure to scan the QR code in your information booklet and fill in the questionnaire for the swimming gala.

On these days, we will be joined by our wonderful Grade 8 counselors, who will be working closely with both us and the Grade 8 students to ensure they have a smooth start to their Bryanston High School journey.

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