

EBHS EAGLE BUTTE HIGH SCHOOL

APRIL

BUTTE BULLETIN

2026



Rocheal Howes,
Principal



Greg Elgie,
Vice Principal



Lyall Foran,
Vice Principal

Quick Links:

SCHOOL UPDATES & INFO

FUTURE FOCUS

TALON PRIDE

OFF-CAMPUS &
COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

If at any time in the school year you have any questions or concerns for your student, please reach out directly to their Teacher or Academic Counsellor.

Staff Directory &
Contact Info
~ Click Here ~



EBHS Midterm Semester 2 Report Cards

Wednesday,
April 15

Issued digitally to
Parent/Student PowerSchool &
Email by end of school day

Paper copies available for pick up upon request

Class Times

PERIOD 1	8:50 - 10:05
PERIOD 2	10:10 - 11:25
TAG	11:30 - 12:05
LUNCH	12:05 - 12:45
PERIOD 4	12:45 - 2:00
PERIOD 5	2:05 - 3:20



MIDTERMS

A Checkpoint, Not the Finish Line



Midterm report cards will be hitting your inbox and available via PowerSchool just after we return from Easter break. They are a moment to take a step back and assess where things stand right now, and also, where improvement is possible. With several weeks left in the semester, there is still plenty of time to make a course correction if needed.

Students often look at a mark they are not proud of and feel discouraged. But midterms are actually an invitation. They are a chance to refocus, ask questions, catch up on assignments, and finish the semester stronger than it started.

And, there is one habit that makes a bigger difference than almost anything else: **handing all assignments in**. Even if the work isn't perfect. Even if it's not your best day. Turning in an assignment matters more than many students realize. The gap between "not great" and "not done" is much bigger than many students think.



One of the most powerful tools our students have is **TAG time**. It is dedicated time that gives access to all teachers: to ask questions, to get help, to catch up on missing work, to redo assessments. Using this time well can quickly turn things around and prevent small gaps from becoming bigger ones. And when you've put in that effort, Flex Friday becomes more than just a reward, it is something you have earned. Your TAG time can be the bridge between where you are now and where you want to be by the end of the semester, and using it well makes that strong finish not just possible, but likely.

School isn't about perfection. It's about persistence. Progress happens when students keep showing up, keep trying, and keep submitting their work. If midterm marks are strong, keep building on that momentum. If they are not where you want them to be yet, remember that the semester is not over. There is still ample time to improve, and getting every assignment turned in is a step in the right direction.

The simplest formula for steady progress is **being in class and making the most of the time spent at school**. It keeps work from piling up and feeling overwhelming. We know students have busy lives beyond our doors with jobs, sports, family commitments, and other responsibilities. But the time spent in class means students do not miss the what and how of any assignment and have better recall for assessments when they are not missing curriculum content.

There is still plenty of semester left to write your strong ending.
I know you can do it!

~ Mrs. Howes

EBHS Principal

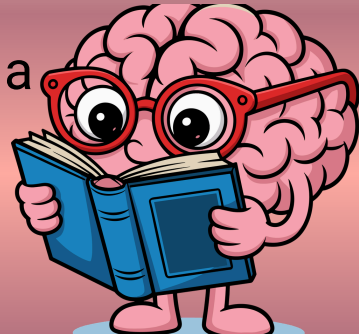
Well Done!



LIBRARY

Curious what teachers are reading this month? Check out a few book reviews here!

And, don't forget to grab a good read before the Easter break.



Happening Tonight

TOO COOL, FOUR SCHOOLS LIVE CHOIR & BAND CONCERT @ THE ESPLANADE

A CREATIVE
COLLABORATION
INCLUDING:

EAGLE BUTTE HIGH SCHOOL
CRESCENT HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL,
MEDICINE HAT HIGH SCHOOL &
MCCOY MONSIGNOR HIGH SCHOOL



COST \$20 Adult or \$10 Youth
DATE Tuesday, March 31, 2026
TIME 7:00 PM

Inside Our Doors: School Updates & Info

Stay Informed & Get Involved

Be Part of the Conversation:

Join Our Parent Association



Parents and guardians play a huge role in shaping the Eagle Butte experience. Our Parent Association is a great way to stay connected, share ideas, and support the work happening at EBHS. We meet on the third Monday of each month at the school. Your voice matters and your presence makes a difference.

**Next meetings is
April 20th @ 6:30
We meet in Room #109**



**CAN'T BE THERE
IN PERSON?**

Meeting Link:
[EBHS Parent
Council Google Meet](#)

Join By Phone:
(CA) [+1 289-335-9335](#)
PIN: 141480954



PARENT ASSOCIATION NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

**Saturday, July 18th &
Sunday, July 19th**

Our Casino is by far our largest fundraiser bringing in over \$16,000 which is put directly into programming and supplies for the students and the school.

We need several volunteers!

Volunteers need no experience, get a free meal and endless soda/water throughout their shift. Shifts are roughly 5-6 hours starting mid-afternoon to late.

If you are able to help, please fill out the Google Form: [SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER](#)

Any questions, please call Erin @ 403-548-4795



School Year Summary 2025/2026



SEMESTER 2

April 3 - April 12	Easter Vacation
April 15	Midterm Report Cards
April 24	SI Day - No School for Students
May 15	SI Day - No School for Students
May 18	Victoria Day Holiday
May 29 - 30	Graduation
June 10	Athletic Awards
June 12 - 23	Final Exam Week (tentative to AB Ed.)
June 26	Last Staff Day

2025
2026

PRPS Division Calendars

2026/2027 School Year Calendar



NEW!

REGISTER FOR THE 26/27 SCHOOL YEAR

Confirm your enrollment for the 26/27 school year, or submit your application for an academy program today!



2026-2027

Registration

HELPFUL HINTS

- ✗ At this time you cannot use the PowerSchool app to complete the registration.
- ✗ PowerSchool Enrollment is NOT the same as the PowerSchool Parent Portal. You need a separate account.

Returning PRPS Students

Registration forms will be assigned to all current PRPS students for the 2026-2027 the beginning of February. Families will receive an email from PowerSchool Enrollment with a special code. Each family will be required to make an account when completing their registration forms for the first time using PowerSchool Enrollment.

Step 1: Click the link in the email.

Step 2: Make a new PowerSchool Enrollment account (this is NOT the same as your PowerSchool account).

Step 3: You will be asked to enter your child's birthdate to confirm your identity. The form will be prepopulated and only current changes are required.

New PRPS Student Registrations

If your family is brand new to Prairie Rose Public Schools, you will be required to create a PowerSchool Enrollment account to complete your registration. Only one per family.

Step 1: Create your account: <https://registration.ca.powerschool.com/family/Login>

Step 2: Choose the form labelled New PRPS Student Registration AND the year 2026-2027. This form will not be available until February 2nd.

Learn more by visiting our Student Registration Guide

www.myprps.com/student-registration-guide

Future Focus: Need to Know & Next Steps

From Classroom to Career



Guidance Updates: Courses, Colleges & Scholarships

We are continuing to work with our Grade 10 and 11 students to finalize course selections for the upcoming school year. Each student meets one-on-one with their counsellor to review credits and plan courses moving forward. Students leave these meetings with a copy of their three-year plan, which we encourage them to take home and review with their parents or guardians. If students would like to adjust their course choices, they are welcome to stop by the office to make an appointment. While we always strive to support student requests, please note that course changes cannot always be accommodated in the fall. For this reason, it is important that current course selections are as accurate as possible.



MR. SHELDON WIHMAN

Students last name begins with **L-Z**

sheldonwihnan@prrd8.ca
403-528-1996 ext. 2018

On April 20, representatives from Medicine Hat College will be visiting our CALM classes and will also have a lunchtime booth set up in the cafeteria. This is a great opportunity for Grade 12 students to ask questions about course selection if they have registered at the college for next year. As well as for Grade 10 and 11 students to explore program options and post-secondary pathways. We would also like to remind our Grade 12 students that **many scholarship deadlines are approaching quickly**. The scholarship handbook is available on our school website, and students are encouraged to stop by the office if they have questions.

MRS. HEATHER LATURNAS



Students last name begins with **A-K**

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2026

**Apr
1**

Banquet Ticket Requests are Due

Confirmation of the number of banquet tickets will be given to grads in their TAG classes on April 14.

**Apr
23**

Deadline to Pay all EBHS Fees

Grad tickets will not be issued if there are outstanding school fees. Please contact the office ASAP to discuss this if necessary.

**Apr
25-29**

Banquet Ticket Purchases - ONLINE

Use SchoolCash Online. If you prefer to pay in person using debit/credit, this option is only available Apr 27 & 29 during school hours.

MORE INFO - CLICK HERE

- COPY OF THE GRAD BOOKLET
- BABY PHOTO INFO
- TIP TOP TAILORS DISCOUNTS

PLEASE SUBMIT BABY PHOTOS FOR OUR GRADUATE SLIDESHOW BY APRIL 1ST TO JOYCEKRAUSE@PRRD8.CA



**GIVE YOUR GRASS
SOME CLASS**

Eagle Butte branded lawn signs are now available at

The Butte.

**CLICK HERE TO
ORDER YOUR SIGN**

Talon Pride: Academics & Athletics

Student Showcase & Sports Highlights

SPOTLIGHT ON CAREER & TECHNOLOGY STUDIES



DESIGN STUDIES

Sketch It. Tech It. Print It!

Step into the Design 10/20/30 studio, and you'll see the perfect marriage of classic craftsmanship and futuristic tech. Our students are busy transforming raw concepts into tangible reality.

The Creative Evolution

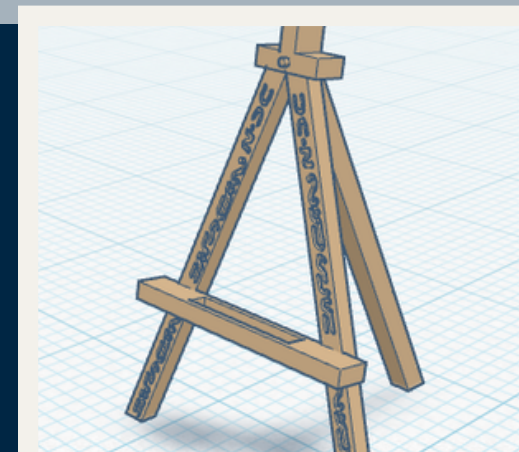
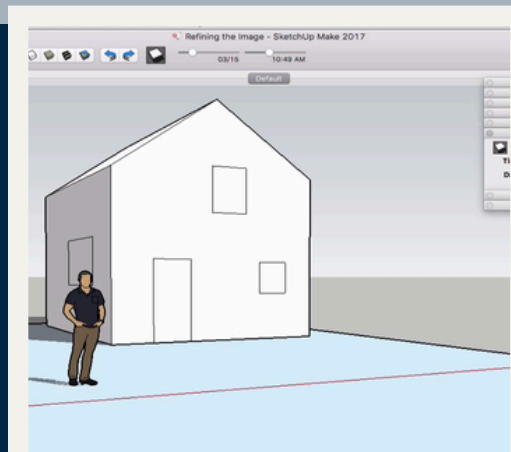
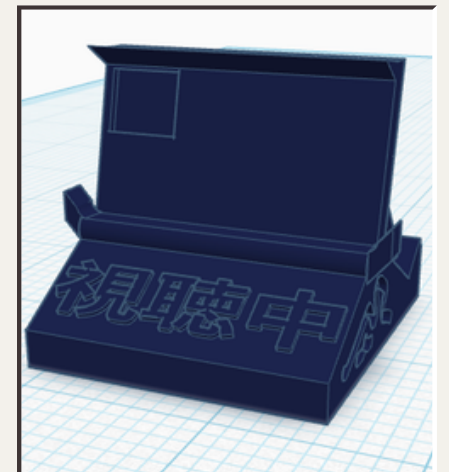
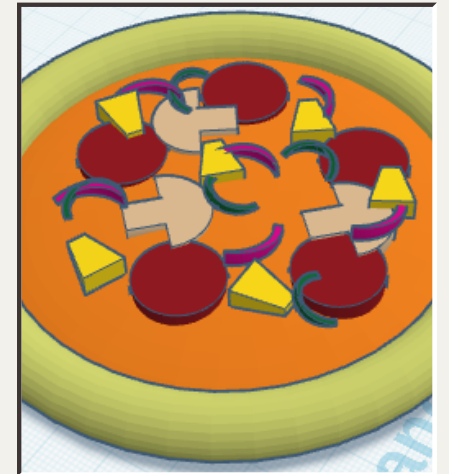
Every great innovation starts with a simple spark. In this program, we honor the traditional design process, beginning with tactile sketching and brainstorming on paper. It's here that students grapple with planning and problem-solving, ensuring their foundations are rock-solid before they ever touch a mouse.

Digital Mastery

Once the vision is clear, the magic moves to the screen. Utilizing industry-standard software like SketchUp and Tinkercad, students translate their 2D ideas into complex, three-dimensional models. Watching them navigate these digital landscapes is a masterclass in spatial visualization and modern technical skill.

Bringing Ideas to Life

The real "aha!" moment happens at the 3D printing station. Here, the digital becomes physical as students use 3D printing technology to fabricate their own prototypes. By blending high-level creativity with real-world fabrication tools, our students aren't just preparing for the future of design, they're already building it.



FINANCE

From Paychecks to Profits: Mastering the Art of Finance

In our Finance and Accounting course, we pull back the curtain on the "real world" to give students an intro to the ultimate financial playbook.

We dive deep into Personal Finance, teaching you how to make your money work for you through the magic of compound interest and the strategic use of TFSAs and RRSPs. From mastering the art of budgeting and spending responsibly to demystifying credit scores, mortgages, and loans. Students are gaining confidence in navigating adulthood without the financial stress.

But, we don't stop at the personal wallet! We go behind the scenes of the business world too. Students are learning how to launch a business venture by practicing Financial Accounting. From the first entry in the accounting cycle for a service business, to the high-stakes preparation of financial statements, students are gaining the technical edge needed to run the books like a pro.



Whether students are considering launching their own start-up or you just want to take control of their financial destiny, this class is where the path to independence begins. Students learn we don't just work for money, we need to know how to manage it!

School Art Show at the Esplanade

We are so proud to have 14 students selected as artists on display including: *Charlie Funk, Morgan Digney, Mathis Schafer, Kassidy Sandau, Chloe Koenig, Daylia Ross, Rayne Varty, Sara Fehr, Amber Haskill, Hillary Hamill, Lexus Lamond, Rachel Pachan, Amara Westerhoud and Devin Casamayor.*

Congratulations!

*School Art
2026*

MAR 21 - JUN 6



EAGLE BUTTE HIGH SCHOOL TALONS



COME ONE
COME ALL



Let's pack the bleachers and back our teams!

Check out these calendars to see all upcoming events:

[Eagle Butte High School Athletic Calendar](#)

[South Alberta Hockey Academy](#)

Celebrate our athletes' accomplishments with us



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U19 MHMSA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

ATHLETES GRADES 10-12

REGISTER NOW

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION JANUARY 15 - MARCH 7, 2026

REGISTRATION CLOSES **APRIL 3, 2026 @ 11:59 P.M**

PLAY FOR YOUR OWN SCHOOL!



TWO GAMES A WEEK - MONDAYS & THURSDAYS

SEASON DATES: APRIL 23 - JUNE 8

YEAR END TOURNAMENT JUNE 12-14

REGISTER NOW!

MUST REGISTER THROUGH MHMSA!

www.medhatminorsoftball.ab.ca



EAGLE BUTTE HIGH SCHOOL

JOIN THE

SPRING GOLF LEAGUE

3 WEEK EVENT!

- ◆ Sign Up on the Google Sheet!
- ◆ Be Available for at Least One Tee Time
- ◆ Must Know the Rules & Etiquette of Golf!

DATES: May 25, June 1 & June 8

FORE! SIGN UP NOW!

CLICK HERE

Want to Play Soccer?

Students should sign up at the school and Medicine Hat Soccer Association will email parents with a registration and payment link after **April 6th**.

Co-Ed League

Gr 10-12 play Mons & Weds

April 27 - June 12

Big Marble Go Centre



Thank you!

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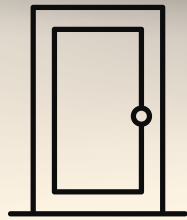


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Off-Campus & Community Connections

Work-World Ready & Local Ties



Don't Overlook Off Campus Opportunities!

Off-campus programs at Eagle Butte High School provide a unique opportunity to bridge the gap between the classroom and the workforce by earning high school credits for real-world job, farm, or volunteer experience. These programs help students gain valuable experience and a professional resume before leaving high school, but they can also accelerate your progress toward graduation.

Work Experience

Students with a job, a volunteer position, or a role on a family farm.

- *The Reward:* Earn from 3–10 credits this summer (minimum work time of 75 hours).
- *Timeline:* Track your hours from May 1 to August 31.

3 Steps to Start:

1. Pick up a contract from the Off-Campus Office (Room 108).
2. Get it signed by your employer or supervisor.
3. Return it to get your credit package and start tracking!

Job Hunting? Check the employment board outside Room 108 for summer openings.

Green Certificate

Agricultural Learning pathways to earn up to 16 Grade 12 diploma credits and a credential that could lead to a career in agriculture or agri-business.

- *Upcoming Testing Day: Thursday, April 23. See Mrs. Hausauer in Room 108 ASAP to book your time!*
- *Enrolment:* Open year-round! Sign up now to work through the course during your summer break.

Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP)

Earn credit toward your high school diploma and toward your journey person certification, at the same time.

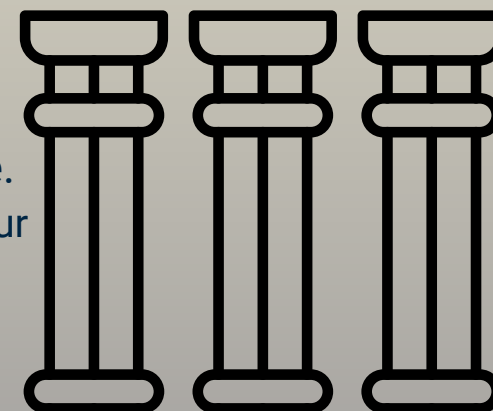
- *Stay Current:* Please submit your timesheets to the Off-Campus Office (Room 108) on a monthly basis to ensure your hours are recorded accurately.



Work Experience

Green Certificate

RAP: Registered Apprenticeship Program





COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

We are provided lots of information to share with students & families every month! Click on any title below to see opportunities and to learn more.

MEDICINE HAT LIBRARY
TEEN PROGRAMMING



COMMUNITY EVENTS &
OPPORTUNITIES

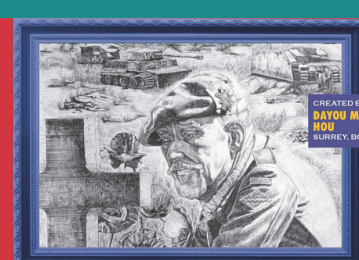


COURSES &
CONTESTS



WIN A TRIP
Win a trip for two to Ottawa to represent Canada's youth at next year's National Remembrance Day Ceremony on November 11th.

NATIONAL YOUTH REMEMBRANCE





EBHS & the Dunmore Community Association have teamed up for an Intergenerational Learning Projects

We have several community nights planned where students and community members gather to learn something new!

March 31 - Community member Josh Jordet will be showing some EBHS students how to do an oil change.

April 21 and May 5 - in this 2-part series, an EBHS student will be demonstrating some exercises that you can do at home with exercise bands.

April 23 - Swing dancing in the gym from 6:00pm - 8:00pm.

June 10 - Designing an Outdoor Planter. Joan from Blondies will guide us through choosing plants and creating a pot that we can enjoy on our outdoor steps or deck!

TO REGISTER FOR THESE CLASSES OR TO GET MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO [DCAALBERTA.COM](https://dcaalberta.com)



MARCH 30 - PAINT NIGHT IN THE ART ROOM HOSTED BY AN EBHS STUDENT. PARTICIPANTS WILL BE PAINTING A SPRING THEMED CREATION.

the butte.

FOR STUDENTS BY STUDENTS



Eagle Butte swag made by our own students is the perfect way to show off school pride while supporting young creators. From brainstorming ideas to handling customer orders, we do it all. While we offer a range of services from laser engraving to sticker and poster printing, we're known for our custom apparel and bringing your designs to life.

Shop student-made. Support local. Give awesome.



BROWSE THE STORE

The Butte is a dynamic student-run business operating out of Eagle Butte High School. Here we're all about giving students hands-on experience in what it takes to run a small business. We not only support students in developing their entrepreneurial skills, but we also give them a space where they can express their ideas and creativity and see them come to life in tangible products.

Contact: seanlongmore@prrd8.ca neilbraun@prrd8.ca (403) 528-1996



PRPS Board Highlights

March 10, 2026

1. Yuill School of Agriculture Framework
2. Executive Report
3. 2026 Alberta Budget
4. Capital Plan: 2026–2029
5. Land Sale
6. Locally Developed Courses
7. 26/27 Division School Calendar ...and more!

[Click Here To Read](#)

Prairie Rose Perspective

- SAFA's **Second** Student-Built Plane
- CASA Supporting Student Well-Being
- Literacy Building Blocks Program
- Prairie Rose Connects with Alberta Premier on Education Priorities
- Parkside Small School. Big Communis)y.
- Learn More About the Foremost Rodeo Academy
- PRPS Board Meeting Highlights for March 2026
- Board Approves 2026-2027 School Calendar (excluding colony schools and CIS schools)
- 2026 PRPS Board of Trustees Awards of Recognition

[Click Here to Read](#)

Employment Opportunities

Prairie Rose Public Schools is a great place to work – come join us! Please click on the link below to see what opportunities are currently available.

Prairie Rose Public Schools is committed to employment equity, welcomes diversity in the workplace, and encourages applications from all qualified individuals.

[Click Here To See Current Opportunities](#)

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