

## Bear Creek Blast 1.22.21

**Picture Day...Wednesday, February 3** - Van Gogh will be at Bear Creek on Wednesday, February 3rd to take individual student pictures. Students who are learning from home will have the opportunity to have their pictures taken from 3:15pm-4:30pm on the same day, February 3rd. VanGogh will be assembling a composite of classroom students for the "Class Picture". All ordering will be done online. I have attached a [flyer with the available background and package options](#). If you have problems with the [online payment](#) and ordering process, contact VanGogh directly @ (303)679-9003. The Bear Creek code is: **30011901**. All COVID-19 precautions will be observed.

### 2021-2022 Kindergarten - 5th Grade Registration

If you are a neighborhood parent of an incoming 2021-2022 kindergarten-5th grade student or know of a kindergarten-5th grade student in your neighborhood, please send me an email with the student's name. We are trying to get an idea of class sizes. **Neighborhood registration is now open for all grades. [Please follow this link to complete the registration paperwork.](#)**  
\*\*\*Current BCE students do not need to do anything to remain at BCE. Students will automatically roll up to the next grade\*\*\*

**Valentine's Day Celebrations - Bear Creek will celebrate Valentine's Day on Thursday, February 11th.** Teachers and PTO Class Liaisons will communicate details with families. Any students wishing to trade cards with classmates must bring their cards to school on Tuesday, February 8th. Home Learners can drop their cards off at the Office on Tuesday, February 8th. Cards will be quarantined until Thursday, February 11th. Home Learnings can pick-up their cards from 3:15PM-5PM on Thursday, February 11th, or during normal Office Hours on Friday, February 12th.

**Winter Parent/Teacher Conferences** - our Winter Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held virtually on February 10th, 16th, and 18th. Sign-ups will start at 4PM on Wednesday, January 27th via [Help@School](mailto:Help@School) and end at 8AM on Wednesday, February 3rd.

**Parking Lot Reminders** - please remember a couple simple rules for the use of our Parking Lot at drop-off/pick-up:

- The loop is used as a "Hug and Go" lane. Parents should never leave cars unattended in the loop. Additionally, whenever able, please pull forward as far as possible to ensure other cars are able to access the parking lot.
- Never park on the crosswalk, and always be aware of pedestrians.
- If you need to park, please utilize one of the parking spots.
- The front parking lot is for community usage. The back parking lot is for staff usage. The only community members who should be utilizing the back parking lot are parents

who are dropping-off/picking-up students from SAC, and community members accessing our Electronic Vehicle Charging Station.

**At Home Screener - this is mandatory for your child to be in the building.**

- Daily, before going to school, parents/guardians will check their child(ren)'s temperature and fill in a questionnaire screener. We have provided you several avenues to access the questionnaire. **Please have this completed by 8:00am.**
- [BVSD Parent Tools - Sign into Daily Health Check Form](#)
- The [QR code](#) on the screening signage provided to each school.
- [How to get the Infinite Campus App on your phone for BVSD health check \(passive screening\) - English](#)
- Parents will receive an immediate response after submitting the form and an email confirmation with either 'Your child is cleared to attend school today, Date' or 'Your child is not cleared to attend school today, Date'.
- If you answer **YES** to any question on the screening form - **do not go to school**. Call the Office to report absence and provide details.
- The Bear Creek Office will be receiving and cross checking a list of completed forms before students arrive. If your form is not submitted your student will be pulled for screening upon arrival which causes disruption to the classroom.

**SAC (School Age Care)** - After school care is available in our cafeteria Tuesday - Friday. SAC Mesa Elementary on Mondays. You can visit <https://childcare.bvsd.org/sac> for more information or email [aspen.dobbins@bvsd.org](mailto:aspen.dobbins@bvsd.org).

**BVSD Student Meal Plan** - BVSD is currently encouraging all BVSD families to pick up food. The USDA has provided funding to cover the costs for everyone. **Because the breakfast food supply does not always align with the breakfast calendar, please check the list of allergens below and have a discussion with your child.** To receive Allergen Alerts for menu or product information changes, please go to this [link](#).

[January & February Breakfast Menu](#)  
[January & February Lunch Menu](#)

\*\*\* [Breakfast Allergens](#) \*\*\*  
\*\*\* [Lunch Allergens](#) \*\*\*

**Library Fees** - If Mr. Neiman sends your child home with a lost book slip, please use this link to make your payment. [Library](#)

**General BCE Office Information:**

- School Hours: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm
- Office Hours: 7:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Attendance line: 720-561-3502
- Main Office line: 720-561-3500
- [BCE Website](#)

### **[Report an Absence](#)**

All absences/Tardies can be reported through the [Parent Portal](#), be sent to me in an email ([carolyn.walker@bvsd.org](mailto:carolyn.walker@bvsd.org)), or phoned in (720-561-3502). If you have any questions, please let me know.

[BCE KG-5 Line up Spots](#)

[BVSD Family Resource Hub](#)

[BCE Community Information Archive](#)