

Principal's Message

Assalamu Alaikum wa rahmatulalahi wa barakatuh.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Looking back, the month of October has been productive and engaging for all our students here at BCMS. The children participated enthusiastically in both curricular and co-curricular activities, mashallah!

The virtue of the month was **respect**. Teachers incorporated this very important teaching into all their lessons, citing examples from the Quran and the Sunnah of the Prophet, (SAWS). Congratulations to our Virtue of the Month ward recipients! They have shown excellent manners, kindness, and consideration toward others. May Allah continue to guide all of us to live by these values in our daily interactions.

I am happy to announce that the Foundation Skills Assessments (FSAs) for Grades 4 and 7 have been completed. Students worked diligently in preparation, demonstrating focus and effort. The students were given extra practice to master the required skills. I ask Allah to reward their efforts. These assessments help us to pinpoint where our students' strengths lie and where they need improvement. Our Terry Fox Run was a great success—students participated enthusiastically while learning about perseverance, courage, and the importance of helping others. In addition, our Grade 6 and Grade 9 clinics went smoothly, and we thank parents for their support and cooperation. As well, the RCMP is continuing with the DARE program for grades 5 and 6, and the children have already learned so much about making good choices.

Alhamdulillah, as we enter the month of November, we look ahead to another month of learning and growth. The virtue for the month of November is **responsibility**. Let's continue to work together to instill this very important characteristic within our children. This month, we are observing Sugar-Free November, encouraging our students to make healthy food choices that support both body and mind. Together, we can build lifelong habits that align with the Islamic principle of caring for our health.

We are also excited about our upcoming English Spelling Bee Competition on November 26th for grades 4-9. We look forward to seeing our students showcase their spelling skills and confidence on stage!

Jazakum Allahu khairan for your continued support and partnership in your children's education. May Allah (SWT) bless our school community with continued success, respect, and good health.

Warm regards, Sr. Mislyn Nelson *Principal*

BCMS VIRTUE OF THE MONTH WINNERS

KGA:

Syeda Nusaiba

Nisreen Ahamed

KGB:

Hannah Irshad

Mohammed, Husayn

1A:

Abou Ali, Soulaiman

Kothiwala, Asadh

1B:

Ilyas Mabrouk

Taka Mabrouk

2A:

Star Student Award Nisreen Ahamed, Rayyan

Popalzai, Huda

2B:

Raifa, Tabiya Tahji

Indrapratama, Zaf

3A:

Mohamed, Jidaa

Mohammed, Ammar

3B:

Karakis Talha

Kaythi Aung

4A:

Abu Malouh, Layan

Selim Becket

<u> 4B:</u>

Mirza, Salwa Sult<mark>a</mark>na

Sabra Adnan

5A:

Ali Sarah

Khan, Mustafa

5B:

Saad Zenia

Mir, Yousuf Ali **F**aiz

<u>6A:</u>

Razil Zaeem

Zaineldeen Mohammed

6B:

Beket Hayrunnisa

Khalig Seif

7A:

Wahab Maryam

Ustowar Mustafa

7B:

Ferdousi Rawah

Subi Obsa

7C:

Elayedath Omar

Mohamed Joudy

8A:

Asif Fareeha

Ami<mark>r Mo</mark>hammad Latif

9A:

Patel Bilal

Elghazal, Yara



Nov 11:

School Closed Public Holiday

Nov 18:

-Lockdown Drill
-Workshop for
Gr.9: Gang Life
Style By
Br.Hakim RCMP

Nov 27:

Assembly for Virtue of the Month (Responsibility)

Nov 19:

Workshop for Gr.6 to Gr.9—Danger Bullying and Vape by Sr. Shazia

Nov 21:

Hygiene Workshop for Gr.6 to Gr.9 By Sr. Fereen

Nov 14:

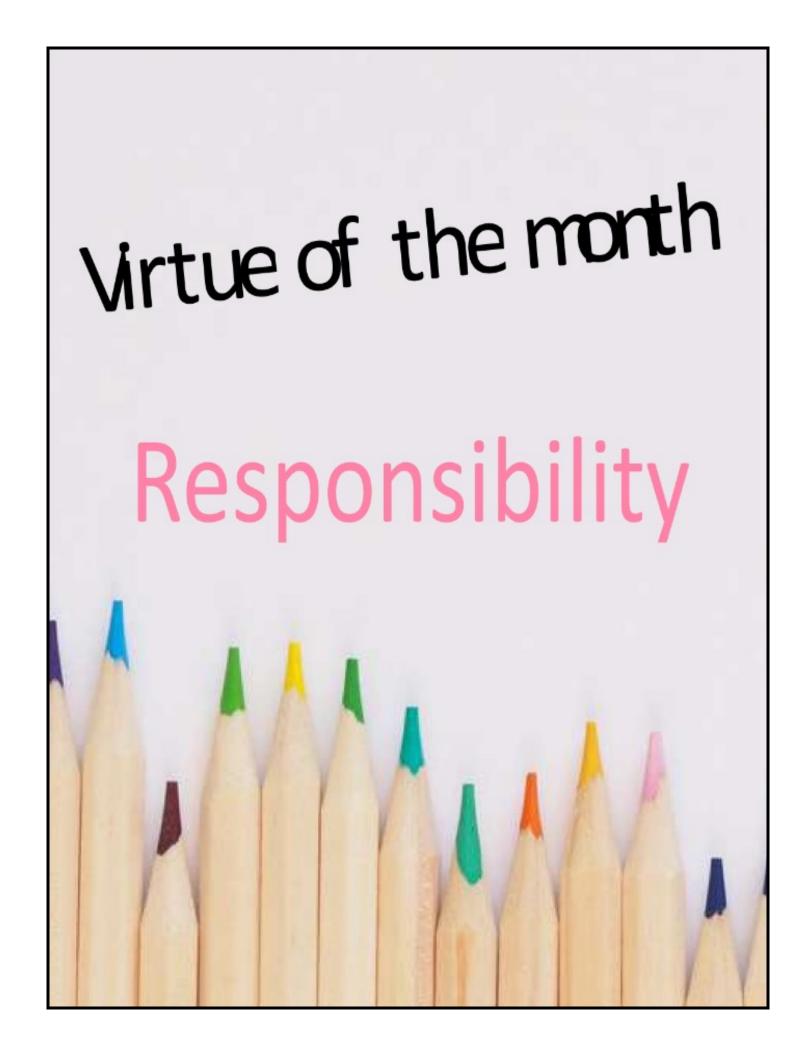
Photo Retake

Nov 26:

Spelling Bee

Nov 28:

Pro-D Day—School Closed for Students

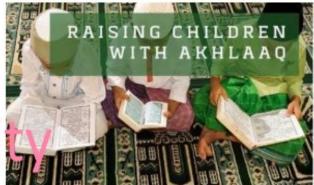




The Prophet (ﷺ) said:

"When a Muslim spends something on his family intending to receive Allah's reward it is regarded as Sadaqa for him."

Sahih al-Bukhari 5351



Responsibili

In religion, Islam Allah Almighty commanded us (Muslims) to give honor, respect and obey our parents in entire life except when it comes to the disobedience of Allah (SWT). Islam raised the status of parents and made it obligatory for Muslims to obey their parents with love and respect. It is the right of parents to be loved and respected but as we all know rights also come with responsibilities and responsibilities for the upbringing and care of their children are mentioned in many verses of Holy Quran and hadiths.

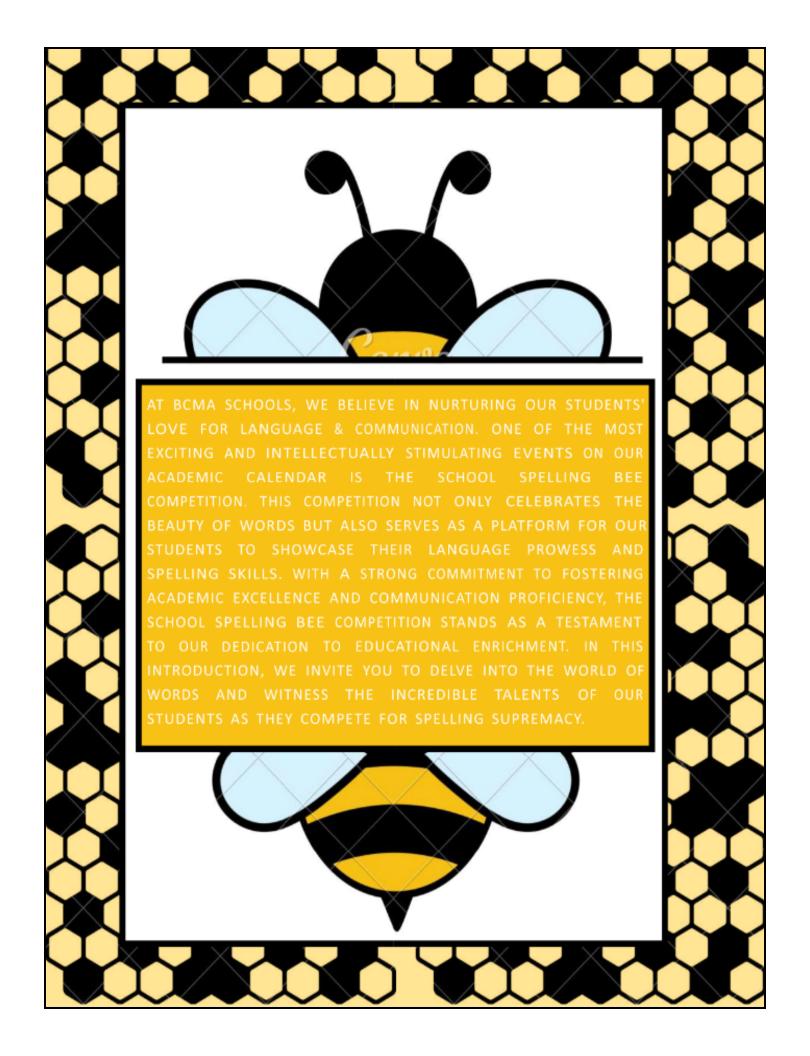
Allah Almighty said in Holy Quran about the responsibilities of parents in these words: "O you, who have believed, protect yourselves and your families from a Fire whose fuel is people and stones..." (Quran, 66:6). Question is how we can save our families from this fire? The answer is very simple we must show them right path as described by Allah Almighty in Holy Quran and Sunnah of Prophet Muhammad (SAW). We need to teach the difference between right and wrong to our children.

Children are joys of life as well as sources of pride, seeds of arrogance, the cause of distress and allurement. Therefore, we need to be very focused and careful about their upbringing. Children are dependent on their parents and Islam clearly emphasized on their responsibility on forming the child's personality. Islam pays particular attention to the upbringing children in a proper manner.

Parents are responsible for the moral, ethical and the basic and essential religious teachings of their children which is their responsibility. Allah Almighty says in Holy Quran: "And those who believed and whose descendants followed them in faith — We will join with them their descendants, and We will not deprive them of anything of their deeds. Every person, for what he earned, is retained..." (Qurantized)









LOCKDOWN DRILL



There will be a Lockdown Drill on November 18th this together with Fire Drills and Earthquake Drills are required by the Ministry of Education to help keep our children safe in an emergency.

For the little ones for whom it will be a first experience, your child's teacher will fully explain what will be done. Together with our school liaison officer, we will practice two drills. The "Lockout" Drill requires that the school doors be locked

"The Lockdown" Drill is for an incident where a dangerous person is inside the school for whatever reason. For this kind of incident, the children and staff hide in areas of the school where they can't be seen until the police arrive.

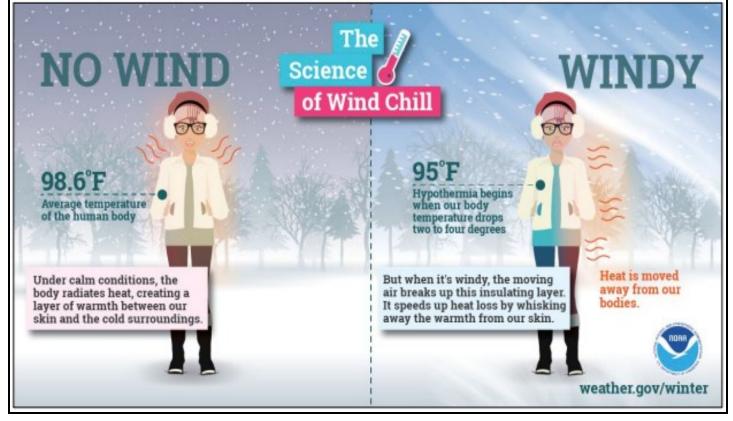


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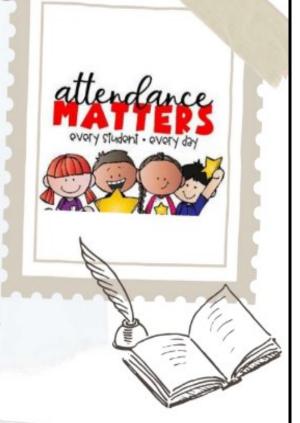
ATTENDANCE ALLDAY & EVERYDAY

Why does Attendance Matter?

Every school day counts in a child's academic life...

We would like to kindly remind all students, parents and guardians that school starts at 8:00 A.M., and our morning Duaa will begin few minutes after that Insha'Allah.One of the best ways of making the most of your child's educational experience as well as the blessings of groupmorning Duaa is to ensure theyarrive to school on time Insha'Allah.

A missed school day is a lost opportunity for studentsto learn. In this era of increased ac-countabilityfor states, districts, and schools, the connection between student attendance and learning is being studied more than ever before. As a result, education agencies are asked with increasing frequency to report attendance data in a standard manner to allow compari-sons across organizations and jurisdictions.





The primary rationale for high-quality attendance data is the relationship between student attendance and student achievement. Teacher effectiveness is the strongest school-related determinant of student success, 1 but chronic student absence reduces even the best teacher's ability to provide learning opportunities. Students who attend school regularly have been shown to achieve at higher levels than students who do not have regular attendance. This a child's school career. A recent study looking at young children found that absenteeism in kindergarten was associated with negative years and lower achievement in reading, math, and general knowledge.



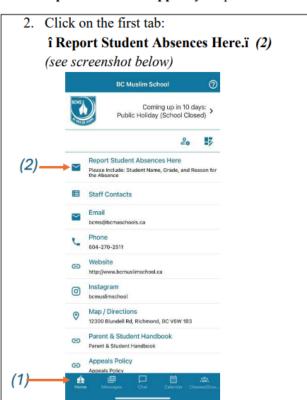
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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are pleased to introduce a convenient way for you to report your childis absence directly through the **School App**.

- Please follow these simple steps:
- 1. Open the School App on your phone. On the Home Page (1),





- 4. This will automatically open your personal email account, allowing you to send an email directly to us.
- ▲ Important: In your email, please make sure to include the following details:
 - · Your childis full name
 - Your childis grade
 - The reason for the absence (this is important for student government funding)

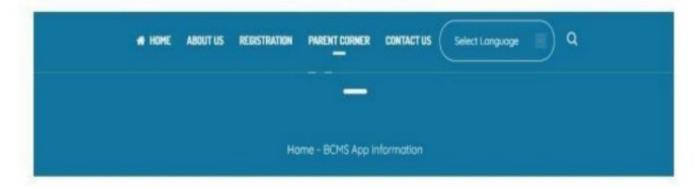
This process will help us keep attendance records accurate and up to date.

We kindly ask all parents to use this method moving forward when reporting absences. If you experience any issues downloading the School App on your phone, please call the office for assistance. Please note that the School App is also important for receiving messages from the school and teachers as well.

Jazakum Allah Khayran for your cooperation and continued support.

Sincerely,

BCMS App



The BC Muslim School App is a great way to receive daily communications and updates from the school administration and teachers. We encourage all parents to make use of it!

Students and parents feel connected to their school with all the up-to-date information they need readily accessible on their IOS or Android device.

Click below to download: BC Muslim School App





Note: For our previous parents, all users have been signed out of their accounts, please sign in again. In case you forgot your password, please use SET NEW PASSWORD.

Please use the link below to download the App to your desktop or, search "BC Muslim School" in your App Store and download it from there.

The Access Code for the App is: 12345

https://www.bcmuslimschool.ca/bcms-app-information/



BCMS PROGRAM STORE		November 2025				
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Day Light Saving						
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		School Closed- Public Holiday			Photo Retake	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		Lockdown Drill	Workshop for Gr.6 to Gr.9—Danger Bullying and Vape by Sr. Shazia		Hygiene Workshop- By Sr. Fereen	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			Spelling Bee Finals	Assembly Virtue of The Month- Responsibility	Pro-D Day- School Closed for Students	
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