



Saturday, April 3, 2021

Hi Everyone,

We plan to send report cards out on Monday. If your son or daughter has an incomplete in any class, the deadline to finish that work is next Friday, April 9. Please note that next week's schedule is different to accommodate our vaccine clinic. We have shifted the regular Thursday and Friday rotations back a day, and moved our online day to Wednesday. We only have 2 more weeks until Spring Break. At the bottom of this message is information regarding out of state travel. I hope you have a great week!

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

We have our second vaccine clinic so our staff can get their second dose of the Moderna vaccine. That happens on Friday, April 9. The schedule for next week will be modified to accommodate that.

Monday, April 5 - Purple Day

Tuesday, April 6 - White Day

Wednesday, April 7 - **Purple Day** (Online day shifted to Friday)

Thursday, April 8 - **White Day**

Friday, April 9 - **Online Day** (to accommodate **VACCINE CLINIC** for faculty and staff)

SPRING CHANGES

We are continuing to work on getting ready to welcome any students who wish to attend in person after Spring Break. We are also actively making plans for major spring events. Watch for news on **Distinguished Graduate Night, Graduation, Class Night**, and, yes, **Prom!**

FOOD DRIVE!

The Student Senate is conducting a food drive to support a variety of local food banks. This is a competitive effort between classes (and also between faculty departments). Students should bring donations to school and drop them off in the auditorium.

COURSE SELECTION FOR NEXT YEAR!

A reminder that students should make their course selection for next year in PowerSchool. This should be done before April vacation. We use this information to schedule students into classes. Students will receive their schedules in early August.

COLLEGE DECISIONS

We are entering the season where seniors begin to hear admissions decisions from their colleges. Seniors, you've been working 4 years toward this moment - good luck! Also please notify your counselor when you select our college.

PROJECT GRADUATION

Please contact Mary Lammert (mlammert@johnbapst.org) if you or your business would like to support Project Graduation by:

- Donating a gift card to a local establishment (any dollar amount; the hope is to collect 92 so we can give one to each senior who will be here for

graduation - gift cards can be mailed to Mary Lammert, 100 Broadway, Bangor 04401 - be sure to include your name so we can properly thank you!).

- You can also support PG by ordering from participating restaurants that will donate a portion of a day's proceeds to PG (see below for details).
 - **APRIL 8** - Woodman's Bar and Grill (Orono; 4 - 8 p.m.)
 - **April 15** - Uno's (Bangor; 20% of proceeds)
 - **April 22** - Firehouse Sub in Bangor (4 - 8 p.m.)

YEARBOOK

Order your yearbook by **April 15** (www.jostensyearbooks.com)! To buy a yearbook ad, click here: [Senior Recognition Ad Info for Yearbook.pdf](#)

COVID

A reminder that a mask, covering the mouth and nose, must be worn at all times at the school and during activities. As always, for all Covid related questions, please contact a school nurse (swaring@johnbapst.org or rolmstead@johnbapst.org). If your student has any symptoms at all they should stay home. If anyone in your household tests positive for COVID-19 or comes in close contact with someone who has tested positive, please contact a school nurse.

TRAVEL

A couple notes from our nurses regarding travel. A reminder that we are following the CDC guidelines for out of state travel, the link is here:

<https://www.maine.gov/covid19/restartingmaine/keepmainehealthy/faqs>. **Please contact the school if you are planning out of state travel.**

- **Which COVID-19 tests are acceptable?** A rapid or a PCR.
- **Where can I get a rapid test ?** Walgreens.
- **Does my student still need to quarantine if they get a negative test?** No they do not.

- **If my student has tested positive in the last 90 days for COVID-19, and recovered, do they need to get a test or quarantine to return to school?**
They do not need to test or quarantine.

Which states do these rules apply? All non exempt states. Exempt states are: MA, NH, VT, RI, CT

Have a great week!

Go Crusaders!

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