



# Oak Bay High School

## Next Week @ Oak Bay High

### Oct. 12-16, 2020

Oct. 9, 2020

Thanks to our amazing EAs, we are offering after school student support from 3:00 - 4:00 in the library/OB SPACE (Room 121) on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday (NOT Wednesday). This space is currently supporting those students who have immunocompromised situations at home and therefore are not attending during the school day in quarter 1. This means that within this space, students and staff need to ensure 6-feet of distance at all times, masks on and an extra attention to sanitizing work stations. The immunocompromised students have a separate entrance, individualized spray bottles and are well aware of their responsibility in ensuring a decrease of touch points.

EAs may also be inviting some of the students they work with to continue the support (EAs – please include your students name on the spreadsheet below). You, as a classroom teacher, can also invite students to attend. This could be for extra support, extra space to complete homework, and/or a place for students to write/rewrite a test in a supervised setting. This space can hold a maximum of 40 students and therefore, it is recommended that students sign up to guarantee a seat. Drop ins are welcome but will be based on seat availability. Students can sign themselves up by emailing Sam Bender ([sabender@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:sabender@sd61.bc.ca)) stating the day(s) they would like to attend OR they can visit her in the main office to do so. Staff can sign up students via inputting the student's name on the appropriate day using this link (<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10k-elzFwhbZh2pEhHhJrWzPyvr-Ui6sTbqtvJtMciCk/edit?usp=sharing> ). Please note the weekly tabs along the bottom. If you think that you will use this sheet for your students often, I would suggest that you “star” this document so that you can easily find it. Please see this video if you need help with “starring” something in your google drive (<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1qjpDJyZDVWYRYsjx80fLf66T1pJWdLb/view>).

#### UPCOMING DATES

##### **October 12**

Thanksgiving Day

##### **October 13**

Start of Q1-Term 2  
School Photo Retakes

##### **October 13-15**

Musical Theatre Auditions

##### **October 14**

Grad Zoom Assembly @5pm  
for all grads. Invite will be sent.

##### **October 19**

PAC Meeting @7pm

##### **October 21**

Grad Parent Zoom meeting  
@7pm. Invite will be sent.

##### **October 23**

Pro-D

##### **October 26**

UVic Student/Parent  
Info Zoom meeting @7pm

For test writes/rewrites - there is a mailbox labelled OB SPACE on the far right in the office for you to drop off tests. Beyond the obvious of no phones and no extra materials, please include any pertinent instructions required to write the test (ie. Textbook allowed, notes allowed, no calculator). When a student has completed the test, we will return it to your teacher box.

We will also be sending the following message out to students and families next week:



Are you or is your child needing more support in their courses? Do you just need a quiet space to get some work done? Did you miss a test or other learning due to an absence? Do you need to re-write a test?

Any Oak Bay High student has the following options:

- 1) On the afternoons that you do not have a C block class, as space permits, students are encouraged and welcomed to work in the library. Please check in with the librarian or library clerk upon arrival.
- 2) Every Wednesday afternoon for term 1 (the first half of quarter 1), students can book time with their teacher(s) to receive support. Students should discuss this with their classroom teacher. The library is also open during this time.
- 3) Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm, there are staff in the library ready to support students with their learning and/or supervise a test/retest that has been pre-arranged with their classroom teacher. To reserve a seat during one of these days, please talk to your classroom teacher or email Ms Bender ([sabender@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:sabender@sd61.bc.ca)). Drop ins are also welcome as long as there is space for all students and staff to remain 6-feet apart with masks on.

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**Save the date!** UVic will be hosting an information zoom session for Oak Bay students and parents on October 26th at 7:00pm. Stephanie Parker will be sharing information on the application process, scholarships, deadlines, self-reporting and their new website. Please mark your calendars and watch the website and announcements for further information and the link to join. The update will also be posted on the Career Centre website. <https://oakbaycareercentre.weebly.com/whats-going-on>

To: Oak Bay High Learning Community

Time is passing quickly in our new Quarterly System! Believe it or not, we have reached the halfway point of Quarter 1. Term 1 ends this Friday, Oct. 9th and Term 2 begins Tuesday, Oct. 13th.

Please Note,

- During Term 2, students will attend their Block A class (mornings) two days a week and their Block C class (afternoons) every day. Teachers will have communicated to students and families on which mornings they are expected to attend.
- Student's fulltime Block C class will now become their "cohort", or Learning Group.
- If a student doesn't have a morning class on a given day, we request that they arrive at school no earlier than 12:10pm and enter the building via the door closest to their classroom.
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Quarter #1 Sept 14 - Nov 13		Quarter #2 Nov 16 - Jan 29		Quarter #3 Feb 1 - April 16		Quarter #4 April 19 - June 22	
A & C Blocks		B & D Blocks		E & G Blocks		F & H Blocks	
Term #1 Sept 14 - Oct 9	Term #2 Oct 13 - Nov 13	Term #1 Nov 16 - Dec 18	Term #2 Jan 4 - Jan 29	Term #1 Feb 1 - March 5	Term #2 March 8 - April 16	Term #1 April 19 - May 20	Term #2 May 25 - June 22

<b>TERM #2</b> (Oct 13-Nov 13)					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<b>Before School Classes</b>				
9:00-11:15 2hrs 15mins	<b>AM Class</b>	<b>AM Class</b>	<b>Flexible Student Support Block</b>	<b>AM Class</b>	<b>AM Class</b>
11:15-11:35 20mins	<b>Focus for AM Class</b>	<b>Focus for AM Class</b>		<b>Focus for AM Class</b>	<b>Focus for AM Class</b>
11:35-12:20 45mins	<b>Lunch &amp; Lunchtime Classes</b>				
12:25-2:40 2hrs 15mins	<b>PM Class</b>	<b>PM Class</b>	<b>PM Class</b>	<b>PM Class</b>	<b>PM Class</b>
2:40-3:00 20mins	<b>Focus for PM Class</b>	<b>Focus for PM Class</b>	<b>Focus for PM Class</b>	<b>Focus for PM Class</b>	<b>Focus for PM Class</b>
	<b>After School Classes</b>				