



L'École Secondaire

Oak Bay High

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Dear Parents & Guardians,

I hope and trust everyone had a terrific winter break and that you were able to find some well-deserved rest over a busy holiday season. Just a couple of important notes as we begin 2024...

As per the Dec 1st edition of 'Messages to Families', today we started the school meal program at Oak Bay High School. Given the funding that our school received from the provincial government through the *Feeding Futures School Program Fund*, we served approximately 75 hot lunches today. Today's menu was Beef Bolognese & Penne & Caesar Salad. It was very well received by all who helped themselves.

Tomorrow's lunch is Roasted Chicken Drums & Rice & Greek Salad.

The intention of the school meal program is to provide meals to students who need it, in a barrier and stigma free manner. Students will not be questioned or need to identify themselves in any way to receive a lunch. The intention of the meal program is to support students who may need lunch due to financial hardship, for those who simply forgot to bring a lunch or for students who need more food to get them through the day. As we get through the initial implementation of the program, we expect that we will be able to offer these nutritious and delicious meals for those able to pay for approximately \$7.00 dollars per meal. More details will be coming out at a later date for those looking to pay for lunch. In the meanwhile, we are encouraging any students who are hungry to come and eat; no students will be denied food unless we run out.

As a reminder, this Wednesday is Team Planning with classes beginning at 9:55 am.

Kind regards,

Your OBHS Admin team,  
Shawn, Jennifer & Paul