



Byron High School

February, 2021

Update on 2020-2021 Student Permission Form

Another mailing has been sent to all family flex and PSEO students that have not yet completed this form. All Byron and Bears cohort students that have not completed the form were given one to bring home during their advisory this week. Please complete this form at your earliest convenience and return it to Jennifer Tramp in the Principal's office. This is a required form for ALL Byron High School students.

Student ID's Required

All students need to have their Byron high school ID's with them while at school. Scanners have been installed in the main office for students to scan their school ID when arriving after 8:00am or leave before 3:00pm. These ID's are also used to purchase lunch. If you have lost your ID or did not receive one please see Jennifer Tramp in the principal's office.

Student Council Fundraisers at BHS

- ◆ **The Gift of Love Fundraiser** - Student Council will be selling Cuties (the little oranges) the week of Feb 1st-4th at lunch and from 8:30am-9:30am on Friday Feb. 5th for students to purchase and send to their "Cutie" for Valentine's Day! Each "cutie" is a \$1.00 and students can send as many as they want to whomever they want! It can be anonymous as well!! The "cuties" will be delivered the following Monday (2/8) & Wednesday (2/10). 100% of the proceeds go to The Gift of Life Transplant House!
- ◆ **Penny Wars** - The Penny Wars Fundraiser also starts the week of Feb 1st and will be going on for the whole month of February!! Make sure to bring in pennies and put them in YOUR grade's bucket located in the office! Pennies count towards each grade's total, but students can sabotage other grades by putting other coins and paper bills in OTHER grades' buckets!!

Statement from the Activities Department

The Activities Department wishes to express its appreciation to our parents, coaching staff, game workers and student athletes as we continue to navigate through our seasons. Schedules can sometimes change at the last minute - which isn't easy on anyone and the patience and flexibility they've shown has been nothing short of incredible. Thanks again!!

Changes to Cohorts

In order to make changes to your current cohort you will need to contact your counselor. Cohort changes are made based on available space in the classroom as we still have to operate at 50% capacity. No changes will be made between the Byron and Bears cohorts.

Note from Nurse

Please keep your student home and notify the school office and or the school nurse if experiencing the following symptoms:

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| Fever of 100.4 degrees or higher | Sore throat |
| New cough or cough that gets worse | Muscle pain |
| Difficulty/hard time breathing | Severe headache |
| New loss of taste or smell | Chills |
| Nasal congestion/stuffy or runny nose | |
| Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea | |
| Extreme fatigue/feeling very tired | |

[BHS Attendance Email](#)

[Jaclyn Nigon - BHS Nurse Email](#)

Important upcoming dates

Feb 1st - 5th
School Counselor Appreciation Week

February 15th
No School

February 16th
Class Color Day

February 17th
3:30 - 6:30
Parent/Teacher Virtual Conferences

February 17th
5:00 - 6:00
Parent & Student PSEO Virtual Meeting

February 18th
Class Color Day

February 22nd
Registration for Spring Sports on [SchoolPay](#)

February 26th
9:00 am ASVAB Testing

[Student Technology Help Desk Form](#)

or call 507-775-2301
Ext. 2010 during school hours 7:30-3:30

Check out our Twitter Feed to stay connected to daily student activities at the High School
[@ByronBearsHS](#)

Counselor's Corner

Click [HERE](#) for information pertaining to:

- ◆ Yearly PSEO Meeting
- ◆ Required Assessments & Info for Juniors
- ◆ ASVAB
- ◆ Scholarship Information (Local & Non Local)
- ◆ Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) - Seniors / Parents
- ◆ 2021- 22 Link Crew Info for Current 10th and 11th Graders

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR BHS FAMILIES

For quick access to these items, you can bookmark the Byron High School homepage.

ATTENDANCE - If your student is going to be absent from school please notify the school by using our attendance email address bhs.attendance@byron.k12.mn.us
You can also report an absence from the [BHS homepage](#), under the Spotlight section.

INFINITE CAMPUS PORTAL - The Infinite Campus portal is your tool to stay connected to your student's education. If you have not taken the time to set up your Parent Portal please contact the office and we can assist you in setting that up. You should be using your own portal, not your students. As parents, you may receive different notifications and messages than your child will. To access Infinite Campus from a computer follow this path:

Byron Public Schools
Parents and Guardians

Infinite Campus

Then enter your username and password.

To access Infinite Campus on a tablet or smartphone you will need to download the Infinite Campus app, then enter our District Id, which is **XJLZDW**.

BHS DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS - Our BHS Daily Announcements can be found on the Byron High School homepage under Quick Links (right and side of webpage). These announcements are updated periodically throughout the day. They contain information about important upcoming events and any changes to sports and activities. Announcements are shared with the students at 2:56 p.m. daily.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS - section on the BHS homepage that contains important information for parents and students.

NEWSLETTERS - The High School sends out monthly newsletters. These messages usually come from Infinite Campus. Please be looking for them and taking the time to read them so you stay in the loop with what is going on at the High School. You will be able to find the most recent newsletters on the BHS homepage, under Quick Links. (left hand side of webpage).

STUDENT HANDBOOK - The student handbook can be found on the BHS homepage, under The Office, then Student Rules and Policies, then Student Handbook.

DISTRICT CALENDAR - The district calendar can be found on the Byron Public Schools homepage, under the About Us channel (at top), [2020-2021 Calendar](#)

COUNSELORS - Becky Martin (Student Last Name A - F) - becky.martin@byron.k12.mn.us
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Lunch Reminder: - Byron High School is a closed campus for lunch .

BHS Website - Contains all of the above referenced information along with any new information. Please bookmark the [BHS website](#) for the most current information.