



2022-2023 School Year

**Welcome to Assumption College School.** We are happy to have you join us in The Lion's Den and wish you a successful school year. As you join our school community, you undoubtedly have a number of questions about dates, times and procedures. To assist you, we have answered some of the most common questions:

Item	Note	Extra
First Day of Classes	<b>Tuesday, September 6, 2022</b>	This will be a full day of classes and you are required to be in full uniform.
*Timetables	Timetables will be emailed to students before Labour Day weekend.	
Student Verification Forms	Student Verification Forms will be mailed to Grade 9 students in the early summer with return envelopes provided.  These forms were distributed in home room class in May 2022 to students attending ACS during the 2021-2022 school year.	Signed and updated Student Verification Forms must be returned to the school prior to the first day of school.
Changes to Timetables	Monday August 29, 2022  Guidance Counsellors will be in their offices to make changes to 2022-2023 courses.	<b>By appointment only.</b> Please call 519-751-2030 ext. 14234.
Locks & Lockers	Locks: For security reasons, all students <b>MUST use a lock which they have purchased from Assumption College</b> . Locks are purchased via School Cash Online for \$12 up to September 1. Those locks will be delivered to homeroom classes.  Lockers: The Locker Number will be indicated on your timetable <u>or</u> distributed in their home room.	If you use a lock other than one from the school, it will be cut off the locker and your belongings will be removed and placed in the Vice Principals' office.
Student Agenda	Student agendas will be digital this year and can be found on our school website <a href="http://www.assumptionlions.com">www.assumptionlions.com</a> .  This will allow for updates/changes to be made when necessary.	All school policies and procedures and the student agenda contents are available on our website <b>www.assumptionlions.com</b> .
School Calendar	The calendar includes important information for students and parents alike.	Student calendars will be distributed to homerooms on the first day of school. It will also be found on our school website.
Student I.D. Cards	Photo Day is on September 22 <sup>nd</sup> . ID cards are issued shortly after. Photo retake day is October 27 <sup>th</sup> .	<b>All</b> students must have their photo taken for identification purposes, regardless of whether or not they purchase a photo pkg.
"Here We Go"	Wednesday, August 31, 2022. This orientation will allow our new Grade 9 students to meet our ACS student leaders and staff, tour the school, find their locker, as well as many other great activities.	Students can sign up for this half day orientation. Registration link is available on our website <a href="http://www.assumptionlions.com">www.assumptionlions.com</a> until June 15, 2022.

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School Related Fee Payments	<b>ACS will no longer be accepting cash payments.</b> All payments are to be made using the School Cash Online payment program. <a href="https://bhncdsb.schoolcashonline.com/">https://bhncdsb.schoolcashonline.com/</a>	Details on how to set up a School Cash Online account can be found on our school website <a href="http://www.assumptionlions.com">www.assumptionlions.com</a> . Please only make payments for items which you have received notice from the school/teacher, explaining what fee is to be paid and what it is for. Some fees made available for parents to pay online will not pertain to their child.
Student Internet Ethics and Acceptable Use Policy Agreement	Board Policy requires that all students must have a signed <i>Student Internet Ethics and Acceptable Use Policy - Agreement to Comply</i> form on file BEFORE using any school computer equipment.  You should have completed this form when you registered.	If you do not submit a signed form, you will not be able to use any computer equipment in the school.  Once your signed form is submitted, you will be given your computer login and password. This will be found on your timetable.
Transportation	<i>Students who drive themselves must <b>park in the STUDENT PARKING LOT only.</b></i>	A friendly reminder that if your family is moving over the summer that transportation request forms can be sent directly to the transportation office for processing. Transportation request forms can be accessed by visiting: <a href="http://stsbhn.ca/application/files/8714/9375/1317/TF001.pdf">http://stsbhn.ca/application/files/8714/9375/1317/TF001.pdf</a> . Completed forms are to be emailed to <a href="mailto:transportation@stsbhn.ca">transportation@stsbhn.ca</a> or mailed to 349 Erie Ave, Brantford ON, N3T 5V3 attn: STSBHN  Notice that the transportation portal, available at: <a href="https://transinfobhn.ca/Login?ReturnUrl=%2FSubscriptions%2FChildTransportInfo">https://transinfobhn.ca/Login?ReturnUrl=%2FSubscriptions%2FChildTransportInfo</a> , will be opened mid-August to the general public. Parents will be required to create an account and then use their children's information (OEN, house #, school of attendance and grade) to add student(s) to their account and see their bussing information. <b>Any questions or concerns can be emailed to <a href="mailto:transportation@stsbhn.ca">transportation@stsbhn.ca</a> or a call made to 519-751-7532</b>
Uniforms	1. McCarthy Uniform Store, 125 Nebo Road, Hamilton 2. By phone: 1-800-668-8261 3. On-line: <a href="http://www.mccarthyuniforms.ca">www.mccarthyuniforms.ca</a>	<b>We strongly advise students shop early for their uniform parts to avoid items being backordered.</b>  Visit <a href="http://www.mccarthyuniforms.ca">www.mccarthyuniforms.ca</a> and search up ACS to locate our e-store. In-store appointments can also be booked on the e-store webpage.
Yearbooks	Any student who paid a \$55.00 Activity Fee has already paid for their yearbook.	What happens to my yearbook if I do not return to Assumption the following year?  You can still pick it up at the school.
Other	Please call the school at 519-751-2030 if you have questions which must be answered before school begins.	The school has a voicemail system which operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. You may leave a message using the system and will have a return call as soon as possible.

Again, welcome to the ACS community. We look forward to having you join us and sharing your journey to realize the goals of our Mission Statement:

***Assumption College School is our Catholic learning community where we strive for excellence and we work to become respectful, responsible individuals who are ready to serve our world in the spirit of Christ.***

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