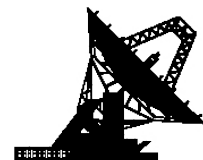


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Next Scheduled Meetings:

Teacher Convocation/ & PD	August 27th
Professional Development	August 28th
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Technology questions:

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SUMMER-izing Your Classroom:

Computers: Please leave the desktop computer connected, just shut down all computers and turn off the monitor on desktop computers.

Overhead Projectors: Please ensure your projector is turned off. Leave all electronics connected. Please locate and leave the projector remote control somewhere easy to locate.

Blackboard Connect/Notification System:

We will be utilizing the Notification system within SchoolBrains and doing away with Blackboard on June 30th. SchoolBrains has a fully integrated Notification System with no need for nightly exports. Data contained within the system is up to date with anytime availability. Alerts in real time or can be set up for future dates and times. Trainings will be offered and scheduled over the summer for each school with the individuals designated by each building Principal and provided to us earlier in the year.

Reminder—School Web Page Editors

All Web Page Editors, during the All ADMIN meeting last week the request was announced to please ensure the 2018-2019 information on your schools web page calendar is completed before June 20th. If you cannot complete the entire school year please update August, September and October.

FYI: There is a possibility we will be updating our Web Page Provider on July 1st. Please save copies of any pictures or data on your current pages you may need in September.
Thanks, Rose Blais

Previous Years Gradebook View

In the current school year previous years gradebooks are viewable from the teacher portal. This will allow for copying of grading preferences and assignments as well.



Wishing Everyone a Safe & Happy Summer!