

Parascolaire FAQs

What is Parascolaire?

Parascolaire is an after-school activity and homework support program. It is held in 3 separate sessions in the Fall, Winter, and Spring. Most activities are held in school from 3:45 to 4:45.

Who can register for activities and homework support?

All BHS students are welcome to register. Select activities may be limited to certain grade cycles based on the activity supervisor, space available, or demand of the activity. Every subject of homework support will be available to all grade levels.

How much does Parascolaire cost?

All activities and homework support held at the school are free of cost! There are, however, select exceptions of activities held off school property that may require an additional cost.

How will students get home after their activity/homework support?

Unfortunately, BHS does not offer a bus service once activities and homework have ended at 4:45pm. Guardians and students are responsible for transportation home and to any off-site activities.

How can I register?

Before the start of each session, students and guardians will receive an email with a list and description of all activities being offered in the session, including the links to register. Paper copies will also be available for students to register. Registrations will be accepted throughout the entire session, space permitting.

Can I suggest an activity?

Yes, students are welcome to make recommendations of clubs they would like to see at BHS. They can contact the Parascolaire Coordinator who will then determine if supervision, space, and materials are available for the club.

How many activities and homework supports can I register for?

Students are welcome to register for as many activities as they please. If an activity is full, they will be placed on a waitlist in case space becomes available.

How many students are registered in an activity or homework support?

A minimum of 4 students is required for an activity to be held. Each activity has a maximum student limit based on the space and supervision available. A confirmation email will be sent to guardians and students to confirm their place in their activity. Homework support does not have a minimum or maximum student registration limit.

Is every session the same?

No, while some activities may stay the same, new activities are always added throughout the year. Additionally, the dates of each activity and homework support may change. This allows students with different schedules to be able to try out as many activities and homework supports as possible.

Is homework support a replacement to class work?

No, homework support is meant to give students additional support to complete their school work in a quiet environment. It does not replace remedial help from their subject teachers.

Is attendance mandatory?

Attendance is taken within the first 15 minutes of each activity and homework support. If a student is marked absent, without prior notice from a guardian, an email will be sent to the guardian informing them of the student's absence. Attendance has no effect on school records or future registrations. If an activity has a waitlist, students with frequent absences may be asked to give up their spot to allow other students the opportunity to attend.