

2017 Grads

Yearbook Checklist – DUE December 16th

Please confirm that you have included each of the following items:

1. Grad Profile – a THIRD PERSON “biography” describing the graduating student (no more than 200 words) OR complete at least three statements in EACH category of the grad profile prompts.
2. Grad Portrait – If you did not pose for the Harvey Studios portraits, you must provide a DIGITAL portrait in maroon academic robes on the E Share site (www.hjeshare.com) using the school code BJS2017. **Photos must be .jpg format and have a resolution of at least 300dpi.**
3. Baby Picture – provide a DIGITAL copy on the E Share site. Photos must be .jpg format and have a resolution of at least 300dpi.
4. Family note of congratulations - a brief note written to the graduating student from the family. Approx. 100 words.
5. Pay for your yearbook - \$50. Yearbooks will be sold at school **on TUESDAYs** until the end of December.

What is a grad profile?

A graduate profile is a description of your life as a member of our school community. We want to celebrate your achievement and recognize EACH of you as important members of our graduating class. We want to portray your personality and successes, achievements and ideals, as well as your goals for the future.

As members of a class, it is important to remember that your graduation is being marked by many people – family, teachers, classmates and dear friends. Your grad profile should reflect who you are from many viewpoints. It will be seen by many people and remain as an historical record of school life.

We hope all of your profiles will reflect a graduating class that strives for respect and responsibility along with success.

Keep in mind that we will NOT publish:

- “Inside jokes” that are not meaningful to the average reader (Your friends can write anything you allow on the signature pages of your copy of the yearbook.)
- Comments relating to alcohol and drug use, or sexual behavior
- Comments that are hurtful or harmful to any person’s good name in the community

How will grad profiles be written?

YOUR grad profile will be written or edited from information YOU provide to the editors. This does not prevent you from asking friends for input, but it does give you control over what the final message will be.

You may **use the profile “prompt” statements** (attached) to provide a variety of information and have the editors write your profile.

You could also **write a profile entirely on your own**, or with the help of friends, which we will review and edit before publishing.

If you request it, we can provide a “proof” of your edited profile before it is submitted to the printer.

What if you don’t provide any information?

We will do our best to put together a profile based on the input of your teachers, and possibly your friends and parents. We will probably nag you a little about it. We believe that you belong in the yearbook for your moment of fame. You have been a Viking, and we want you to know that you were here, you were noticed, and you will be remembered.

We’re looking forward to your submissions NO LATER than Dec. 16th!

To Capture your Personality

I always say (catch phrase):

I hope to be remembered as...

I have a talent for...

In my time outside of school, I...

Favourite subject:

Pet peeve:

Greatest achievement at this point:

Greatest change in myself since I became a Viking:

Happiest memory at school:

My teachers describe me as:

My friends describe me as:

The first thought in my head most mornings is...

Inside my locker you will find...

To Capture the Era

Favourite music:

Favourite new technology

Invention I'd like to see created:

The image that reminds me of school is...

The smell/song/activity that will always remind me of school is...

My favourite fashion fad this year is...

Best dance move this year is...

What the world really needs today is...

The most important news of the year was...

My friends will remember these years as a time of...

To Capture Dreams and Goals

Next year I hope to ...

I hope to become ...

I'm looking forward to...

I hope to work with...

The country I'd most like to visit is...

My friends see my future as...

Life after school will be very different because...

To Capture Ideals

To make the world a brighter place, I'd...

I admire...

I hope to be a person who...

In life, it's important to...

If I could give one thing to BHS, it would be...

If I had to live in one moment forever it would be..

My advice to future BHS grads:

The most meaningful assignment I ever did was...

A quote to live by is:

No matter where I go, I will always be a Viking because...

The most important thing about friendship is...

My friends think that someday I will change the world by...

To Capture School Life

I would describe an education at BHS as...

Being a Viking means...

My friends would tell you...

School in a memory...

I learned a lot by participating in _____, because...

BHS should never change...because...

The classmate who influenced me the most was...

The teacher/staff who influenced me the most was...

Something I learned at BHS was...

My friends will always remember me for...

I was proud/happy/thrilled to participate in _____ because...

The thing I will miss most about BHS is...

Note of congratulations and a baby picture: The yearbook staff is pleased to recognize that our grads achieve success with the support of loving families. We will print congratulatory messages with a baby picture.

- This is not compulsory. It is your choice whether or not you wish to put the baby picture/note in the yearbook.
- **Notes** should be brief (50-100 words) and addressed to the graduating student.
- **Pictures** should respect the dignity of these young adults. (No bathtub photos without bubbles, please!)
- Digital images must have a resolution 300dpi or greater.

If you need an image scanned, please provide a good quality photo in an envelope or folder (attn.: Yearbook) and make sure that the graduate's name is on the back so we can return it.

Sample Note



Dear Jane,

Even as a baby, you loved to share the best of everything you had to give! We are so proud of all that you have accomplished – trumpet soloist, youth camp leader, outstanding student, dedicated friend and loving big sister. As you head off into the world, remember that we love you and will always be here for you.

Xo Mom, Dad and Rachel

2017 Grad Profile

Name _____

Please neatly print your family note here, or attach it to the completed profile.