



BRISTOL SCHOOL DISTRICT #1

Being a positive and lasting influence for all!

IMPORTANT DATES

10/29FULL DAY & PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES 4:00-7:00 P.M.
10/30NO SCHOOL & PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES 7:30-11:30 A.M.
10/31NO SCHOOL
10/31VILLAGE OF BRISTOL HALLOWEEN 4:00-7:00 P.M.

Friday, October 17, 2025

Dear Bristol Families,

Please review the important upcoming announcements compiled by Bristol's Administrative Team.

Important Upcoming Events:

- **10/20-10/24 Book Fair:** Readers are leaders, so join us at the Book Fair and spread the joy of reading while supporting our Bristol Renegade students. Book fair hours are 7:30-3:30 each day, plus one night of evening hours until 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 10/22.
- **10/22 - Unity Day:** Unity Day, the signature event of National Bullying Prevention Awareness Month, has been recognized in the United States since 2011. To participate in Unity Day, individuals, schools, communities, and businesses wear or share orange to unite for kindness, acceptance, and inclusion to prevent students being bullied. Please wear and share ORANGE on Unity Day, Wed., Oct. 22, 2025 to show your support of bullying prevention.
- **Red Ribbon Week:** Red Ribbon Week (RRW) brings spirit days and announcements to encourage students to make positive, healthy, and safe choices centered around this year's themes, the national RRW slogan "Life is a Puzzle, Solve it Drug Free!" and the Kenosha County RRW slogan: "Staying Drug Free is My Responsibility."
- **10/24 - Red Ribbon Week (RRW) Spirit Days Begin - Wear Bristol gear or red and/or black**
- **10/27 - RRW Spirit Day: Wear PJs, sweats, comfy or athletic clothes**
- **10/28 - RRW Spirit Day: Wear a favorite hat/headband, favorite color/shirt and/or fun socks/shoes**
- **11/11 Veterans Day:** Save The Date - Veterans Day is coming soon and the Bristol School District would like to honor our local Veterans! Please save the date (November 11th) and watch for details on how our school community will be honoring our Veterans!
- **10/29 & 10/30 - Evening Parent Teacher Conferences** October 29th from 4:00-7:00pm; **Morning Parent Teacher Conferences** October 30th from 7:30-11:30am & **Afternoon Teacher Work Time: No School for Students** October 30th and 31st!
- **STEAM CLUB:** Families of 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders: Is your student interested in completing design challenges, investigating science experiments or learning how to code? STEAM Club is for them! On Monday, October 20th a Skyward Alert and/or email will be sent out with a link to the Skyward Permission Form to sign up and more information about STEAM Club. Questions: please reach out to Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Fliess or Mrs. Lumm.
- **10/31- Village of Bristol Trick-or-Treat hours are scheduled from 4:00-7:00 p.m.**
- **Virtual Backpack:** Please check out this week's virtual backpack at the bottom of the [district homepage](#) and view the Connecting Bristol flyer that includes a QR code to survey community members about village-wide paths and multi-use path plans!

Important Reminders:

- **NEW! PTO Parent Teacher Conferences Volunteer and Food Sign Ups:** Help us show our appreciation for our amazing Bristol staff during fall conferences! We're looking for food & drink donations and a few extra hands to make it all run smoothly.
[Sign up to donate food & drinks here](#)
[Sign up to volunteer here](#)
- **REMINDER! Our Shoe Drive Fundraiser** is still going on! Bring those shoes to fall conferences and easily drop them off near the school office on your way in. Let's give those gently worn or new shoes a second life to those in need.
- **REMINDER! Halloween Costumes:** Students are permitted to wear school appropriate costumes to school on Wednesday, 10/29. Any costumes or dress up should be school appropriate, comply with all school rules, and be free from religious, political or socially controversial themes. There is an expectation that masks and props will not be worn or used during class, learning time, transitions, lunch or recess, but are welcome at classroom or grade level celebrations. No props or costumes should have weapons, and any props, masks, costumes deemed inappropriate will be asked to be removed.
- **REMINDER! Attendance Reminders:** According to Wisconsin State Statutes and Bristol School policy, parents/guardians may only excuse students from school for not more than 10 days, total, during the school year for things such as vacations. Families will be sent a warning letter after the 7th absence when possible, and after the 10th absence date has been recorded. Attendance is important to your student's academic success! Learn more at [Bristol's Attendance Webpage!](#)
- **REMINDER! Appropriate Weather Wear:** As the temperature varies, please be sure to dress your children appropriately for the weather. Our goal is to have students outside for regularly scheduled recess.
- **REMINDER! Parent/Student Handbook:** Bristol's Parent/Student Handbook contains important information for families and students to help make the most of their school year. Find it under Families & Students>Students on the district website.
- **Quick Links changes:** Our Quick Links for the Virtual Backpack, District Communication, and the yearly calendar, previously listed at the end of each WAU, are now listed on our homepage under Quick Links near the top right, along with links for Skyward, the menu, event calendar, athletics, and E-funds.

Shout Outs:

- **PTO Middle School Dance:** Bristol PTO's Masquerade Dance was a huge success. Thank you to all the volunteers, student council, teachers, and parents!
- **Bristol's Food Service Staff:** It's National School Lunch Week and we think our food service staff is just peachy! These talented ladies prepare, cook, and bake many of our student meals onsite in the school's updated kitchen facilities. Thank you for looking after us and providing healthy meals with a smile! We appreciate all that you do for our students, staff, and families!

