



# BRONTE

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## C O L L E G E

April 16th, 2020

Dear Bronte Community,

Thank you for your patience and understanding during these challenging times as we work to ensure our school campus remains a safe space for learning and education.

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### WHAT'S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS

- Students have started the fourth week of online programming
- The Online Learning Program will continue until Friday May 29, 2020
- Additional cleaning and maintenance work have been added to increase sanitization

### COVID-19 UPDATES

There continues to be zero cases of COVID-19 and zero suspected cases at Bronte College.

The Government of Ontario has extended the Declaration of Emergency for an additional 28 days, until May 12, 2020.

For more information please refer

- of campus facilities
- Social/physical distancing resources and videos are available for students around campus

to: <https://news.ontario.ca/opo/en/2020/04/ontario-extends-declaration-of-emergency-to-continue-the-fight-against-covid-19>



## STUDENT RESIDENCE LIFE

Happy Easter everyone! Our residence staff went above and beyond to host a great fun-filled Easter weekend for our students. The weekend activities kicked off with an Easter Egg painting event where students got to show off their artistic abilities. An Easter-egg minion and a mini avocado painting topped the list of creativity!

On Easter Sunday, April 12, a special Easter dinner was held in our cafeteria. After the meal, our students participated in a campus wide Easter Egg Hunt! Our residence team hid colourful eggs around the school and our students competed with each other to see who could collect the most. Great job everyone! Our Easter festivities came to an end Sunday evening with a movie night.

**\*All residence activities are being held on Bronte College property and social/physical distancing policies continue to be enforced\***



## STUDENT HIGHLIGHT:

*Simon*

Simon is very involved on campus at Bronte! He is a member of the school dance team, laundry team and attends all of the after-school events hosted by

residence! Simon is an amazing and talented artist who loves to draw, paint and dance in his free time. He always offers to help others and is well-liked by his peers. Simon is planning to study Visual Arts in university. Thank you, Simon, for your great attitude and involvement at Bronte College!

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## A SHOUT OUT TO

***Margarita*** is the Residence Team Leader and an asset at Bronte College. She has taken a lead role in ensuring new campus policies are being followed at the school. Margarita creates and coordinates weekend activities for our residence students while ensuring social/physical distancing is being maintained.

She keeps a close eye on student's mental health and has gone above and beyond to address any concerns and support our students. Margarita has helped with meal times as well, ensuring students are tapping their cards and sanitizing regularly. Margarita was also in close communication to the students who were previously quarantined after March Break and delivered all of their meals.

**Thank you, Margarita,** for all of your hard work and keeping a positive attitude during stressful times! ***Your dedication and commitment to our students does not go unnoticed.***



## ACADEMIC NEWS

This September 2020 join us in celebrating:

- The launch of a Pre-IB opportunity for students in grades 9 and 10
- New IB Diploma Program course choices available for students in grades 11 and 12
- June 2021 we will celebrate the graduation of our 30th class!



**The application window is now open for both the IB DP and Pre-IB programs, and applications may be made online**

**Apply Now**

Current students interested in either the IB or Pre-IB programs should contact their Guidance Counsellor or the IB Coordinator, Ms Raj Deol at [rdeol@brontecollege.ca](mailto:rdeol@brontecollege.ca).

For questions regarding our IB, Pre-IB and Ontario Secondary School diploma programs or application deadlines please contact us at [admissions@brontecollege.ca](mailto:admissions@brontecollege.ca).

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## DATES TO REMEMBER IN **APRIL**

- 17** | Mid-term reports available on Maplewood
- 18** | Lip Sync Battle with Residence
- 19** | Movie Night with Residence
- 23** | Parent-Teacher Conferences held via email

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