



*The following additions were made to the Student Handbook
for the 2019-2020 School Year:*

Addition of Core Values

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To be the best school we can be in pursuit of our mission to prepare each student for college, we hold ourselves to these Core Values:

Scholarship

- We challenge each other out of our deep regard for one another.
- We strive for excellence.
- We engage with people, content, and challenges with vigor.

Belonging

- We listen deeply and take the time to know each other.
- We celebrate diversity and work to ensure that our community belongs to each of us.
- We take pride in and ownership over our community and how it is experienced by each of us.
- We willingly confront bias in ourselves and in others.
- We strive for an equitable community, knowing that we don't all start from the same place given the country we live in.

Passion

- We learn, teach, and work with joy whenever possible.
- We are curious and we encourage curiosity in others.
- We work hard and bring our full effort to bear on our work and the changes we want to see in our community and in the world.

Responsibility

- We own our mistakes and use them as opportunities to learn.
- We are accountable for our actions and we hold others accountable.
- We enthusiastically help those around us and willingly accept help ourselves.
- We reflect in order to learn and grow.
- We demonstrate good judgment.
- We view ourselves as agents of change and step up to make the world better.

Integrity

- We communicate with honesty, authenticity, warmth, and kindness.
- We tell the truth and we strive to make truth-telling safe for others.
- We express gratitude for the work of others.

Disciplinary Reporting Policy

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Boston Collegiate reports all suspension to colleges that have resulted from serious violations to our community. We encourage students to actively self-disclose violations as well.

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School Materials

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Books and other learning tools may be provided to students. Students are responsible for maintaining the upkeep and safety of all materials and will be required to reimburse the school for the materials if they are lost, damaged, or stolen. If families are facing financial hardships and need support in purchasing school supplies and uniforms they should contact Teresa Rodriguez at trodriguez@bostoncollegiate.org or via phone at 617-282-6710 x1121

Uniform Revisions

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- Khaki-colored shorts (cargo style permitted), skorts, or capris may be worn with belts and sneakers in August, September, October, and following April break
- Loafer or lace-up style shoes or boots in brown, black, or grey or sneakers in white, black, grey, or blue.
- Boots that extend beyond the knee and open-toed shoes are not permitted.

Revised Middle School Schedule

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Middle School

Monday Schedule		Regular Schedule		Half Day Schedule	
Period	Time	Period	Time	Period	Time
Advisory	8:00-8:03	Advisory	8:00-8:03	Advisory	8:00-8:23
1	8:05-8:47	1	8:05-8:56	1	8:25-8:50
2	8:52-9:34	2	9:00-9:51	2	8:55-9:20
3	9:39-10:21	3	9:55-10:46	3	9:25-9:50
4	10:26-11:08	4	10:50-11:41	4	9:55-10:20
Lunch	11:08-11:38	Advisory/Focus	11:45-12:35	6	10:25-10:50
Community	11:38-12:20	Lunch	12:35-1:05	7	10:55-11:20
7	1:12-1:54	6	1:10-2:01	Dismissal	11:30
Advisory	1:54-2:05	7	2:05-2:56		
Dismissal	2:05	Advisory	2:56-3:05		
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Condom Distribution

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All students enrolled in grades 9-12 are permitted access to free condoms along with appropriate reproductive health counseling. Parents or guardians may request the school not to give their children condoms and opt of the program via a written letter to the School Nurse. Under Massachusetts Adolescent Confidentiality laws, adolescents may receive confidential services for diagnosis, treatment and referral for sexually transmitted diseases and pregnancy. The decision to opt out of receiving condoms does not apply to these confidential services.