



PARENT LEDGER

VOLUME I

Greetings Warrior Parents and Guardians,

There are many important details listed below please read carefully.

Important Dates

Students Dismiss at 2PM Every Monday

9/6-9/9 MAP Testing ELA and Math(**Students will use their laptops**

Tuesday, 9/30 Back to School Night

Important Information and Resources about Boys' Latin Middle School can be found on our school website at [Boys' Latin for Families](#) under Important Information.

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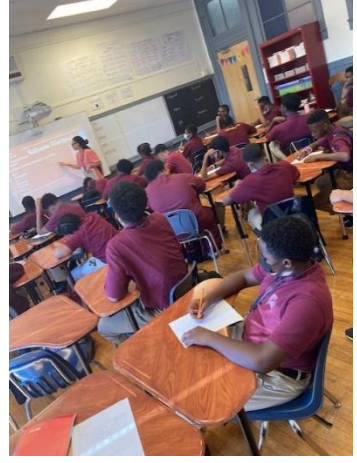
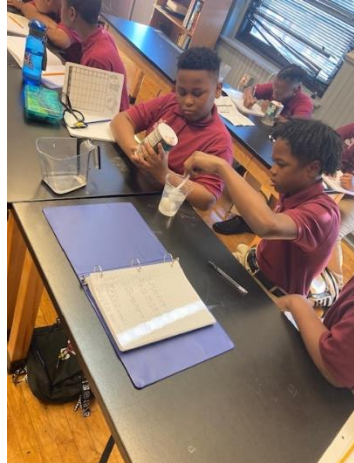
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First Week of School

We had a great first week back to school. New students were excited to meet teachers and our returning students were excited to get back in the building. Staff had a great time building rapport with students and getting to know students.



MAP Testing

All 6th-8th Grade students will be taking the NWEA MAP test on the following days:

Tuesday, September 6th English MAP in English class

Wednesday, September 7th Math MAP in Math class

Thursday, September 8th MAP Make-up

This test will help us to see where students are regarding grade level Math and Reading skills. Based on student performance, some students may be moved to different classes to receive additional support. Please make sure your warrior brings their laptop for testing.

To learn more about MAP testing please watch this [short video](#)

Quick Ways to Support Your Warrior

1. Locker Support

Many of our warriors need practice opening their lockers. Please have your warrior practice opening a combination lock by using the following link [Combination Lock Practice](#). You can practice directly on a cell phone.

2. Laptop Charging

Please make sure your warriors' laptop is charged each night and they bring it to school everyday.

3. **Make sure your warrior brings their ID every morning for attendance purposes.**
If your warrior did not get their picture taken or lost their ID last school year please complete the following [ID Photo Form](#)

**Student
Attendance and
Early Dismissal**

Arriving on Time

Students are late if they arrive after **7:59AM**. It is imperative that students arrive before 8AM so they can get to class on time. **If students arrive after 7:59 they must enter through the Visitor Main Entrance.** You can always see your students' attendance on PowerSchool.

Early Dismissals

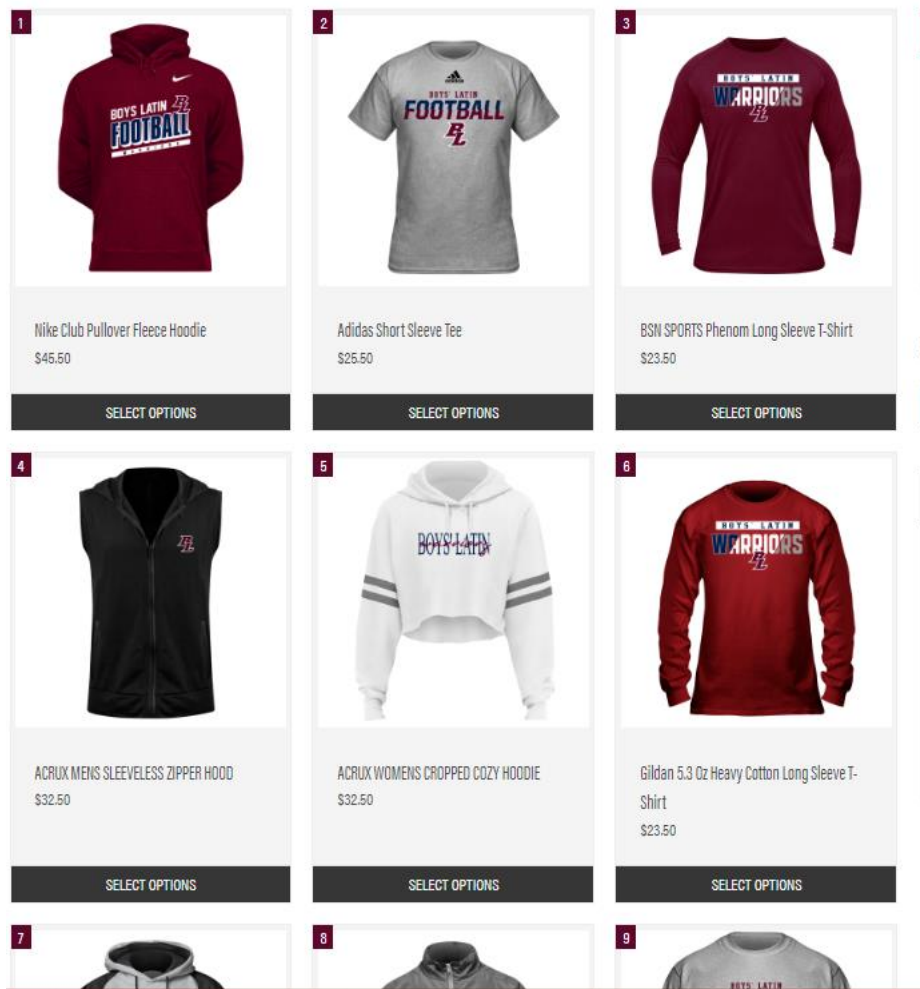
Students are **NOT** allowed to be dismissed by phone or email. Only a parent or an emergency contact can pick-up a student for an early dismissal.

All early dismissals must occur before 2:30PM.

**Purchasing BL
SWAG
Fundraiser**

Parents you now have the ability to purchase some **BL SWAG** for you and your warrior! As a way to raise money for our Boys' Latin High School Football Team you can purchase BL Swag at the link below. **We have 10 days to purchase 200 items to reach our goal.** All proceeds will go to our high school football team.

<https://fancloth.shop/XUXKU>



Uniforms

All Students are required to be in full uniform on the 1st day of school. Students should be wearing the summer uniform. Boys' Latin maroon polo, khaki pants, black belt, and **black shoes(NO sneakers, NO boots)** Students will be sent home if they do not have on appropriate uniform.

Gym Uniform

This year students will have the **option** to wear gym uniforms. Gym uniforms can only be worn by students who will be taking gym. **During Report Period 1 eighth grade students will be the ONLY students taking gym, therefore only 8th graders will be allowed to wear Boys' Latin Gym uniforms. If students do not purchase the gym uniform, they can only wear their normal school uniform.**

The Boys' Latin Gym Uniform can be purchased at [Flynn O'Hara](#)

Dismissal

Please do not double park your car on Callowhill Street. It has caused a very dangerous situation for our students who are walking home and catching public transportation. We also want to respect neighbors and neighborhood traffic flow. We understand that parking is limited, but please **DO NOT** double park.

**Boys' Latin
Extended Family
Network**

Extended Family Network at the middle school. Extended Family Network is like a home and school association. Together we can build a framework for the future and promote mutual understanding, cooperation, and communication among families, teachers, and administrators. We can build a school culture that allows for special events, celebrations, and a strong support network. Together we can help create an atmosphere where students feel excited to come to school and feel encouraged by their entire community. I cannot express how crucial it is to have our families involved in this endeavor.

Please consider becoming an active member of Boys' Latin Extended Family network. Our Warriors deserve the BEST and our staff would greatly appreciate your support. If you are interested in having a role in building this network, please send an email to efn.ms@boyslatin.org expressing your interest to partner with the network.