



Fall 2020/2021 Re-Opening Quick Guide

BCA students will be 100% on campus during all three in-person learning scenarios, as defined by [RIDE](#).
Distance Learning at BCA will only occur if the R.I. Department of Education mandates 100% distance learning for all students.

To make BCA's plan simpler to read and more fun for everyone to keep track of the current learning scenario, we will refer to them as Purple and Gold days.

Full or Partial In-Person (Purple Day)		Limited In-Person (Gold Day)
RIDE determines when schools are in Full, Partial, or Limited In-Person scenarios.		
<p>Elementary: Stable groups (pods) of up to 20.</p> <p>Middle School: Stable groups of up to 20 by grade.</p> <p>High School: Students are in stable groups of up to 20; students will rotate classes.</p>	Student Groupings	<p>Elementary: Stable groups (pods) of up to 15.</p> <p>Middle School: Stable groups of up to 15, primarily by grade level.</p> <p>High School: Stable groups of up to 15 based on homeroom; teachers rotate for most classes.</p>
<p>Students and staff will wear face coverings during drop-off and pickup, in hallways, bathrooms, other common areas, and any time social distancing is not possible.</p>	Face Coverings	<p>Students and staff will wear face coverings at all times, except when eating during lunch or whenever it is otherwise unsafe to do so.</p>
<p>It is expected that individuals within a stable group maintain as much physical distance as possible. This includes, but is not limited to: classrooms, hallways, lunch and recess, arrival, dismissal, bathrooms, etc.</p>	Social Distancing	<p>Same as Purple Day.</p>
<p>DROP OFF STARTS AT 7:55 AM.</p> <p>Arrival by Bus: Bus students will be dropped off at Cedar Hall. Bus students who arrive before 7:55 AM will join before- school care.</p> <p>Arrival for Drop-Offs: The bus loop will now be used for student drop-off. Students exit cars only in the designated zones, and parents stay in their vehicles.</p> <p>Students enter BCA through designated doors and go to their classroom/homeroom.</p>	Arrival	<p>Same as Purple Day.</p>
<p>Elementary: Students will remain in designated classrooms for core subject instruction and most specials. PE will continue to be held either outdoors or in Cedar Hall, and art in the designated art room.</p> <p>Middle School: Students will follow their regular schedules, having classes in designated classrooms.</p> <p>High School: Students will follow their regular schedules and will be able to change classes.</p>	Instruction	<p>Elementary: Students will remain in designated classrooms for core subject instruction and most specials. PE may be held outdoors or in Cedar Hall.</p> <p>Middle School: Students will follow their regular schedules. Teachers will rotate classrooms when possible.</p> <p>High School: Students will remain in designated homerooms and will follow a modified schedule. Teachers will rotate classrooms when possible.</p>
<p>Elementary: Students will have an outdoor morning recess and lunch recess. There will be a rotating schedule for equipment usage by pod, and each pod will be at least 14 feet from other pods. On inclement weather days, recess will be in classrooms.</p> <p>Middle and High School: Students will have an outdoor lunch recess. Each pod will be at least 14 feet from every other pod. Students will not have access to playground equipment. On inclement weather days, students will stay in their homerooms.</p>	Recess	<p>Same as Purple Day.</p>

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<p>ALL FOOD IS PEANUT- AND TREE NUT-FREE.</p> <p>Lunch will be outside on the blacktop, picnic tables, and grassy areas. Each pod will be at least 14 feet from every other pod. On inclement weather days, lunch will be in classrooms/homerooms.</p>	Lunch	Same as Purple Day.
<p>NO CONGREGATING IN THE PARKING LOT.</p> <p>Departure by Bus: Dismissed at 2:50 PM. Exit through designated doors and go to the Cedar Hall overhang.</p> <p>High School Drivers: Dismissed at 2:50 PM. Exit through designated doors and go directly to cars to depart.</p> <p>Departure by Pick-Up: Dismissed at 2:55 PM. Students will be dismissed to cars by family. Elementary will be in the multipurpose room, Middle School will be dismissed from last class. High School will be on the blacktop near Cedar Hall.</p>	Departure	Same as Purple Day.
<p>Students will follow a schedule for bathroom use, as much as possible, to prevent the mixing of students from different stable groups. One stable group/pod will be designated for bathroom use at a time. The bathrooms will be sanitized or disinfected in between groups per the schedule (roughly every half hour) by a staff member designated for this purpose.</p>	Restrooms	Same as Purple Day.
<p>Middle and High school students will NOT be using lockers. Students will carry backpacks to and from each class. Only essential items should be brought to school.</p>	Lockers	Same as Purple Day.
<p>High touch areas/surfaces will be cleaned and/or disinfected frequently within the school setting using EPA approved disinfectants.</p>	Cleaning	Same as Purple Day.
<p>Visitors, including parents, may only access the school through the front door. All safety protocols must be followed, and face covering is required.</p>	Visitors	Visitors are not allowed inside BCA's buildings without prior authorization. All safety protocols must be followed, and face covering is required.
<p>TBD based on survey results.</p>	Lunch Program	TBD based on survey results.
<p>TBD based on guidance from the state.</p>	Sports / Events	TBD based on guidance from the state.
<p>TBD based on survey results.</p>	Before / After School	TBD based on survey results.