

Bolton Central School
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Bolton Central School
 2019-2020 Calendar & Directory

"We strive for academic excellence and remarkable experiences in a supportive community, which will exceed all expectations."



Bolton Central School

SCHOOL PHILOSOPHY

Bolton Central School, established in 1927, acknowledges the diverse needs of its students and is dedicated to educational innovation. We focus on the development of well-rounded individuals who value diversity and respect for themselves and others. This occurs by balancing academics, athletics, the arts, cultural experiences outside the District, community service opportunities and involvement in the Adirondack environment.

Our students develop a social consciousness and world view that provides a foundation for lifelong moral and intellectual growth. Individualized instruction maximizes the potential of each student within our supportive, nurturing environment. Bolton Central School faculty, staff and parents all play a significant role in the development of our students.

Educators are afforded a unique opportunity to apply their creativity to foster an enhanced learning environment that imparts wisdom as well as knowledge. Enduring relationships formed within and outside the school are an integral aspect of our educational experience. Bolton Central School is an institution that, in part, serves to define our community.

Continued pride in our school and commitment from the community is the foundation for the successful achievement of our educational mission.

ARRIVALS, DISMISSALS, AND LUNCHES

<i>K - 12 Students Arrive</i>	8:00 AM
<i>K - 12 Classes Begin</i>	8:02 AM
<i>PreK Starts</i>	9:15 AM
<i>PreK - Grade 5 Lunch</i>	11:25 - 11:55 AM
<i>Gr 6 - 8 Lunch</i>	12:13 - 12:39 PM
<i>Gr 9 - 12 Lunch</i>	12:56 - 1:22 PM
<i>PreK Dismissed</i>	1:30 PM
<i>Gr 5 - 5 Dismissed</i>	2:45 PM
<i>Gr 6 - 12 Dismissed</i>	2:48 PM
<i>Buses Depart</i>	2:52 PM
<i>Late Bus Bell</i>	3:55 PM
<i>Late Buses Depart</i>	4:00 PM

CLASS TIME SCHEDULE

<i>Period 1:</i>	8:02 - 8:43 AM
<i>Period 2:</i>	8:45 - 9:26 AM
<i>Period 3:</i>	9:28 - 10:13 AM
<i>Period 4:</i>	10:15 - 10:56 AM
<i>Period 5:</i>	10:58 - 11:28 AM
<i>Period 6:</i>	11:30 - 12:11 PM
<i>Period 7: (Gr 6-8)</i>	12:13 - 12:39 PM
<i>(Gr 9-12)</i>	12:13 - 12:54 PM
<i>Period 8: (Gr 6-8)</i>	12:41 - 1:22 PM
<i>(Gr 9-12)</i>	12:56 - 1:22 PM
<i>Period 9:</i>	1:24 - 2:05 PM
<i>Period 10:</i>	2:07 - 2:48 PM



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When you dial the staff member's phone extension, you will get a message with various options for leaving a voice mail message, homework information, sports, etc.



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OPERATIONAL STAFF

Food Service

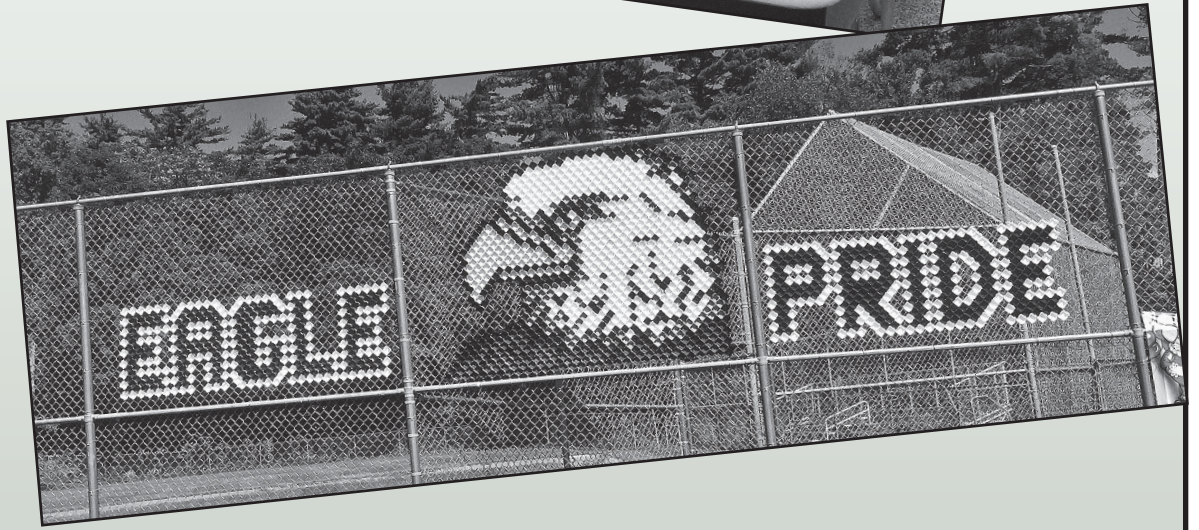
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John Miller	
Patrick Ross	
Gregory Smith	

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Carlos Nieves	
Charles Robinson	
Preston Wood	



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 BCS OFFICES CLOSED LABOR DAY	3 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS	4 Pre K Open House 2 PM	5 PK- 12 Classes Begin Welcome Back!	6 COLLEGE EXAMS TEST DATE REGISTER BY SAT Oct. 5 Sept. 6 http://sat.collegeboard.org/register ACT Oct. 26 Sept. 20 www.actstudent.org/register/	7
8 GRANDPARENTS' DAY	9	10 School Tax Collection Starts	11 PATRIOTS' DAY	12 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm	13	14 PTO 9th Annual Kickoff Carnival Softball Field
15	16 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	17	18 FIELD TRIP- Grade 6 Floating Classroom	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 PK-12 Open House PK - 5: 6 PM 6 - 12: 7 PM	26 FIELD TRIP- Peer Mentoring Students	27 Booster Club Bonfire BCS Softball Field	28
29 Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown	30	AUGUST 2019 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	OCTOBER 2019 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31			

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YOUR CONSTANT CONNECTION TO BOLTON CENTRAL SCHOOL!

Need to know if inclement weather will affect the school day, if a practice is cancelled or a location is changed? Check our website and Facebook page for the latest information!

Our website provides a constant connection to our school. You can view it at www.boltoncsd.org. No matter where you are, if you have access to the Internet, you have constant access to BCS. Through our school website, you are able to link to a variety of informative and interesting facts about the school. Staying informed about the latest news, educational programs and district information is just a "click" away.

Parents can also access PowerSchool from any computer or mobile device, allowing parents access to their student's information, including grades, attendance, assignment and test information. This information is available for review throughout the school year and teachers are asked to update regularly.

BCS students and parents will receive passwords, which will allow access to PowerSchool. To explore PowerSchool, go to the BCS website and click on the PowerSchool link on the home page. If you prefer, call the BCS Guidance Office at 518-644-2400, ext. 111 during regular school hours.



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			1	2	3	4 <i>Independence Day Observed</i>
					<i>BCS & Offices Closed</i>	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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JULY						
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7	Grades 4 & 8 NYS Science Written Exam	8	Elementary Band Concert 5:30 PM BCS Gym	9	10	11	12	13	ACT Exam
Booster Club Sports Banquet The Sagamore Resort	Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
FLAG DAY	6-12 Last Day of Regular Classes	Earth Science Lab Practical Exam	Secondary Grades & Regents Final Exams			EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 11 AM			
			PK-5 Field Trip to Veteran's Park & Beach	PK-5 Beach Day Rain Date	TENTATIVE Dates -Senior Trip				SUMMER BEGINS
FATHER'S DAY	EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 11 AM	EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 11 AM	EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 11 AM	EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 11 AM	26	27			
	Secondary Grades & Regents Final Exams								
TENTATIVE Dates -Senior Trip			Kindergarten Graduation 11:30 AM BCS Gym 4th Marking Period Ends	Graduation Rehearsal 10 AM BCS Gym Class of 2020 Baccalaureate 7 PM	Class of 2020 Graduation 7 PM BCS Gym				
28	29	30							JULY 2020 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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6	7	School Tax 2% Penalty Begins	8	9	10	11	12																		
			Fire Safety and Prevention Week																						
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13	PK-12 Classes Not In Session BCS OFFICES CLOSED COLUMBUS DAY	BCS School Photo Day	PSAT Exam Grades 10 & 11 BCS Library	16	17	18	19																		
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20	Class of 2020 Senior Portrait Day Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	21	22	23	24	25	26																		
Bolton Booster Club Golf Tournament The Sagamore Resort	Fall PTO Best Program					National Honor Society Senior Citizen's Luncheon BCS Gym PTO Fall Festival Grades PK-5	ACT Exam Area All-County Choral Festival Grades 6 - 12 3 PM Whitehall HS																		
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BOLTON CENTRAL SCHOOL STRATEGIC PLANNING AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVES

As a result of the 2013 Strategic Planning Initiative, Bolton Central School continues to develop and implement annual improvement plans. Focus areas for the 2019 – 2020 school year include:

- 1 Increase Academic Achievement
- 2 Maximize Small
- 3 Implement STEAM Initiatives
- 4 Community Involvement
- 5 Maintain and Develop Facilities

This process engages all stakeholders through an Educational Summit, as well as data collection through meetings with the Board of Education and Steering Committee. In addition, surveys were conducted to gather additional information and identify common areas of strength and where improvements may be warranted. Finally, annual action steps with time lines for implementation are developed. Our goals for the upcoming school year include:

- Increase Academic Achievement through supporting initiatives leading to Advanced Regents Diplomas and continuing to develop homework philosophy and policy.
- Develop practices that will support students' social and emotional learning by addressing social-emotional barriers in order to enhance student learning.

In addition, build on established methods of fostering a more positive system-wide school climate and promote wellness for students, educators and the entire community.

- Maintain and develop facilities through implementing the approved Capital Improvement Project which will continue to provide outstanding opportunities for students.

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31		Science Research Symposium 7 PM BCS Library	Grade 4 NYS Science Performance Exam	Grade 8 NYS Science Performance Exam	PTO Campership Scholarship Due Date																																																																																																					



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COMMUNITY RESOURCES

BOLTON HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Summer Hours: July 4 - Labor Day
Open Daily 10 AM - 4 PM

Closed Sunday Evenings

Spring and Fall
Weekends only 10 AM - 4 PM



For more information, call 518-644-9960 or visit www.boltonhistorical.org

BOLTON FREE LIBRARY

Summer Hours: Mid June through Labor Day

Monday - Friday 10 AM - 8 PM
Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM
Sunday CLOSED

Regular Hours: Labor Day through Mid June

Monday CLOSED
Tuesday 10 AM - 6 PM
Wednesday 10 AM - 6 PM
Thursday 10 AM - 8 PM
Friday 10 AM - 6 PM
Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM
Sunday CLOSED



For more information, call 518-644-2233 or visit www.boltonfreelibrary.org



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3 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS	4	5 ELECTION DAY Last Day for In District Tax Collection 3 PM Fall PTO Best Program	6	7 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm	8 Regional Emergency Dismissal Day 1st Marking Period Ends	9
10	11 PK-12 Classes Not In Session BCS OFFICES CLOSED VETERAN'S DAY	12 Fall PTO Best Program	13	14 Grades 3 - 5 Orff Concert 7 PM BCS Gym	15 American Red Cross Blood Drive BCS Gym	16
17	18 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	19	20	21	22	23 PTO Turkey Trot 9 AM
24	25 PK - 5 Evening Parent Teacher Conferences	26 EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PK - 5 ONLY 11 AM PK-5 Parent Teacher Conferences French Club Trip to La Provence	27 PK-12 Classes Not In Session	28 THANKSGIVING RECESS THANKSGIVING DAY PK-12 Classes Not In Session BCS OFFICES CLOSED	29 PK-12 Classes Not In Session BCS OFFICES CLOSED	30

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School Safety at Bolton Central School


We take the safety of our students, staff and visitors very seriously. It takes all staff members, students, parents and visitors cooperating and working together to ensure that our school continues to be the safest environment possible. Please note the following procedures for keeping our school a safe place for everyone.



Students can do the following to help ensure our school is safe:

- If you see something, say something.
- Stand up for classmates who are being harassed or bullied. At the very least, notify Mr. Shippee or another adult if there is an issue.
- Follow the school's safety procedures and ask others to do the same.
- Be kind to classmates.

- All visitors must enter through the main entrance by the softball field. Visitors will be required to sign in at the entry office. Visitors must use the buzzer to gain entrance into the school building.
- If the office staff does not recognize you, you may be asked about your identity and business at the school through an intercom.
- Parents/guardians picking up students for dismissal will not be permitted beyond the entry office until 2:45 pm. Please do not wait in the entry vestibule. Proceed into the entry office or wait outside. All students being picked up should be met by a parent/guardian in the cafeteria.
- During regular school hours, students and staff will not prop any doors and will not open doors for visitors.
- The school employs the help of security cameras on the exterior of the building and in hallways, entrances, the cafeteria and the gymnasium.
- Bolton Central School continues to partner with the Warren County Sheriff's Department in providing a School Resource Officer to enhance safety and security. This has been implemented with great success and contributes to the safe, orderly and secure environment at Bolton Central School.
- Law enforcement officers are regularly present in the building and on the District grounds. However, this does not necessarily mean that there is a problem. Do not be alarmed when officers are present. The school has a strong relationship with the New York State Troopers, the Warren County Sheriff's Department, and the Bolton Police Department.
- The district Safety Committee meets monthly to review procedures and safety issues in and around the school.

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MARCH 2020 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	COLLEGE EXAMS TEST DATE REGISTER BY SAT May 2 Apr. 3 http://sat.collegeboard.org/register ACT June 13 May 8 www.actstudent.org/regist/		1 FIELD TRIP- Grades 7 & 8 Empire Youth Orchestra PTO - Grandparents' Ice Cream Social - 3 PM	2 PTO Book Fair PTO Family Event Night - 6 PM	3 3rd Marking Period Ends	4 ACT Exam Area All-County Band Concert 3 PM Greenwich Central School
PALM SUNDAY 5	6 PTO Book Fair	7 PK-5 Evening Parent Teacher Conferences	8 EARLY DISMISSAL PK - 5 ONLY 11 AM PK-5 Parent Teacher Conferences Passover begins at sundown	9 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Flr. Conf. Rm	10 GOOD FRIDAY PK - 12 CLASSES NOT IN SESSION BCS OFCS. CLOSED	11
EASTER 12	13	14	15	16	17	18
SPRING RECESS						
Writer's Club Trip						
19	20 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	21 Board of Education Special Meeting for WSWHE BOCES Budget Vote	22	23	24	25 TENTATIVE DATE - Class of 2021 Prom French Club Trip - Montreal
26 French Club Trip - Montreal	27	28 Grs 6-12 Instrumental Concert 7 PM BCS Gym	29	30 PTO Senior Scholarship Deadline		
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SOURCES OF DISTRICT INFORMATION

In case of severe weather or unsafe conditions, it may be necessary to delay or close school for the day. Most directly, the BCS Automated Message System will deliver a recorded telephone message to parents and specified contact individuals when conditions warrant.

A request for contact information will be included in Back to School packets mailed to District families in late summer. Important information can also be found on:

District Website Home Page:
www.boltoncsd.org

District Facebook Page:
<https://www.facebook.com/Bolton-Central-School-661234750752597/>

Check Your Local News Networks at:

- WRGB CBS Ch. 6
- WTEN ABC Ch. 10
- WNYT NBC Ch. 13
- WXXA FOX Ch. 23

EMERGENCY CLOSINGS

School may be closed at any time of year due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances. When school is closed or dismissed early, all extracurricular activities and events for the remainder of that day and evening are also canceled, unless otherwise announced.

We are aware that emergency closings are often unexpected and parents may not be home to receive children. Once school is in session we make every effort to stay open. In the event of a closing, we also want to make certain the Town Highway Department has the opportunity to properly clear and sand roads for buses and individuals picking up children at school.

Should school not open due to emergency or weather conditions, or in the event of a delayed opening or an early dismissal, the radio and television stations listed here will carry important information for you. Parents of BCS students who have completed the necessary information during registration, will receive a phone call from the BCS Automated Message System. When possible details will be available on our website at www.boltoncsd.org.



STUDENT INSURANCE

All student related, supervised activities are covered by our supplemental student accident insurance policy. Claims for injury must be submitted by the parents or guardians' to their own health insurance carrier first. If the claim is not payable or is in excess of the amount payable, the balance is then submitted for supplemental payment under the school policy.



DISPENSING MEDICATION

If you require any medication, prescription and/or over the counter that must be taken during school hours, we require documentation from your doctor stating your name, the name of the medication and prescribing information including frequency and dosage. The medication must be brought to the Health Office by your parent/guardian in the original container and will remain locked in the Health Office, where the School Nurse will retrieve it for you as appropriate.

Students that have been deemed self-directed by their doctor and the school nurse may be allowed to carry their own inhalers.

If you have any questions regarding medications in the school setting, please contact the school nurse during regular school hours.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 BCS Photo Make Up Day	2	3	4 K-2 Holiday Play 1:30 PM BCS Gym	5 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm	6	7 SAT Exam PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY
8	9 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	10	11	12	13	14 ACT Exam
15 DECEMBER 16 17 18 19 20 21						
			18 Grades 6-12 Holiday Concert 7 PM BCS Gym			
22	23	24 CHRISTMAS EVE BCS OFFICES CLOSED	25 CHRISTMAS DAY BCS OFFICES CLOSED	26 KWANZAA BEGINS BOXING DAY BCS OFFICES CLOSED	27	28
HOLIDAY RECESS						
Chanukah begins at sundown						
29	30	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE	HOLIDAY RECESS			
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RULES FOR ATTENDING ATHLETIC CONTESTS

Please follow these rules:

1. At all athletic contests, coaches and advisors will be in charge of cheerleaders and players.
2. Chaperones from both home and visiting schools attending the activity will have full charge of spectators.
3. Visiting teams, spectators and referees are guests. Sportsmanlike conduct will be the responsibility of each member of the faculty, student body, and Bolton fans.
4. Students are not to leave their seats except between games and at halftime.
5. Students attending from Grade 6 or below must be accompanied by a parent (or adult) and remain with that parent (or adult) during the game (a student is not considered an adult for the purpose of this rule).
6. Refreshments will be served and consumed in the cafeteria at the following times: pregame, halftime, and intermission between games.
7. Smoking is strictly prohibited on school property.
8. Only those in uniform will be allowed on the playing surface at any time. Spectators are asked to avoid this area entirely.
9. Students are not allowed to leave the building and then reenter without prior permission. Once a student leaves the building, he/she may not be permitted to return.
10. Only players, coaches and managers will be allowed in the locker rooms. Others found there will be directed to leave.

11. Students and spectators will have access to bathrooms on the first floor only. These are located in the hallway adjacent to the gym.
12. Cordial host behavior is a reflection on Bolton Central School.
13. Spectators are not to be in the building outside the gymnasium area.
14. Spectators are to be seated and not stand in doorways.

In addition, Bolton Central School supports and encourages spectators to enjoy the competition between our student-athletes and cheer for our teams in a positive manner. Spectators should "Be Loud, Be Proud, Be Positive" toward players, coaches, officials, and other spectators.

At BCS, we want to set good examples for our students and be supportive of our teams. We will be working with our chaperones to develop consistency with our expectations and will be forming a Sportsmanship Review committee to address inappropriate behavior of spectators, should it arise.

We hope you agree that interscholastic athletics should be about the student-athletes, and we do not want to take away the positive experience participating in the athletic program provides.

BCS is working in partnership with the New York State Public High School Athletic Association in supporting and encouraging spectators to enjoy the competition between our student-athletes and cheer for their teams in a positive manner.

"Be Loud, Be Proud, Be Positive"

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm	6 EARLY DISMISSAL at 1 PM PK - 12 PM STAFF DEVELOPMENT	7
8 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS	MARCH				12	14
15 Youth & Government Trip	16 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18	19 SPRING BEGINS	20	21 PTO March Madness Basketball Tournament BCS Gym
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 BCS Drama Club Production Friday & Saturday - 7 PM - BCS Gym
29	30	31	Grades 3-8 NYS ELA Assessments			
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DIGNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT

The Dignity for All Students Act (DASA) requires school districts to develop a policy that prohibits harassment, bullying, and discrimination and adds awareness to actual or perceived race, weight, national origin, ethnic group, religion, religious practice, disability, sex, sexual orientation, and gender. The goal of the DASA is to create a safe and supportive school climate where students can learn and focus in a welcoming considerate environment.

For more information about DASA and Bolton Central School District's policy, please visit our website at www.boltoncsd.org or call the school's main office at (518) 644-2400.

In the event you wish to contact the Office of Children and Family Services, you may do so via phone at 1-800-342-3720 or via their website at <http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/cps/>.

FOOD SERVICE INFORMATION

To find out what is being served for breakfast or lunch, visit the BCS web site at www.boltoncsd.org. Click on the word "Menus" in the Quick Links on the home page. This will allow you to view monthly breakfast and lunch menus.

SCHOOL BREAKFAST

Bolton Central School offers breakfast to all students. Breakfast is served each school day beginning at 7:45 a.m. Cost is \$1.75. All menu items meet or exceed nutritional guidelines as determined by NYS and Federal Programs. Children from households that meet federal income guidelines are eligible for free breakfasts. **Reduced price breakfast** will be served at no charge.

SCHOOL LUNCH

Bolton Central School serves nutritionally complete lunches every school day. In addition to a complete lunch, students may purchase any part of the lunch on an a-la-carte basis. Regular lunch may be purchased for \$2.65. Additional milk may also be purchased separately for 50¢.

Children from households that meet federal income guidelines are eligible for free lunches. **Reduced price lunch** will be served at no charge. Please contact Donna DiPietro, the School Nurse, at (518) 644-2400 ext. 106 for information. Applying is simple and confidential.



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	PK-12 Classes Resume	Winter Best Program	NEW YEAR'S DAY BCS OFFICES CLOSED	PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm Music Department Talent Show 7 PM BCS Gym		
	Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	Winter Best Program	All-County Instrumental Auditions			
	PK-12 Classes Not In Session BCS OFFICES CLOSED MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	FIELD TRIP- Grades 2 & 3 Winter Best Program			2nd Marking Period & 1st Semester Ends	
		Winter Best Program				



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SCHOOL BUS SAFETY RULES & PROCEDURES

The most important element of school bus transportation is the safety of students. In order to achieve a safe and efficient system, drivers must have the cooperation of all student riders. All BCS bus drivers are responsible for the operation of the bus and for the appropriate behavior of students while riding on the school bus. Parents remain responsible for the behavior of students until they are boarded onto the school bus. Students are expected to always follow the Bus Safety Rules. This means that at all times students will comply with instructions from the bus driver.

Incidents of misbehavior will be reported to the Administration and can result in your loss of bus riding privileges. Students may be given assigned seating on any bus run.

Remember that the Bolton Central School District cooperates fully with the New York State Department of Transportation and Education Department. We are a member school for "Operation Safe Stop". Under normal circumstances you will enter and exit the bus so as not to cross traffic on busy or potentially dangerous roads.

The following rules and regulations are in place for all bus riders:

Waiting for the Bus

- * Be on time! Plan to be ready to board as soon as the bus arrives.
- * Wait off the road surface.
- * Always watch the bus as it comes to a stop.

Arrival of the Bus

- * Stand still until the bus has completely stopped.
- * Board the bus safely, quickly and quietly.
- * Sit as the bus driver directs you.
- * Seat belt use is suggested for student safety.
- * Please do not act in any manner that will cause the bus driver to take his/her eyes from the roadway or mirrors.

While the Bus is Moving

- * Remain seated and sit quietly so you can hear directives from the driver if need be.
- * While the bus is moving, you must not do anything that will disturb or distract the driver or cause harm.



This includes:

- No swearing, abusive or vulgar language or gestures
- No hitting, touching or harassing riders
- Fighting is NEVER allowed and will not be tolerated
- Keep arms and head inside windows at all times. Only open a window after getting approval from the driver. Do not shout or gesture out of a window.
- Hold all books and belongings or place them securely under your seat
- Always know the location of the nearest emergency exit

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2 GROUNDHOG DAY	3	4	5	6 PTO Meeting 6:15 PM BCS Library Booster Club Meeting 7:15 PM 1st Floor Conference Rm	7	8
9	10 Board of Education Meeting 6:30 PM BCS Library	11	12	13	14 VALENTINE'S DAY	15
16	17 PRESIDENTS' DAY BCS OFFICES CLOSED	18	19	20	21	22
MID WINTER RECESS						
23	24	25	26 Ash Wednesday	27	28	29 Middle School Dance - Sponsored by NHS BCS Cafeteria