

Family Orientation



2021 -2022



Vision

An alliance committed to raising social justice leaders able to apply critical thinking and literacy skills to resolve real world problems that plague our neighbors, communities, and world. A beacon of strength and pride, Bronx Alliance engenders hope, encourages diversity, and incites activism in and through the lives of our leaders, families, and community.

Mission

Develop leader's aptitude, attitude, and appreciation for academic excellence, cultural diversity, and social justice.

Motto

*“If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far,
go together.”*

-- African Proverb

Values

Persistence

to press onward in spite of fear, fatigue, and failure.

Accountability

to take charge of responsibilities and own mistakes.

Communication

to listen to understand and speak with clarity, concision, and compassion.

Teamwork

to encourage and support others toward achieving a common goal

Pledge

I

Unapologetically I
pledge my body, my mind, my soul to the awakening of my community and the dismantling of its oppression

Unapologetically I
press as a beacon of pride and strength over fear, over fatigue, over failure and over every trick, lie, and plot that plagues my existence

Unapologetically I
listen to understand, speak with clarity and power, incite activism to continue the laborious work of liberation begun by my beautiful ancestors

Unapologetically I
snatch my future from the hands of statistics that predict my demise, by forging alliances that affirm I am my ancestors' wildest dreams

Unapologetically I
dismantle the oppressions that seek to keep me and my community from lives worth living

Unapologetically I
embrace change!
I won't give up
I let my light shine!
by any means necessary!

Daily Schedule

7:40 - 8:00	Breakfast & Morning Affirmation
8:00 - 8:10	Family Check-in
12:40 - 1:25	Sixth & Seventh Grade Lunch
1:25 - 2:10	Eighth Grade Lunch
2:10 - 2:20	Family Check-out & Dismissal
2:20 - 5:30	After School: BAMS, Beacon, & SONYC

Communities of Care

- School (1)
- Tribe (3)
- House (4)
- Core Class (12)
- Family (24)

Families



James Baldwin
"I Embrace Change!"



Sonia Sotomayor
"I Wont Give Up!"



Ida B. Wells
"I Let My Light Shine!"



Malcolm X
"By Any Means Necessary!"

8th Grade
Family

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Ladder of Support

- *Elder*
- *Parent Coordinator*
- *Teachers*
- *Grade Supervisor*

School App

- *Check twice a week*
- *Receive push reminders of school activities*
- *Email and message faculty and staff*
- *Electronically sign permission slips*

Jupiter Ed

- *Check at least weekly*
- *Current grades for every course*
- *Completed and missing assignments*
- *Send email to faculty and staff*
- *School and class announcements*
- *Send and receive messages from staff*

New York City Schools Account **(NYCSA)**

- *Check at least monthly*
- *COVID Testing Consent Forms*
- *Official school attendance*
- *State test scores*
- *Biographical information*

Instructional Program

(minutes per week)

- *ELA (315)*
- *Math (315)*
- *Social Studies (225)*
- *Science (225)*
- *Family (190/135)*
- *Electives (180)*
- *Physical Ed (90/135)*
- *Genius Hour (90)*

Technology

- School App and Website
- Jupiter Ed
- Google Suite
- Kickboard
- Mac Music, Media, and Animation Lab
- 1:1 Chromebook
- **NO CELL PHONES**

Instructional Interventions

iReady

ELA & Math

Lexia, iSpire, & Great Leaps

ELA

XL Math

Math

Community Partners

Beacon Program Provider

Supportive Children's Advocacy Network - New York

(SCAN NY)

SONYC Program Provider

Mosholu Montefiore Community Center

(MMCC)

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*Montefiore
School Health Clinic*

Community Health Services

Mental Health Services

Physical Health Services

Uniform Shirts

Must Be:
Bronx Alliance issued shirt

Can Be:
Solid navy or white collared
shirt

Cannot Be:
exposed midriff, shoulders, or
chest



Uniform Bottom

Must Be:

black, khaki, navy, or uniform

Can Be:

pants, shorts, skirts, or dress

Cannot Be:

sweat or track pants, leggings, or sheer



Shoes

Must Be:
closed toe and covered

Can Be:
sneakers, flats

Cannot Be:
sandals, slides, or high-heeled



SIX THINGS BY SEPTEMBER 17

- 1. Return Two Emergency Cards**
- 2. Log into your NYCSA**
- 3. Log into your MySchools**
- 4. Complete Income Verification Form**
- 5. Complete COVID Consent Form**
- 6. Schedule Needed Immunizations**