

DERCE PAG

OCTOBER 3, 2021

2021-2022 EDITION 4

PIERCE STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Are you interested in making a difference in your school? Consider running for a position in student government!

Applications are now available HERE, please listen for more updates or see Mr. Smith in room 324 or Ms. Percuoco in Room 330 for more details!





It's that time of year! Every fall we receive requests from students and their parents to complete applications and write recommendations for admission to private/ parochial schools. If your child is considering applying to a private/parochial school, please follow the guidelines listed below:

- Contact your child's grade level guidance counselor at least 3 weeks prior to the application deadline date via email or phone when you have made the decision that your child is going to apply to a private/parochial school
- Ask your child to complete the Student Information Sheet. Counselors need this form in order to complete the recommendations. Click <u>HERE</u> to access the form.
- Guidance counselors are responsible for completing the school report form and the principal/guidance recommendation.
- If other teacher recommendation letters are required, please contact your child's teacher(s) directly via email to make that request and follow up directly with those teachers.
- Please give both Guidance Counselors and Teachers at least 3 weeks to complete the application/ recommendation process.
- please let your child's Guidance In the Spring, Counselor know if they will be attending a Private School for the 2020-2021 school year.
- If you are having technical difficulties with the websites, please contact Ravena/Gateway or the private school directly.



Mr. McElhinney's Civics classes have been studying democracy and the Constitutional Convention. In class, the students held a mini Constitutional Convention and created a profile of its delegates.

Boston Children's Hospital

#GivePintsForHalfPints

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A BLOOD DRIVE





Saturday, October 16, 2021 9AM - 3 PM at Pierce Middle School

...because kids can't fight cancer alone

In honor of Hannah Serpa

MILTON **GLOWS** G♡LD

To make an appointment please go to www.halfpints.childrenshopital.org And use sponsor code: PIERCE

For more information contact Michelle Serpa at healy.michelle@amail.com

Blood Donor Center | 617-355-6677



REMINDER TO ALL STUDENTS

Be sure to charge your Chromebook every night to ensure you are prepared for classes each day.



CHROMEBOOK DAY LOANER PLAN

In an effort to promote student responsibility, we have a new plan regarding borrowing Chromebooks for the day when they are forgotten at home. Students will be able to receive a day loaner Chromebook from Ms. Royster three times per term (12 total per year). After a student has reached their max for the term they will not be allowed to receive a day loaner from Ms. Royster. In addition, there will only be 30 day loaner Chromebooks available.

This policy does NOT include broken devices. If a student has a broken Chromebook, they will bring the broken device to Ms. Royster who will provide the student with a replacement Chromebook (not day loaner) to use until the broken device is fixed.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SCHEDULE OF DAYS THIS WEEK:

Monday - D7, Tuesday - D1, Wednesday - D2 Thursday - D3, Friday - D4

October 11...Indigenous Peoples Day - No School; October 16...Blood Drive for Milton Glows Gold at Pierce; October 22...Picture Day

HELPFUL RESOURCES



Ms. Perry - School Nurse



Marti McKenna, Family Outreach Liaison mmckenna@miltonps.org or 617-980-7343

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Ms. Benjamin - Gr. 6 Guidance Counselor

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Ms. Jaquette - Gr. 7 Guidance Counselor

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Ms. Veldran - Gr. 8 Guidance Counselor <u>Iveldran@miltonps.org</u>