

Collegiate Baton Rouge

Frequently Asked Questions

- **Where will the school be located?**
 - For the upcoming 2017-18 school year, we'll be temporarily located at the Mid City Charter building on 1900 N. Lobdell Boulevard, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70806. (Across the street from the Copper Ridge and Aspen Apartment complexes.)
 - Our permanent facility is set to open for the 2018-19 school year and will be at the intersection of Florida and Lobdell (282 Lobdell Blvd.).
- **What is the name of the school?**
 - Collegiate Baton Rouge.
- **Will there be transportation and will it be free?**
 - Yes. Bus transportation is provided for all students that live in East Baton Rouge Parish at no cost to families. There will be one route and no transfers.
 - If you live outside EBR we'll assign you to the closest stop within the parish
- **Are there entrance requirements or tuition?**
 - No. Absolutely not. We are open-enrollment. No GPA requirements, no entrance exams, no tuition, and no fees.
- **What sports / extra-curriculars will the school have?**
 - The usual things when you think of a traditional high school experience - basketball, volleyball, football, band, cheerleading, dance, etc. Our founders, the class of 2021, will get to play a big role in defining what clubs we offer. If they are interested in having it, they can start it!
- **How will this school help my child if they are already behind in a subject?**
 - We offer very robust intervention services. 50% of our students within our network receive free specialized services. Our #1 focus is considering your child on an individual basis, assessing exactly what your child needs to ensure he/she is on a path to college success, and then making sure your child gets that!
 - We have reading intervention, math intervention, advisory support, and tutoring during the school day.
- **What supports will there be for students and families?**
 - There will be a full time social worker on staff to provide direct support and to connect families with agencies to best support the family.
- **Why is the school starting with only 9th grade?**
 - It's a good model that we've seen work with our other schools. It allows us to build a really strong community and culture within our founding class. Then, our founders become leaders of the school for years to come.
- **What does the class schedule look like?**
 - Student begins the day with breakfast and tutoring/study hall, followed by 2 academic class blocks, lunch, then 2 more academic blocks, and ending the day with clubs/extracurricular activities.

- **What type of diploma will students receive from Collegiate Baton Rouge?**
 - Our curriculum throughout all our courses prepares students for the rigor of a college classroom. Our course progression aligns with the requirements of the LA Core 4 diploma which is the diploma needed for admission to any 2- or 4-year college or university.
- **What time does school start and end?**
 - 8:30am - 4:00pm with a 45 minute extra curricular block at the end of the day.
- **How do we know what works in New Orleans will work here?**
 - What's worked in New Orleans is building schools that meet our students' needs. That's the same thing we will do in Baton Rouge. There's nothing "cookie cutter" about our schools. It's always been about building a school for the kids and meeting them where they are academically. Then we stop at nothing to ensure every student has what they need to be successful.
- **Will there be a uniform?**
 - Yes. We will provide all students with their first uniform.
 - Extra uniforms can be ordered from Fashion Era
 - 7011 Florida Blvd, Baton Rouge, LA
 - <http://fashionerabatonrougeuniforms.com/>
- **Will students have access to technology?**
 - Yes. There will be a 1 to 1 ratio of Google Chromebooks to students.

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