

Spring Break Travel

Spring Break runs after students' last obligation on Saturday, March 6th and ends on Sunday, March 28th. We ask that you adhere to the travel dates and do not schedule an early departure. The Deans' Office asks boarding students to fill out their Vacation Moodle Form with details about their roundtrip travel to and from Middlesex. Moodle Travel forms are due by Friday, February 26th. All boarding students – whether they are taking MX transportation or not – must fill out this form with their roundtrip travel arrangements.

Boarding students will need to submit a negative COVID-19 PCR/molecular test within 72 hours of their arrival on campus for move-in on Sunday, March 26th. Please note that the test must be a PCR (molecular) test, and COVID-19 **antigen** tests are not sufficient. This negative PCR test result must be e-mailed to healthcenter@mxschool.edu prior to the student's arrival on campus.

The transportation options that the school offers/suggests are as follows:

NYC Direct Bus Departure from Middlesex (\$95 fare)

- Bus leaves MX on Saturday, Mar. 6th @ 1:00 pm.
- Arrives at the Metro station (30 Station Place) in **Stamford, CT** between 4:00 & 4:45 pm.
- Arrives at the Church of St. Ignatius (980 Park Ave.) on the **Upper East Side** around 5:45pm.
- Arrives at **Penn Station** (7th Ave between 33rd and 31st) around 6:30 pm.

NYC Direct Bus Return to Middlesex (\$95 fare)

- The bus leaves Penn Station (7th Avenue between 33rd & 31st, NYC) at 11:00 am on March 28th.
- Arrives at the Upper East Side (2. Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, [980 Park Ave.](#), between 83rd & 84th, NYC) ~ 11:45
- Arrives at Stamford (Metro Train station, [30 Station Place, Stamford, CT](#)) ~1/1:30
- Arrives at Middlesex: ~4:30pm

Please note that these times are approximate.

Shuttles to Logan Airport (\$35 fare)

Students who are taking flights back to and from school will share the details, through Moodle, with Mr. Torres, who coordinates shuttles to and from Logan for all students with flights.

It is important that the school is aware if a student will be traveling as an unaccompanied minor, and we ask students to share these details with Transportation Manager, Paul Torres.

COVID Protocols:

The NYC Direct Bus has the following protocols in place for COVID:

1. Buses will be occupied at 50% occupancy.
2. The front (2) rows on each side of each bus is blocked for protection of the driver.
3. Drivers will not handle luggage or bags. Each passenger will need to load their own bag into the luggage bays.
4. Drivers will wear face masks at all times covering both their nose and mouth.
5. Drivers will social distance from the group while loading and unloading the bus.
6. Buses are sanitized before each trip using electrostatic anti-viral fog machines.
7. All passenger touch points are thoroughly cleaned before each trip including hand rails, tray tables, headrests and toilet door handles.

Mx shuttle service to Logan Airport have the following protocols in place:

1. Vans will be occupied only at 50% occupancy.
2. Drivers and passengers will wear face masks at all times covering both their nose and mouth.
3. When possible, windows will be opened for additional ventilation.
4. Vans will be sanitized between trips.

Car service

While the school does not offer a car service, if the options above do not apply to your child and you would like a car service, we recommend booking through Go Boston Shuttle.

If you have any questions about Spring Break travel, please reach Kelly Larocque in the Deans' Office at

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