

GET BOLTON CENTER SCHOOL ON TV!



Public Access Television

**ATTENTION STUDENTS Grades 6-8**

## **BCS Video Club**

**Train this Fall! Filming by Winter!**

Learn to film your school's  
sporting events, concerts,  
graduations and more!

**Create short films or in-depth interviews!**

### **Learn:**

- HD Sony NX3 videocamera
- Tripods
- Microphones
- XLR adaptors and XLR cords
- DaVinci Resolve
- Camera language and techniques
- Lighting kits

Melanie Merkel, Community Outreach/Trainer Manager from Community Voice Channel will teach the class to meet the 2nd and 3rd Thursday of every month after school.

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## Video Club Permission Form

CVC shall own all right, title and interest to the program the kids create to be aired on the non-commercial channel Education Access 95 at Community Voice Channel.



<i>Date</i>	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month	<i>Time</i>	2:25 pm – 3:20 pm
<i>Location</i>	Bolton Center School Computer Lab		
<i>Cost</i>	FREE		
<i>Transportation</i>	Walk across the street to CVC for editing come spring 2024		
<i>Notes</i>	To learn editing, we'll walk across the street to Community Voice Channel		

Please return this permission slip  
by:

Thursday, November 2, 2023

I give  
permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_

To participate in Video Club

from Nov 9, 2023 to May 16, 2024

In case of an emergency, I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment. In case of such an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Video Club Advisor: Ms. Melanie Merkel [melanie@cvcct.org](mailto:melanie@cvcct.org)

860-645-1454

Video Club will meet twice a month, every month after school from 2:20 pm – 3:20 pm.

Students will meet after school to produce multimedia video projects. We will learn all aspects of pre-production, production, and postproduction to produce quality videos using equipment provided by Community Voice Channel. We will have a strong focus on Broadcast Journalism and Short Films.

#### Ms. Merkel's Bio

Learning video production while in high school (RHAM Class of 2003) gave me a huge advantage when joining the industry in 2012. In 2009 I graduated from University of Hartford's School of Communication with a bachelor's degree in Media Production. Before and after graduating college, I worked promotions for Hartford's Country 92.5 and Radio Disney Hartford 1550 AM and Radio Disney Boston 1270AM before joining the team at Community Voice Channel in April 2012. I love training individuals to learn how to film. As I helped adults and students with their projects, I realized very quickly that I had a passion for working with individuals, especially students, and help them explore all elements of video production.

With my experience in the industry and passion for teaching, I am ready to turn the computer lab into a production studio!