



Arvind and Chandan Nandlal Kilachand Honors College

KILACHAND HONORS COLLEGE HONOR CODE

Kilachand Honors College expects all students to be ethical, honorable, and responsible members of our community and to observe the Kilachand Honor Code in spirit and action. It is each student's obligation to cultivate and sustain a safe, healthy, and respectful atmosphere for the benefit of all. Kilachand Honors College expects its students to behave with honor and act with integrity at all times. Students should speak and act respectfully and truthfully. They should refrain from misleading fellow students, faculty, and staff and from misrepresenting themselves. Kilachand students are asked to trust and to support fellow students; be considerate of other community members' health, safety, and rights; and respect diversity within the community. When engaged in activities outside of Kilachand, students should be aware that their speech, actions, and behavior represent Kilachand Honors College and thus should act accordingly.

Under the Honor Code, all Kilachand Honors College students are expected to maintain high standards of academic honesty and integrity. Every Kilachand student must be aware of Boston University's Undergraduate Academic Conduct Code and abide by its provisions. Furthermore, Kilachand students are required to abide by all other non-academic provisions set forth by Boston University and Kilachand Honors College. The following policies and procedures should guide students in achieving their educational goals.

A. Standing

To remain in good standing within Kilachand Honors College, students first must abide by the stipulations outlined above. Additionally, students must meet the requirements for good academic standing in their school or college of enrollment. They must maintain a yearly cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.3, must receive grades of B or better in Kilachand courses in the freshman and sophomore years, a B+ or better in Kilachand courses in the junior and senior years, successfully complete a keystone project, and are expected to attend and participate in all required co-curricular activities. Students who fail to meet some or all of these criteria may be considered to be in poor standing within Kilachand. A student's standing may also be jeopardized if they are asked to vacate the required Kilachand freshman housing or other Kilachand specialty communities.

B. Review

The Kilachand Honors College Administration will review the performance and the participation of students who do not meet some or all of the above-mentioned criteria to determine their standing. Students who do not meet these criteria will be so notified via email at the end of the fall or spring semesters. Students who are found to be in poor standing will be so notified via email and US Mail. Standing is decided at the discretion of Kilachand Administration. Record of a student's poor standing will be retained in the student's file at Kilachand, but will not be recorded on the student's permanent academic record. A student's poor standing will not be made public when records or transcripts are sent out. This information may be shared as necessary with other schools and colleges within Boston University. If a student is found to be in poor standing, his or her record will be reevaluated at the close of the following semester. After evaluating the relevant information, the Kilachand Administration will decide on a course of action for students in poor standing, including possible removal from the program.

C. Dissemination of Information

Only notice of a student's removal from the program is sent to the parent or guardian of dependent students. Dissemination of information is governed by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA).

I have read and understood the Kilachand Honors College Program Guidelines. My signature indicates an agreement to abide by the guidelines set forth in this document and my understanding of the ensuing repercussions of breaking this agreement.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____