Frequently Asked Questions

King’s College Campus Safety and Security

August 3rd, 2020

1. **Where can I have my temperature checked on campus?** Students can have their temperature checked by the desk attendants at Esseff Hall, Holy Cross Hall, the Alley Center for Health Sciences and in the lobby of the Scandlon Gym.

2. **How do I contact Campus Safety and Security?** Campus Safety can be contacted by calling our switchboard at 570-208-5900. Please provide the operator with your name, telephone or cell phone information, your location and purpose of your call.

3. **Where is Campus Safety and Security located on campus?** Our offices are located at 107/108 Alumni Hall, which is at the corner of North Main Street and West Jackson Streets. Our switchboard is located just inside the Lane’s Lane entrance of the D. Leonard Corgan Library.

4. **How do I apply for a parking pass?** To apply for a parking pass, please go to our webpage, located at [https://www.kings.edu/life_at_kings/resources_for_success/parking_safety_security](https://www.kings.edu/life_at_kings/resources_for_success/parking_safety_security). Students can pay for parking online, by mail, or in person prior to the beginning of the fall semester. Students are encouraged to apply for parking prior to arriving on campus. This will help us avoid long lines and promote social distancing. All students are to download and complete either a commuter student parking application or a resident student parking application and forward the application to our department. Campus Safety will have representatives stationed near the front entrance of Hafey Marian during Move-In Week (August 17-22) to accommodate students who have not applied prior to arriving on campus.

5. **If I paid for parking, where do I pick up my hangtag?** Students who have applied and prepaid for parking can pick up their hangtags at our office, located at 107/108 Alumni Hall. Due to social distancing concerns, only one student at a time is permitted in the lobby area.

6. **What is the cost of student parking?** Commuter students are required to pay an annual fee of $255.00 while residents students pay a fee of $350.00.

7. **Where do resident students park?** Resident students typically park in our North Washington Street lot. Resident students who reside in Flood Hall, O’Hara Hall, Alumni Hall, or the Alley Center for Health Sciences can apply for a special permit to park in the Flood lot, the Alumni Hall lot or the Alley Center lot.

8. **Where can commuter students park?** Commuter students are not assigned a specific lot. Commuter students can park at the North Street lot by swipe access, the gravel lot at the intersection of North and North Washington Streets, the Oasis lot (entrance on Pennsylvania Blvd.), our Penn lot (located at 169 North Pennsylvania Blvd.), or the Times Leader lot (located at 15 rear North Main Street).

9. **Can I get a ride to campus from the parking lots?** King’s College Campus Safety supplements our shuttle services on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 7 am to 3 pm. Students can request rides
by calling 570-208-5900. There will be limitations on passengers, and all passengers will be required to wear masks and do temperature screenings before transport. Plexiglass has been installed in our vehicles which should give added protection to the driver and passengers. Vehicles will be sanitized after every transport.

10. **Does the campus have an emergency notification system?** Yes, King’s College uses 911 Cellular as an emergency notification system for the campus community. Students are encouraged to download the “Campus Shield” app on their smartphones and fill in the pertinent data. The app is equipped with an emergency button, which when activated will send your GPS location on campus to Campus Safety and Security. Additionally, the app contains the campus map, our campus shuttle schedule, and other related resources. By enrolling in this app, students will receive email communications, such as updates on campus delays due to weather conditions, emergencies on or near campus, and weather emergencies.

11. **How do I contact the Investigation Unit at King’s College?** Senior Investigator Stephen Kopenis can be contacted at 570-208-5965 or stephenkopenis@kings.edu. Investigator Nicholas Gushka can be contacted at 570-208-8450 or at nicholasgushk@kings.edu. Student interviews may be conducted via telephone or Zoom at the discretion of the investigator.