



Elementary - Junior High
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JULY NEWSLETTER

OFFICE HOURS: The school office is open during the summer on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 8am-3pm.

ENROLLMENT: Enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year is still open. To start the application process please fill out the application and submit the registration fee. The registration fee is \$200. New students need to schedule an appointment through the office to come in for testing. There is a testing fee of \$25.

EDCHOICE: The EdChoice Scholarship is available to qualified families through the Ohio Department of Education. This application is separate from the application for admission to the school and has specific requirements. The EdChoice scholarships also offer help for low-income families. All families should fill out the financial aid forms to see if they qualify for financial aid. Families who do not qualify for financial aid will be responsible for the remaining balance of tuition that the scholarship does not cover. EdChoice applications are now being accepted again.

EDCHOICE SCHOLARSHIP CHANGES: The state of Ohio recently voted to increase the EdChoice Scholarship from \$4,650 to \$5,500. This is great news for the families who qualified for the traditional scholarship because it significantly decreases the balance of tuition required. Students in grades K-6 will now only owe \$200, and students in grades 7-8 will owe \$400. The remaining balances need to be paid off by October 15th, with the first payment made by August 15th.

TUITION: A reminder that the first tuition payment is due by August 15th.

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION: Kindergarten orientation will take place on Thursday, August 5 at 6:00pm in the school cafeteria for all new kindergarteners and their families. We will go over expectations, policies, and procedures for the school year, and answer any of the parent's questions or concerns. This will allow parents to meet the teachers and view the classrooms.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUNDAY: On Sunday, August 15th we are going to have "Back to School Sunday." We are inviting each of the students, and their families, to attend the 10:00 a.m. service at Central Baptist Church. You'll enjoy the friendly spirit, majestic music, and a helpful message. At the end of the service, each CBA student in attendance will receive a bag full of school supplies for the upcoming school year. We appreciate you entrusting us with the education of your child, and this is one way we can say thank you.

OPEN HOUSE: Open House for all grades will take place on Monday, August 16 at 6:00pm. We will begin by meeting in the church auditorium before dispersing to the school to meet the teachers in their classrooms. This is an informational session for families enrolled for the coming school year. We would like one parent from each family to attend with their student. You will be able to meet your teachers, the office staff, principal, and administrator plus get any last-minute questions answered.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: First day of school will be Wednesday, August 18 at 7:30am. Doors will be open at 7:00am and we dismiss at 2:25pm.

BUS SERVICE: The following school districts will provide bus service for our students this year: Cincinnati Public, Mt. Healthy, Finneytown, and Winton Woods. For route or eligibility information, please call the transportation office in your school district.



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FROM THE NURSE: Make sure that your student is up to date on all the vaccinations for the 2021-2022 school year. Please visit centralbaptistacademy.org for a complete list of those that are required.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: If you have a child who will be attending kindergarten this year, we must have the health form filled out by your child's doctor, including dates of immunizations, by the time school begins. If you did not receive one of these forms, please call the office and we will mail one to you.

All students entering 7th grade are required, by the state of Ohio, to receive a dose of Tdap vaccine before they can begin classes in August. Please send proof of vaccination from your doctor to our office.

All prescription, and non-prescription (over the counter) medication must have an Administration of Medication at School form completed by the doctor and the parents. This medication form can be picked up from the office, downloaded from our website, or mailed to you. Students may not keep, or take, their own medication.

SUPPLY LISTS: Lists for student school supplies are available in the office or on Class Dojo. It is recommended that each student have all the supplies listed by the first day of school.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- July – Registration for EdChoice is open
- August 5 – Kindergarten Orientation
- August 15 – Back to School Sunday
- August 15 – First Tuition Payment Due
- August 16 – Open House for all grade levels
- August 18 – First Day of School for all grade levels