



Elementary - Junior High
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GRADE REPORTING: Grade Sheets will go home on Friday, March 8th for all students in grades 4-8. Report Cards for third quarter will go home on Friday, March 22nd for all students in all grades. Please sign and return them within one week.

EARLY DISMISSAL: We will dismiss at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 15th for the last day of the third quarter. There will be no after-school program. Finneytown, Winton Woods, and Mt. Healthy buses will pickup students at this early time; however, First Student (Cincinnati Public) buses will not pickup CBA students.

SPRING BREAK: Spring Break will be March 25th – 29th.

2019-2020 REGISTRATION: Registration for the 2019-20 school year is now open. The registration fee for new students is \$150.00 while registration for returning students is just \$100.00. The registration fee is due with the application and is nonrefundable. Registration is not complete until all **paperwork and registration fees** are turned in. We will begin open enrollment for new students in March.

STANDARDIZED TESTS: Our school will conduct both testing for the State of Ohio and achievement testing from April 1st through May 10th. Please make sure that your student is present for all tests as makeup tests require them to miss current academic material. We will release a more detailed testing schedule as the time approaches.

DRESS CODE: Please visit our dress code policy on the school's website to make sure that you are aware of all expectations. For example, some of the uniform pieces must be purchased from Educational Outfitters. Also, boys are not permitted to wear earrings, and all students are not permitted to have hair colors that are not natural.

WEATHER CLOSINGS: If school closes due to weather, it will be announced on all of the major television stations and on their websites. Although we should be listed as "Central Baptist Academy," some stations may list us as "Central Baptist Schools." Both names are our school. All radio and television stations are notified by 5:30 a.m. if we are going to close. Some stations are slower than others at getting the closing information out to the public, so you may need to check more than one station if you suspect that we may close. Please do not call the school to ask if we are closed.

SCHOOL CLOSING AND TRANSPORTATION: We want to remind parents and students that Central Baptist Academy does not operate buses. Some school districts do send buses to our school; those buses are owned and controlled by that school district, not Central Baptist Academy. We understand that school districts occasionally cancel their school and their buses at the last minute; we have no control over that decision. On days when weather is bad, you should watch for district announcements about the closing of its schools. In general, if the school district closes its schools, it will not be operating its buses that day either.

NOTES FROM THE NURSE: Out of respect for students and teachers with allergies, asthma, and other medical concerns, no scented hair products, hand creams, or lotions of any sort should be worn to school. If your child wears these products, please encourage its use only on the weekends. If it is worn to school, they will be asked to leave class and wash it off.

Also, please remember to keep your sick child home from school. Students are coming to school not following the "24-hour rule" for illnesses. The rule states that students are to stay at home for 24 hours for fever, diarrhea, and vomiting. This means that your child is to be free of these things without the use of any medication.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

March 8 . . . Grade Sheets go home for grades 4-8

March 15 . . . End of 3rd Quarter - Early Dismissal 11:00 a.m.

March 22 . . . Report Cards for 3rd Quarter go home for all grades

March 25 . . . Spring Break through the 29th

April 1 . . . Ohio State Tests and Achievement Test for all grades through May 10th

Praising God for His blessings,



**Angela Helton
Principal**