



BARRINGTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Dear BCA Families,

I hope you are enjoying your summer, getting to enjoy the nice weather, and finding time to recharge. There is an interesting question we get from BCA parents and students during the summer; "What do you do all summer? There must be nothing to do all summer."

BCA is much quieter in the summer, but there is still A LOT of work and planning being done each day. Some of the work being done is standard school operations, while other aspects of our summer work is planning new and exciting things for the 2019-2020 school year and beyond! Exciting things such as:

Lower School - working on year two of multi-aged classrooms and planning for their new theme of Heritage: American, Family, Spiritual, and School Heritage. (Did you know BCA is celebrating its 40th anniversary this year?)

Middle School - launching new STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math) classes being developed and led by Mr. Greenhalgh.

High School - social studies and science classes will be on a rotating schedule, which will allow students more flexibility in Spanish and math classes and will create classes with a mix of students from different grade levels.

Those are just a few examples of the work being done this summer. So, needless to say, the summer is busy around here at BCA, and time is flying by!

More information about the upcoming school year can be found in the summer packet. Please read through the packet carefully and return all forms to Mrs. Sutton by August 9th. Also, pay close attention to the following:

Updated health and food policy.

Back to School Night date and time (earlier date).

School hours and when students can and cannot be in the building.

The BCA student handbook is available online under "community portal" and must be signed by Wednesday, August 28th.

Our theme this year is FAITH. As a school community, we will need to completely rely on our faith in God as BCA continues to seek ways to grow and advance God's Kingdom.

Blessings,

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