



Christian Academy Schools Eagle Vision

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Our Mission is to
"Equip and Inspire Students to be a
New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders"

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From the Desk of Head of School



Where Has the Summer Gone?

As a school administrator for many years, I've known that once we get past the 4th of July holiday the summer really is unofficially over. (At least for me) Volleyball and soccer practices get underway, maintenance projects are in full swing, supplies for teachers and classrooms are coming in daily, staff and families are trying to get in those last few days of relaxing activities and more intent planning is going on for the start of another academic year.

This summer hopefully has been a time of refreshing for all of us physically and socially as well as spiritually. A little extra rest, some well -timed gatherings with friends and family and a more in -depth time of prayer and Bible reading will help us move into a fresh new year.

For the upcoming 21-22 school year we will be focusing upon our school theme in Ephesians 5:1,2. *"Knowing this it is our desire that we all will become better imitators and followers of God, being loved and loving others even as Christ did and is doing daily for us all."*

Please be praying for all of us here at Christian Academy as we make our final preparations for what we trust will be an incredible school year ahead 😊. Know we are praying for all of you as families as well.

Blessings,
Mr. Dray

Mission Statement

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We Need Your Help for Those Finishing Touches



On **Saturday August 7th** beginning at **8:30 a.m.** we will be working on a variety of projects to be ready for our school year to get underway. We will be mulching around the building and on the playground, (27 yards of mulch 😊), moving of some classroom furnishings, assembling some outdoor tables, extra cleaning in the building and more.

With so many great things to be done **we need your help** to make it happen. Please contact Denise here at the school office at 937-492-7556 and let her know you'll be here. These hours can be placed towards the required family volunteer hours for the upcoming school year. Thanks, and see you **August 7th**!

Food Service Assistance Needed

Each year almost 24,000 meals are prepared and served to our hungry students here at Christian Academy. Our Food Service Director Doris Abbott does a great job overseeing our paid and volunteer staff to make it happen.

Right now, we are looking for someone to be able to work Monday through Friday from **10:45 a.m.-1:45 p.m.** on a **paid basis as well as volunteers** to work one day weekly or more from **11:00 a.m.-12:40 p.m.** If you would like to assist Mrs. Abbott in the kitchen, please contact Denise here in the school office at 937-492-7556. Thank you.

School Health in the Upcoming 21-22 School Year

Last May after Governor DeWine announced the ending of the required facial covering and health mandates for students beyond June 1st the Board of Christian Academy voted that we would for the upcoming school year return to a more normal pre-pandemic setting for our school and students and staff. This is still the plan as we move forward.

We know some students or staff may still want to wear facial coverings and that is perfectly fine. We will continue as we did daily prior to this past year to encourage good health and sanitation here at school. Hand cleaners will still be readily available, routine outdoor activities will be encouraged when possible and any sickness among students and staff will be monitored for proper guidelines to be followed. Thank you in advance for your help in maintaining good health and nutrition at home and for praying for us daily here at CAS.

Christian Academy Fellowship Picnic

Friday August 20th at 6:00 p.m. at CAS

Christian Academy will provide the meat and buns with condiments and dinnerware.

Families are asked to bring either a main dish, dessert, or side dish to share.



What's Happening

August & September Calendar

√ Kindergarten Parent Mtg.	Thursday, August 12	6 p.m.
√ All School Orientation	Tuesday, August 17	6 p.m.
√ First Day of School	Thursday, August 19	8:20 a.m.
√ School Picnic	Friday, August 20	6 p.m.
√ Labor Day	Monday, September 6	School Closed
√ Picture Day	Wednesday, September 8	
√ Mid-term	Friday, September 17	
√ See You at the Pole	Wednesday, September 22	7:30 a.m.