CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Faculty Meeting -October 21-22, 2024

2024-2025 Calendar

August 10 First faculty meeting
Aug 12 – Oct 18 First quarter (10 weeks)

Oct 21-22 Faculty meetings

Oct 21 – Jan 3 Second quarter (10 weeks)

Jan 13 - 14 Faculty meetings

Jan 6 – Mar 14 Third quarter (10 weeks)

Mar 10-11 Faculty meeting

Mar 17 – May 16 Fourth quarter (9 weeks)

June 15 Records due into Crossroad's office

ADMINISTRATION

Jenny Bartz, Administrator office@crossroadschristian.us (205) 640-2174
Lori Booth, Business Manager and Registrar Karen Cunningham, Administrative Support records@crossroadschristian.us (205) 640-2174

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Office: The office will be closed Nov. 26, 28 and Dec. 24, 26, 31, Jan. 2. Reopen Tuesday, January 7.

Online grade submission. Be ready with information before you start. Turn in grades on time. Print the PDF found in your submission email for your records. Downloadable/ printable lesson planner available on our website.

Communication: Weekly email – Newsletters – Make sure you are receiving these so we can reach you. Respond to emails. Check your spam/promotions. Weekly emails will always be on the website.

CSEF: Families who have moved from one school district to another in the past school year need to complete a new CSEF for each of your school-age students. If you have a student who has turned 6 years old this past school year, you need to complete a CSEF for that child (make sure you know in which school district you reside!).

QuickBooks Online is our school's accounting system. Lori Booth is our business manager. All families should receive an e-mail on the last day of each month as a reminder of monthly tuition due. There is a link in the e-mail to pay from your bank to Quickbooks. You can still pay by cash or check at meetings or in school office; or mail us a check; or have your bank send us a check. We do not accept credit card payments. If you believe there is a discrepancy on your account on the e-mail you receive, please contact the school office. If you did not receive the QuickBooks e-mail, please let us know that also, so we can correct it.

You have made a tuition commitment for the school year 2024-25. Please pay by the 15th of each month. As stated in the handbook, failure to pay two months will result in probation, three months will result in possible disqualification from CRCS. If you have a financial crisis, please contact the administrator or member of the board.

PARTICIPATION IN ACTIVITIES OFFERED ASSUMES TUITION IS CURRENT.

Community Church Child Protection Policy: All volunteers (co-op, fine arts,clubs) will need to read and sign the policy as well as read the Child Abuse Prevention Training PDF and sign that they have read it. (Insurance requirement)

Student Handbook: Dress, Grooming, and Behavior Code: You and your students must read and abide by this code when involved in CRCS activities, including all field trips, co-op classes, dance classes, etc. Parents are the ones who should be enforcing this dress code.

Drivers Permit/License: If your student turns 15 or 16 and plans to take the driver's permit or driver's license test, the student must provide proof of school enrollment. Contact the school office for a ALEA form 1-93 enrollment/exclusion form. Or call and request that we mail it to you. These forms will also be available at the registration table.

Office Hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. ALEA forms for drivers permits and drivers licenses. Transcripts. Pay tuition.

Literacy program, a 1-year video program for students age 14 through adult, who have difficulties in reading. **Dyslexia program**, a 2-year video program for younger students. Available through CRCS office.

Yearbook Ads – help us sell ads to keep the yearbook cost at \$45. Forms available at the table.

Order 2024-2025 Yearbook for \$45 TODAY or on Cheddar Up!

Upper Room – 7th- 12th grades. An opportunity to encourage students in their walk with Jesus Christ. Meets the first Friday monthly, 12 noon, at CPC. Pastor Robby Grames from Community is leading.

Coffee Connections - support groups for your homeschool journey. Details in the newsletter each month.

FIELD TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES

Sallie Albus, Activities Director

Mary Beth Brown, Teen Coordinator

Courtney Wrenn, Events Coordinator

Kristy Rosenow, Field Trips

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DETAILS AND REGISTRATION FOR ACTIVITIES CAN BE FOUND ON CHEDDAR UP

- Cook Museum of Natural Science: Pre K 5th Thur. Oct 24, 10 a.m. -1:00 p.m.
- Tennessee Aquarium: Pre K 12th Thur. Nov 7. 9:15 a.m. (Eastern Time)
- Jr. High Christmas Party: 6th 8th CPC Gym Thurs. Dec 5, 5:00 p.m. 7:00 pm.
- Teen Christmas Party: 9th 12th CPC Gym Thurs. Dec 5, 7:30 p.m. 9:30 p.m.
- Elementary Christmas Party: Pre K 5th CPC Gym Fri. Dec 6, 10 a.m. 12 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS

CRCS Co-op Spring – Sign up in person **January 10.** Classes begin Jan 24- April 11. Join FB group CRCS co-op or email. Can be found on CRCS Co-op FB page.

Key Club, for grades 9-12, Sallie Albus | 205-863-9585 smalbus7@gmail.com Club meetings on 2nd and 4th Fridays.

Builders Club, for grades 6-8, Jessica Guyton 205-505-9149 guytonhomeschool2023@gmail.com - meets on 2nd Fridays.

Homeschool Honor Society: www.etasigmaalpha.com Advisor: Mary Beth Brown (hoganma23@gmail.com) and Sharon Ferrell (emdp62qq04@gmail.com)

4-H Club 1st Tuesday of each month. 1 p.m. – Alayna Jackson, 4-H Agent. For more information, contact Alayna Jackson at: anj0038@auburn.edu and check out our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/StClairCoAL4H

Crossroads Combined High School and Jr. High Chamber Choir – Nov. 22 – 6:30 p.m. Eden Westside, Pell City. Details in newsletter.

Crossroads Theater:

Lower Elementary Play Nov 1 at 6:30 p.m. Nov 2 at 1:30 CPC.

Upper Elementary Play performance Nov 15 at 7:00 p.m. and Sat. Nov 16 at 2:30 p.m. at Grace Community Church. Details in Newsletter. **Tickets on Cheddar Up.**

Jr. High Play Auditions –Lion, Witch and Wardrobe –. Grades 7-9. Dec 2-4, 1-3 p.m. Details and sign-up link will be in the November newsletter. Performance May 8-11 at ACTA.

Sr. High Play Auditions – Fiddler on the Roof - Grades 10-12 – Nov 18-19, 3:30 – 6:00 p.m. Callbacks Nov 20 if needed. Details and sign-up link will be in the November newsletter. Performance March 7-8 at CEPA in Pell City.