

BETHEL BAPTIST SCHOOL



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Informational Brochure

Mission: The mission of Bethel Baptist School is to provide a God-honoring, Christ-centered, Bible-based education for kindergarten through twelfth grade students. We endeavor to accomplish this by seeking to assure that each student has a personal relationship with Christ, educating each student through superior academic and extracurricular programs, ministering to the family that each child represents, and helping all of our students find God's will for their lives.

Vision: Bethel Baptist School is a community of learners where knowledge is applied, and all students and staff are supported in continual personal and spiritual growth, scholarship, and leadership. Bethel Baptist School provides an environment that is Christ-honoring, safe, welcoming, and challenging - where everyone has a voice, a sense of belonging, and school pride. Bethel Baptist School actively reaches out to our parents and families with the Gospel, involving them in the learning process.

School Verse: *1 Timothy 6:12*
"Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses."

Motto: "Fighting the good fight of faith"

Mascot: Warriors

Colors: Crimson, Gray and White

Average Class Size: 20 students

School Publications:

The Torch - school yearbook
The Shield - quarterly student newspaper
Weekly Warrior - weekly newsletter

Textbooks:

A Beka Publications from Pensacola Christian College (Pre-K through 5th).
Bob Jones University Press from Bob Jones University and other selected textbooks (6th-12th).
McGraw Hill Publications for all mathematics from 1st-12th Grade

Fine Arts Competition: Our school is a member of the Golden State Association of Christian Schools (GSACS). Bethel participates in a fine arts competition organized by GSACS where our students compete in a variety of competitions with students from all over the state of California. Winners of the state competition may compete in a nationally held competition with the American Association of Christian Schools.

2015-2016 School Calendar

Summer School

June 15–August 7, 2015

All Student Orientation 2015

K4 & K5 Friday, August 21, 6:00 pm
1st - 5th Thursday, August 20, 6:00 pm
6th -12th Tuesday, August 18, 6:00 pm

First Day of School

Monday, August 24, 2015

Thanksgiving Vacation

November 23, 2015 – November 27, 2015

Christmas Vacation

December 21, 2015 – January 1, 2016

Easter Vacation

March 28, 2016 – April 1, 2016

Last Day of School

June 8, 2016

Bethel Baptist School is:

- Accredited by WASC
- A college preparatory school
- Approved for I-20 students 6th-12th

School Wide Student Goals

Critical Thinkers

- Access, organize, process, and evaluate information
- Develop and apply problem solving and decision making skills
- Formulate decisions based on principles from the Word of God

Competent Communicators

- Demonstrate proficiency in reading, listening, speaking, writing, viewing, and presenting
- Incorporate technology, whenever possible, to enhance communication
- Communicate persuasively using well-rounded facts theory, and opinion
- Communicate artistically through style, organization, and development of content
- Explain the Biblical worldview regarding life, government, social issues, diverse cultures, and world events

Cooperative Citizens

- Contribute and function responsibly in various group activities in and out of the classroom
- Use collaborative efforts to contribute to peer learning
- Demonstrate integrity, respectful behavior, self-motivation, and self-discipline
- Develop the ability to relate to individuals and situations in a Scriptural and loving way

Conscientious Learners

- Set high standards and challenging goals
- Demonstrate awareness that physical fitness is developed through regular exercise and proper eating habits
- Make correct choices by the daily application of Biblical principles to everyday life through Bible reading and prayer.
- Determine and use personal gifts from God to His honor and glory

Appearance and Dress Code Summary

(see Student Handbook for complete dress code)

K-4 – 5th Grade

All students: school uniforms are required. The Bethel Baptist School uniform can be purchased at Vicki Marsha Uniforms in Huntington Beach. Enclosed shoes and socks must be worn at all times.

6th - 12th Grade

Boys: Long, non-baggy pants must be worn. No jeans or cargo pants are permitted. Shirts must be a polo or button-down shirt having a traditional collar and must be tucked in at all times. Dress shoes or clean athletic shoes with socks must be worn. No work shoes or work boots are permitted.

Girls: Dresses and skirts must be long enough to cover the knee when standing. No sundresses, tank tops, or T-shirts are permitted. Clothing cannot be see-through, tight or revealing. No bare midriffs are permitted. Dress shoes or clean athletic shoes must be worn. Shoes must have a strap or back around the heel.

K-4 through 12th

Hairstyles: Hair must be conservatively cut and styled. Hair must be a single natural color and may not be spiked, stepped, or lined. Boys' hair must be above the eyebrows, ears, and collar. Boys must also be clean-shaven.

Writing on shirts: The only writing permitted must be associated with our school, college or professional sports teams, or a designer emblem. Gang related fads are not permitted.

Junior & Senior High School Athletic Program

Jr. High Boys: Volleyball, Basketball
Jr. High Girls: Volleyball, Basketball

Sr. High Boys: Cross Country, Basketball, Volleyball, & Soccer

Sr. High Girls: Volleyball, Basketball, & Badminton

High School Courses

Bible: Themes from the Old Testament I and II, Directions for Early Christians, Patterns for Christian living

English: Grammar, Literature, Spelling, Vocabulary, Composition, and English Enhancement 1, 2, & 3

Science: Physical, Biology, Chemistry, and Physics (all with labs)

History: Geography, U.S. History, World History, U.S. Government, and Economics

Mathematics: Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry, Precalculus, AP Calculus

Spanish: Spanish 1, 2, & 3

Physical Education: (Through 10th grade)

Electives: Choir, Creative Writing, Health, Music Appreciation, Speech, and Yearbook

AP Courses: Calculus, Chemistry, English Literature, Government, U.S. History, and Macroeconomics