

BRENTWOOD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL Admissions Checklist for K4

Applicants for K₄ will need to provide the following items to the Admissions Office of Brentwood Christian School <u>prior to consideration for acceptance</u>:

Completed online application form
Application Fee – \$125 non-refundable
✓ Pay by credit card online
✓ Pay by cash or check made payable to BCS (Brentwood Christian School)
Completed screening – this assessment is conducted on the BCS campus
Screening fee submitted – this is a non-refundable fee of \$15, cash or check made payable to BCS
Recommendation Information Sheet – current or previous preschool or daycare
Copy of immunization records
Completed Health Forms – vision and hearing screenings are required as well
Copy of birth certificate
Family photo
Interview – Upon gathering all the required documents above, work with the Admissions Office to schedule an interview with the elementary principal

Annual Enrollment Fee of \$225 will be due within five business days of student being accepted

Additional information regarding the checklist:

Application – For the K4 program, the student must be age 4 by September 1st in order to start the school year.

Application Fee – This fee can be paid by credit card online or by cash or check (made payable to Brentwood Christian School). If choosing to pay by cash or check, please notify the Admissions Office so that your application can be processed upon payment.

Admissions Screening is required for all applicants and is arranged through the Admissions Office. The screening is conducted on campus to provide the K4 teacher with an overview of the child's readiness in various areas. This screening also helps to determine if the child is ready to start a full day preschool program at Brentwood. Please allow approximately 20 to 30 minutes for this assessment to be completed. There is a non-refundable testing fee of \$15 (cash or check made payable to BCS) due no later than the time of testing. The Admissions Office will provide testing dates and times.

Recommendation Information Sheet – A recommendation is needed from a current or previous teacher at your child(ren)'s preschool or daycare. If a child has not attended a daycare or preschool, a recommendation from another source, such as a babysitter, Bible class teacher, or extracurricular activity instructor may be used. Please complete the Recommendation Information Sheet with the name and email address of the person you would like us to contact.

Immunization Records – This will allow our school nurse to review the records to ensure the student's file will be up to date.

Health Examination Form - A complete medical checkup is required of all new students. Doctors can complete the Health Exam Form for a recently completed exam. The medical office can also include a copy of the latest immunization records. Vision and Hearing Screenings are required as well. These screenings can be completed as part of the student's annual exam with their doctor or the student can elect to have these completed at school in the fall of the first semester for an additional fee. These documents can be dropped off or faxed directly to the Admissions Office at 512-835-2184. This form must be submitted for admissions to be complete.

Please review and complete any of the additional forms that might pertain to your child:

- Protocol: Students with Chronic or Severe Health Concerns
- Health History/Instructions for Health Needs Form
- Medication Permission Form

Recent Family Picture – Please submit a recent family photo of the child with his/her parents. This picture can include siblings as well. This photo will be added to the student file to help the Administration learn faces and names more quickly.

A personal interview with the elementary principal is required at Brentwood Christian School. This is a time for the student(s) and parent(s) to meet with the principal to determine if BCS is a mutually good fit. The Admissions Office will arrange the interview as part of the final step of the application process. All application requirements need to be turned in to schedule the interview.

Acceptance – Typically an applicant will be notified of their acceptance into Brentwood Christian School within one week of completing the admissions checklist. Upon acceptance the following will be due:

- The Contract for Student Enrollment and the Annual Enrollment Fee of \$225 must be submitted to the Bookkeeping Office within five business days of the student being accepted. If the enrollment fee is not paid by this deadline, the student's spot will be offered to the next applicant.
- Tuition arrangements will need to be set up with the Bookkeeping Office. The first payment equal to 10% per child is due to the Bookkeeping Office by June 1st or within one week of acceptance, whichever is later. Please note this initial payment is non-refundable. The payment plan for the remaining balance would then begin in the month following the initial payment. Please note 25% of the tuition is non-refundable after June 1st in the event of withdrawal before the first day of school.

Fall Registration – The Elementary Office will provide fall registration paperwork in late July (paperwork all of our BCS families complete and turn in before school starts). The office will also provide the school supply lists in June or July.

Extended Day Form – If a child will need before or after school care, the following link http://www.brentwoodchristian.org/extended-day can be used to complete the form to enroll your child(ren). Enrollment for the new school year will be available in August just before school begins.