

Brentwood Young Children's School

• A Ministry of Brentwood Baptist Church •

Brentwood Young Children's School is a Christ-centered program designed to offer a comfortable first step into the world of group education for young children. Brentwood Young Children's School is an integral part of the total ministry of Brentwood Baptist Church.

Our Purpose

The mission of the school is to utilize the full resources of Brentwood Baptist Church and the community in providing programs designed to meet the developmental needs (spiritual, emotional, physical, intellectual and social) of young children and provide an effective ministry to their families.

Ages

Brentwood Young Children's School has classes for children ages eight months through pre-kindergarten. Children must be eight months old by August 31 to participate in the Parent's Day Out (2-day PDO) program. Children must be three years old by August 15 (and completely potty trained) to participate in the Preschool program.

Admission

An application and application fee of \$125 must be submitted for your child to be considered for admission. You will be contacted as soon as a place becomes available. If there are no openings available, then your child will be placed in our waiting pool. All forms must be turned in along with pre-paid tuition on March 1, 2023.

If you have any questions about our program or would like to schedule a visit, you may contact us for an appointment time. We conduct tours of the program on most Thursdays at 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, and 11:00 AM. Please call 615.324.6117 or email BYCS@brentwoodbaptist.com for an appointment.

BYCS History

In August of 1972, with five classes and 47 children, Brentwood Young Children's School (BYCS) opened its doors. To meet the needs of a growing church and the community's young parents, the school has grown to 20 classes and 218 children. The children in our program come from a variety of denominations and religious faiths. BYCS has been the first and sometimes only church contact for some families. What a wonderful ministry opportunity we have right in our own backyard!

Admissions 2023-2024

How to Apply

BYCS will be begin taking applications for the 2023 - 2024 school year on Tuesday, January 3, 2023, at 9:00 AM. Applications must be submitted through our 2023-24 Enrollment Portal. Applications and the application fee of \$125 are due no later than Thursday, January 12.

Teacher recommendations are required for applicants who will be 4 years old by August 15, 2023. Recommendations are due no later than Friday, January 20.

To be considered for Pre-Kindergarten classes (birthdays from January 1, 2018 - August 15, 2019), new students will need to make an appointment for a Readiness Assessment on Monday, January 23.

Appointments are available at the following times:

- 9:30 10:15 AM
- 10:30 11:45 AM
- 1:00 2:15 PM

To schedule an appointment, use the link supplied in the <u>2023-24</u> Enrollment Portal.

Students are considered for enrollment in the following order:

- Current students of BYCS
- *Brentwood Baptist Church members
- Siblings of current students
- Waiting Pool
- Public

In addition to these criteria, available slots will be filled based on the order of submission for forms and fees (ie - preference given to forms and fees submitted earlier). Children who are not admitted during the first round of admissions will be placed in the waiting pool.

*Child's parents must have officially joined Brentwood Baptist and completed all membership classes before Tuesday, January 3, 2023.

First round admission decisions will be emailed Friday, February 10. To secure your spot, a deposit equal to one month's tuition is due on Tuesday, March 1, 2023.

Tuition, Fees, Days, & Hours

2-Day Parent's Day Out

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM \$325 per month

3-Day Preschool*

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM \$450 per month

4-Day Preschool*

Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM \$580 per month

*Must be completely potty trained. NO pull ups. NO exceptions.

If you are accepted in the BYCS program, all fees are due on Tuesday, March 1, 2023 and are non-refundable.

Which program will my child be in?

Use the chart below to see which program (2, 3, or 4 day) your child is eligible for. Classes are formed according to birthdates.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
JAN	3 or 4	3 or 4	3	2	2
FEB	3 or 4	3 or 4	3	2	2
MAR	3 or 4	3 or 4	3	2	2
APR	3 or 4	3 or 4	2 or 3	2	2
MAY	3 or 4	3 or 4	2 or 3	2	2
JUN	3 or 4	3 or 4	2 or 3	2	2
JUL	3 or 4	3 or 4	2 or 3	2	2
AUG	3 or 4	3 or 4 4-day thru aug 15	2 3-DAY THRU AUG 15	2	2
SEP	3 or 4	3	2	2	2
ОСТ	3 or 4	3	2	2	2
NOV	3 or 4	3	2	2	2
DEC	3 or 4	3	2	2	2

Important Dates in 2023

Tuesday, January 3 - January 12

BYCS 2023-2024 enrollment online applications accepted

Thursday, January 12

BYCS 2023-2024 applications & application fees due

Friday, January 20

Teacher recommendations due

Monday, January 23

Readiness Assessments for pre-kindergarten program (new students)

Friday, February 10

First round admission decisions emailed

Wednesday, March 1

Prepaid tuition due (applied to May 2024 tuition)

Monday, April 3

Second round Readiness Assessments for pre-kindergarten program

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