

Thanksgiving Intersession FAQs

What is the purpose of this program?

Blochman School District's After School, **Intersession** and Summer Sessions are funded through the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) grant that allows school districts to provide free afterschool and 30 non-school day enrichment programs for transitional kindergarten (TK) through 6th grade. The focus is on developing the academic, social, emotional, and physical needs and interests of our scholars.

When will the Thanksgiving Break Program be held?

The Thanksgiving Break Program will operate Monday, November 20th to Tuesday, November 21st. Daily hours are from 8:30am-5:30pm. **(2 full days)**

Will transportation be provided to and from the program?

YES. There will be one bus at First Christian that **must be loaded by 7:55AM** to take the students to the school and will return to First Christian in the late afternoon between 5:00-5:15PM.

Will breakfast and lunch be served each day?

YES. Breakfast and lunch will be served daily. Breakfast and lunch are free to all enrolled students that attend. Breakfast will be available from 8:30am-8:50am by the benches by Room 1 on the south side of the building near the basketball courts. Lunch and snacks will also be served in the same location.

Will there be an incentive program?

Students will have the opportunity to win prizes as incentives for their effort through a daily drawing or some similar format established in each room. However, if a student is ill, they should stay home.

How do I enroll my child for the Thanksgiving Program?

Simply fill out the enrollment form. The forms can be downloaded and printed from the school website under 'PARENTS' then 'Intersession Information'. Forms may be picked up in the school's office. Forms should be turned in to the office or your student's teacher as soon as possible, as space is limited.

How will I know my student is approved for attending the Intersession Program?

Once your Enrollment Form(s)* and Parent Agreement Form** are received by the Site Coordinator, you will be contacted after the deadline to enroll and before the program begins concerning approval and attendance.

*You may enroll your 7th or 8th grade student, and if room they may attend.

Please be aware that priority is given to the TK-6 grade enrollees first and the upper grades are added last.

**If there is a previously signed form from the 2023/2024 school year, there is no need to sign another one, it will be considered effective for all sessions and parents will be held to its agreement.