



The Eagle's Landing

Letter From the Principal

It time to begin school. I write this letter the day before our teaching staff returns from summer vacation and we begin to press forward and make sure each classroom is ready with open arms to receive each and every family. God is blessing in many ways and our school is growing as a result of the mighty hand of God.

The first day of school will be August 19th. We are looking forward to a great year. Thank you for allowing your children to attend Elmwood Baptist Academy. It is a privilege to help you educate your children. Please be in prayer for this year and expect God to answer and bless richly.

As the days tick down to the first day of school I pray that you are ready and have everything in order. Please remember that Parent Orientation is August 9th. This is a mandatory meeting for all parents. It is a great opportunity to meet your child's teacher and bring their school supplies. I have attached the supply lists for each class on the following pages. They may also be found on the school website.

As I mentioned in the last newsletter the theme for this school year is, "Is there Not A Cause?" This statement is made by David as his heart is stirred within him because of what Goliath is saying about Israel, and specifically about the God is Israel. We live in a culture that is anti-Christ. Our standards, convictions, and beliefs are mocked and ridiculed. The lost world continues to try to destroy Christians and make us feel worthless. It is time we stand up for what we believe. It is time we say as David said, "Is there not a cause?" Yes, there is a cause. We must be willing to stand for Christ no matter what comes our way.

I pray that you will take this statement to heart and really look at your life and make sure that you are standing for Christ. Don't back down from what

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you believe. My God is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think. The world may believe that they have won the war, but God's Word declares that "greater is he that is in you than he that is in the world. An evangelist from yesteryear once said, "I've read the back of the book and we win!"

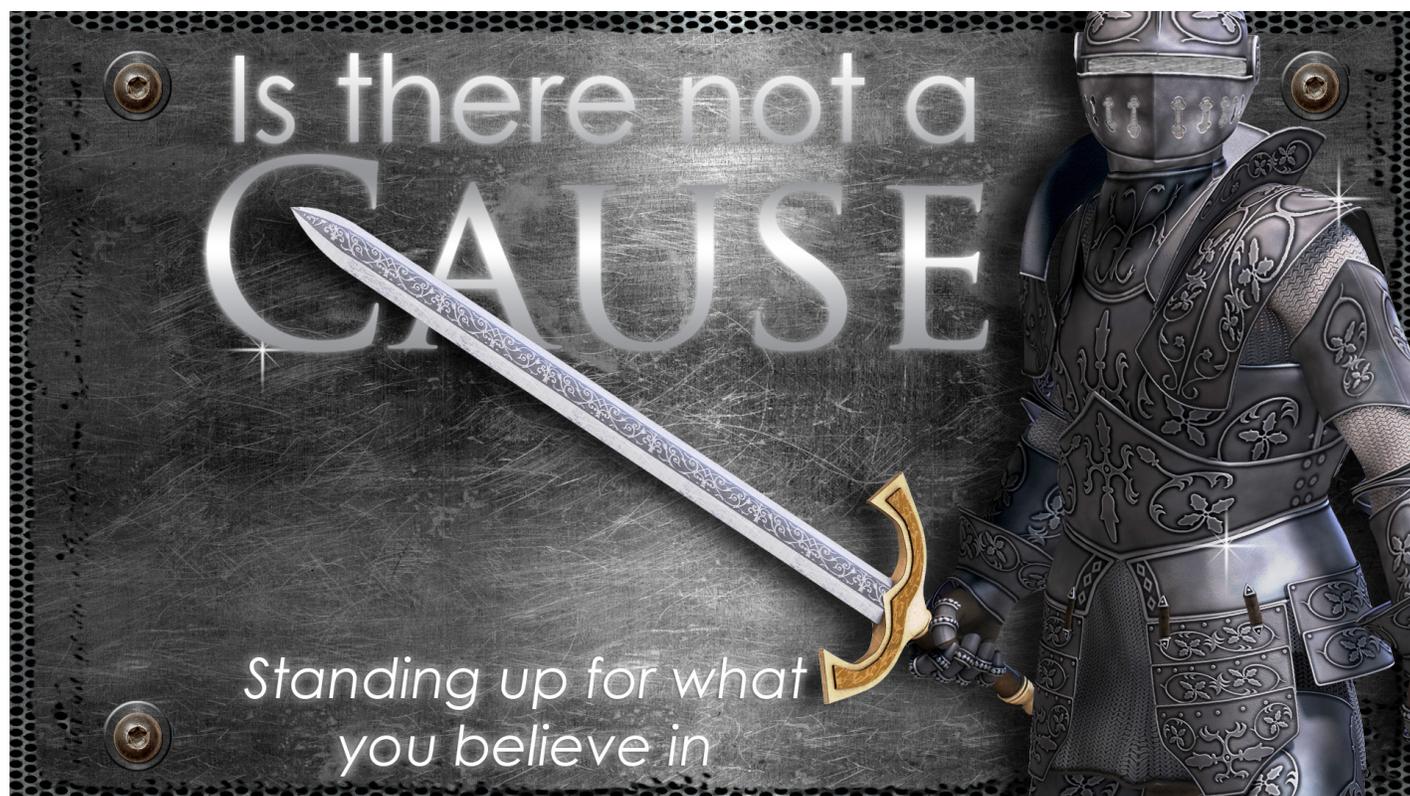
Stand firm! Stand faithful! Stand with and for Christ! And together we will move mountains for our Savior. May God bless you.

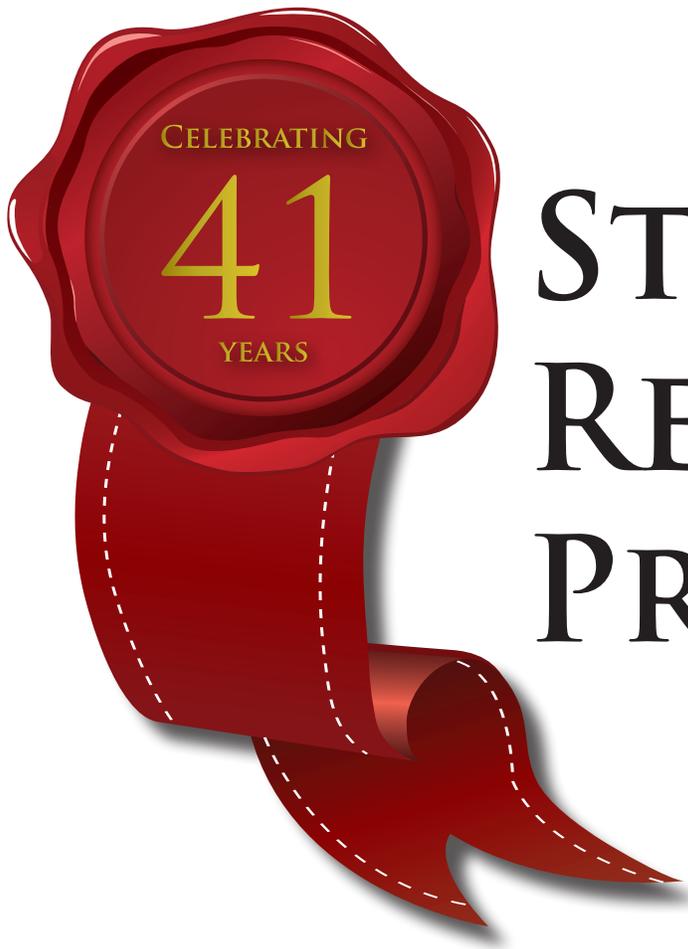


In Christ's Service!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J. C. Lehman".

Pastor Joshua C Lehman
Principal/Administrator





STUDENT REFERRAL PROGRAM

YOU GET A MONTH, THEY GET A MONTH

READY TO RECEIVE FREE TUITION? WE'VE MADE IT EASIER THAN EVER.

REFER A FRIEND TO ELMWOOD AND YOU BOTH RECEIVE 1 MONTH FREE TUITION!

THERE IS NO LIMIT TO HOW MANY FRIENDS YOU CAN REFER. ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS SPREAD THE WORD!



*Maximum discount per referred family is \$274. *Discount is equal to the highest tuition rate paid. *Discount will be given in 2 equal credits on October and November statements. *Referred family must have student in K-5 through 12th grade. *Referred family must complete the entire academic year. *Referred family must not have been previously enrolled at Elmwood.

FREE TUITION FOR EACH REFERRED FAMILY

The Influence of a Godly Teacher

Five Characteristics of a Godly Teacher

Leadership has many traits. One of the traits that characterizes godly leadership is that of a good influence. If God has placed you in a classroom, you hold a position that is to be managed with Biblical principles. We should approach such leadership with a God-given vision



of what can be accomplished when we are the type of leader God intended for us to be.

A few years ago, I was at the Ponce De Leon Inlet in Florida and an old tugboat that is dry-docked next to the lighthouse there caught my attention. The name of the boat was FD Russell. Captain Frank D. Russell built the boat in 1938, and it plied the waters off the coast of Florida for five decades. The interesting part of the story is that while Frank was taking wood shop class in high school, he decided that his project that year would be to build a ship's wheel. Years later, Frank and his father built the tugboat around that same stately ship's wheel. All those years, Frank kept his vision for the ship that would one day be completed around that wheel, and he finally realized his dream as the tugboat was completed. A good teacher will keep in mind his vision for the students he is teaching. They may not appear to be nearing completion (James 1:4, "But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing"), but with some prayer, encouragement, and godly direction, they can fulfill God's purpose for their lives. That realization should inspire us to improve our leadership.

There are many great leaders in the Bible. We often look at their lives to learn from and exemplify their godly character. There are also wrong examples from which we can learn. Let's consider the example of one such man as we prepare for the

next year of service in the classroom.

The book of Third John tells us of a man named Diotrephes. From his poor example, we can examine some positive leadership characteristics we should have present in our lives if we desire to have a

Christ-like influence.

First of all, a godly teacher is a servant.

We see in Third John chapter nine that Diotrephes desired to have the preeminence. A good servant knows his place and is not concerned about receiving recognition.

Second, a godly teacher is teachable.

We are told in Third John chapter nine that Diotrephes did not receive John's writing. I read about a child who came home from school after his first day at kindergarten. His mother asked, "What did you learn today?" The child replied, "Not enough. I have to go back tomorrow." Do you have the attitude that you already know it all, or do you have a spirit of receiving correction? The truth is that if a teacher does not have a teachable spirit, it can sometimes be absent in the life of his students.

Third, a godly teacher is just.

A father is commanded in the Bible not to provoke his child to wrath. This is a good command to follow for every adult who works with children. Diotrephes was a man who unjustly used malicious words against the church leaders. The tongue is often the enemy of justice. Do you speak too quickly? Do you allow your feelings to determine your actions? Let justice control your actions.

VOLLEYBALL

Girls Volleyball Camp/Tryouts, 7th-12th grades

August 5th-9th, 2-6pm

Meet at the school by 1:45pm every day for training and tryouts. All students that meet the grade requirements are encouraged to come and tryout.

Fourth, a godly teacher is content.

The great enemy of contentment is comparison. Second Corinthians 10:12 warns us, "But they measuring themselves by themselves, and comparing themselves among themselves, are not wise." Simply stated, Diotrephes was malcontent. As a result,

he was a detriment to the work of the Lord.

Last, a godly teacher is hospitable.

To be hospitable requires a humble spirit and a servant's spirit. Perhaps that is why Diotrephes was not hospitable. We read in Third John ten, "Neither doth he himself receive the brethren." Could it be that he thought too highly of himself? Do not be so busy meeting your own needs that you miss the opportunity to serve others. Joseph in the Old Testament had a wonderful spirit of



servicing. Even Pharaoh saw a different spirit in this young leader. Genesis 41:38, "And Pharaoh said unto his servants, Can we find such a one as this is, a man in whom the Spirit of God is?"

How is your influence? Is it expanding? Is it

what the Lord wants it to be? Let's take inventory of our leadership characteristics and determine if we need to stock up on some godly, leadership characteristics before the school year begins. Remember, if we keep a vision of what God wants our students to be, we will understand better why we should develop these characteristics in our lives.

Spirit Wear Order Your Today

Show your school spirit. Proud to be an eagle!
Stop by the office for an order form and order your
custom EBA spirit wear.



BACK TO SCHOOL/
PARENT ORIENTATION
AUGUST 9TH @ 7:00PM

SCHOOL RESUMES
AUGUST 19TH @ 8:00AM



2013-2014 School Calendar

August 5: ACE Diagnostic Testing For New Students (5th-12th)

August 9: Parent Orientation, 7:00PM

August 19: First Day of School

September 2: Labor Day – No School

September 25: ACE Convention/Teacher In-Service Day – No School

October 8: Picture Day

October 17: End of 1st Quarter

October 21-25: Spirit Week

October 25: Parent Teacher Conferences (1st through 12th grades)

November 12: Picture Retakes

November 27-28: Thanksgiving Break – No School

December 16: Christmas Program – 7:00 PM, (1st-5th Grade)

December 19: End of 2nd Quarter

December 19: Christmas Party – Full Day of School – No Lunch

December 23-January 2: Christmas Break – No School

January 6: School Resumes

February 13: Valentine's Day Parties

February 17: No School - Presidents Day

March 6: End of 3rd Quarter

March 17-21: Frontier Regional Student Convention

March 17-21: Spring Vacation – No School

March 24: School Resumes

March 28: Parent Teacher Conferences (1st through 12th grades)

April 2: K-5 Smilestones – Graduation Pictures

April 7-10: SAT Testing

April 20: Easter

April 21: Easter Holiday – No School

May 13: Spring Program 6th-12th Grades – 7:00 PM

May 19: K4-K5 Graduation 7:00PM

May 20: Elementary Concert and Academy Awards 1st through 4th grades – 7:00 PM

May 22: Last Day of School – Half-Day (no After-Care provided)

May 22: High School Graduation and ACE Learning Center (5th-12th) Awards Program – 7:00PM

May 24-30: International Student Convention





ELMWOOD

EAGLES

We want to let you know of a great opportunity for you to help Elmwood Baptist Academy. Kroger/King Soopers has partnered with EBA in a great money raising opportunity at no cost to you.

Simply purchase a pre-loaded \$50.00 gift card from Elmwood for \$50.00 and shop as you normally would. Keep this card and continue using it every time you shop for groceries or fuel. Every time you load additional money on the card, Elmwood received 5%.

For example, the day you purchase your card Elmwood received \$2.50 (5% of \$50.00). When you go to store and buy \$XXX.00 in groceries, ask the clerk to add what amount you desire to the card before they start to ring up your order. Then, simply pay with the gift card. The next time you shop, simply follow this same pattern. You may add as much money as you want to the card at any time.

Thank you for supporting Elmwood Baptist Church and Academy.

Yes, I want to purchase _____ gift card(s) for \$50.00 each.

_____ Please add the cost of the card(s) to my bill.

_____ I have attached cash/check to this form for the cost of the card(s).

_____ Please charge my credit card for the cost of the card(s).

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____ CVV: _____

Billing Address: _____

City: _____, State: _____, Zip: _____



PANDA EXPRESS
GOURMET CHINESE FOOD

SUPPORT ELMWOOD BAPTIST ACADEMY
EAT AT



IN BRIGHTON ON
AUGUST 23RD
ALL DAY LONG.

**You must present this certificate at time of purchase to make your donation. **



HELP US RAISE MONEY FOR OUR SCHOOL

Elmwood Baptist Academy will be selling World's Finest Chocolate candy bars to raise funds for our school. All profits will be used to further advance the school in various ways.

We are asking that each family sell a minimum of 2 boxes of chocolates. Most people can do this in only a couple of hours. If you can sell more we would greatly appreciate it. More information will be presented at the Parent Orientation.

OUR GOAL IS TO RAISE \$10,000.00 FOR ELMWOOD!

ELMWOOD BAPTIST ACADEMY

SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

PRE-SCHOOL

- 3 Packs Large Crayons
- 1 Elmer's Glue, 4 oz.
- 2 Glue Sticks
- 2 Pocket Folders
- 2 Large Boxes of Tissue
- 3 Large Boxes of Wet Wipes
- 3 Bottles of Clorox Disinfectant Wipes
- 2 Water Color Paints
- 4 pack of play dough
- Waterproof Apron or Large Adult Shirt
- 1 Pack Multicolor Construction Paper
- 2 Small Blankets & a Small Pillow for Rest Time
- Spill-Proof Juice Cup
- Backpack
- 2 Changes of Clothes with Underwear
- Pull Ups (if needed)
- 3 Large Boxes of Snacks (No Peanuts)
- 3 Packs of Cookies (No Peanuts)
- 3 Snack Crackers (No Peanuts)

Note: Please mark your child's supplies, lunch pails, coats, & sweaters with child's name.

K-4

- 1 Spill Proof cup or water bottle
- 2 Regular 24 Pack Crayons
- 2 Pocket Folders
- Scissors (With Blunt Tip, But Not Plastic)
- 4 Glue Sticks
- 1 Package of #2 Pencils
- 1 Pencil Box to Store Crayons & Pencils
- At least 1 Change of Clothes (Dress Code) & Undergarments
- 2 Kleenex Box
- 1 Blankets & a Small Pillow For Rest Time
- 2 Watercolor Paints
- Back Pack (Optional)
- Large T-Shirt to Cover Clothes During Painting
- 1 Box Disinfectant Wipes
- 1 Box Baby Wipes
- Hand Sanitizer
- 3 Large Boxes of Snacks (No Peanuts)
- 3 Packs of Cookies (No Peanuts)
- 3 Snack Crackers (No Peanuts)

Note: Please mark your child's supplies, lunch pails, coats, & sweaters with child's name.



K-5

- 1 Spill Proof cup or water bottle
- 2 Regular 24 Pack Crayons
- 2 Pocket Folders
- Scissors (With Blunt Tip, But Not Plastic)
- 4 Glue Sticks
- 1 Package of #2 Pencils
- 1 Pencil Box to Store Crayons & Pencils
- At least 1 Change of Clothes (Dress Code) & Undergarments
- 2 Kleenex Box
- 1 Blankets & a Small Pillow For Rest Time
- Watercolor Paints
- Back Pack (Optional)
- Large T-Shirt to Cover Clothes During Painting
- 1 Box Disinfectant Wipes
- 1 Box Baby Wipes
- Hand Sanitizer
- 3 Large Boxes of Snacks (No Peanuts)
- 3 Packs of Cookies (No Peanuts)
- 3 Snack Crackers (No Peanuts)

Note: Please mark your child's supplies, lunch pails, coats, & sweaters with child's name.

ELMWOOD BAPTIST ACADEMY

SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

1ST GRADE

- KJV BIBLE
- 3 packages of #2 pencils
- 1 pair of scissors
- Ruler
- 1 box 24 crayons
- 1 package of colored pencils
- 5 large erasers
- 4 boxes of tissue
- 1 large bottle of hand sanitizer
- 4 or more glue sticks
- 2 bottles of elmer's glue
- 4 plain solid color plastic pocket folders (2 green, 2 red)
- Athletic shoes
- 4 dry erase markers (black)
- Flashcards (Addition and Subtraction)
- Non-drip water bottle
- 2 packages of notebook paper (wide-ruled)
- Watercolor paints

2ND GRADE

- KJV BIBLE
- 2 Packages #2 pencils
- 1 Pair of scissors
- Ruler (must have Inches and Centimeters)
- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 package of colored pencils
- 1 pencil box
- 1 yellow highlighter
- 2 Large erasers
- 1 24-Pack of pencil top erasers
- 4 Boxes of tissue
- 1 Bottle hand sanitizer
- 1 bottle of disinfectant wipes
- 2 Glue sticks – 4 or More
- Book Holder (Magazine File Holder)
- 5 Plain (solid colored) Plastic Pocket Folders
- 2 Composition books
- Athletic Shoes for PE



3RD GRADE

- KJV BIBLE
- 2 Packages #2 pencils
- 1 package of colored pencils
- 1 Package pencil top erasers
- 1 Pencil box
- 1 Pair of scissors
- Ruler (must have Inches and Centimeters)
- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 2 packages notebook paper (wide-ruled)
- 2 yellow highlighters
- 2 Large erasers
- 4 Boxes tissue
- 1 Bottle hand sanitizer
- Glue sticks – 4 or More
- Book holder (Magazine Holder)
- 1 Pack colored construction paper
- 1 Bottle elmer's glue
- 5 Plain (solid colored) plastic pocket folders
- Athletic Shoes for PE

ELMWOOD BAPTIST ACADEMY

SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

MIDDLE LEARNING CENTER

- KJV BIBLE
- Notebook for Chapel (spiral bound)
- Subject matter spiral notebooks (one of each color) Red, Blue, Green
- Subject dividers for 3 ring binder
- 3 Ring Binder
- Round (cup style) pencil holder
- Pencil box
- Highlighter
- 1 Package #2 pencils
- 2 Packages of mechanical pencils (.7 mil lead)
- Mechanical pencil refill lead (.7 mil)
- Black or Blue Pen
- 1 package of colored pencils
- Manual pencil sharpener (no batteries)
- Notebook Paper (wide-ruled)
- Graph Paper
- Ruler
- 2 Large Erasers
- Pencil top erasers
- 2 Boxes Kleenex
- Glue Sticks – 2 or More
- PACE Holder (Magazine Holder)
- Manual Pencil Sharpener
- Panting t-shirt
- Acrylic paint set
- Art quality white paper
- Extra Athletic Shoes for PE
- Loose-fitting plain grey t-shirt for PE
- Long shorts (below the knees) or sweat pants for PE

JUNIOR LEARNING CENTER

- KJV BIBLE
- 6 Spiral Bound Notebooks Each a Different
- Notebook Paper (wide-ruled)
- Graph Paper
- Subject dividers for 3 ring binder
- 3 Ring Binder
- Round (cup style) pencil holder
- Pencil box
- Yellow Highlighter
- 1 Package #2 pencils
- 2 Packages of mechanical pencils (.7 mil lead)
- Mechanical pencil refill lead (.7 mil)
- Black or Blue Pen
- 1 package of colored pencils
- Ruler
- 2 Large Erasers
- Pencil top erasers
- 2 Boxes Kleenex
- Glue Sticks – 2 or More
- Protractor & Compass
- PACE Holder (Magazine Holder)
- Manual Pencil Sharpener
- Extra Athletic Shoes for PE
- Loose-fitting plain grey t-shirt for PE
- Long shorts (below the knees) or sweat pants for PE



SENIOR LEARNING CENTER

- KJV Bible
- 1 Package #2 pencils
- 2 Packages of mechanical pencils (.7 mil lead)
- Mechanical pencil refill lead (.7 mil)
- 1 package of colored pencils
- 1 Package of Black Pens
- 1 Package of Blue Pens
- Scientific Calculator
- Ruler
- Good Quality Protractor & Compass
- 2 Large Erasers
- 6 Spiral Bound Notebooks Each a Different Color
- Graph Paper
- Colored Pencils
- 1 Box Kleenex
- 1 Two-Pocket Folder
- PACE Holder (Magazine Holder)
- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 Bottle of Hand Sanitizer
- Loose-fitting plain grey t-shirt for PE
- Long shorts (below the knees) or loose-fitting sweat pants or work out pants for PE