

Dear BCS **Elementary** School Parents,

The school year is underway, and hopefully you and your family are settling in for an exciting year of learning, growing and building relationships with BCS students, families, faculty and staff.

We are continuing our approach, as we have for the past few years, to collecting money for the Christmas and Easter parties, teacher/staff birthday celebrations and teacher/staff appreciation and needs. The response has been overwhelmingly positive, and we thank you so much for your participation.

Again this year, we are requesting each family pay a one-time donation of \$20 per elementary school child to cover the costs for parties (food, paper goods, games and crafts), teacher/staff birthday celebrations (gifts, lunches and cards), and teacher/staff appreciation for the entire school year. This is optional.

Please note, classes participating in service projects instead of parties may request additional funds, as necessary. In addition, there will still be annual events during the school year, including Teacher/Staff Luncheons and Valentine's Day Sweets for the Sweet, when all grades may be asked to provide specific food items to bless our teachers and staff members. Financial donations will NOT be requested for these events.

Obviously, this places a greater immediate financial burden on families with more than one child attending BCS. Therefore, any amount you can contribute will be greatly appreciated. As always, you are not obligated to participate; however, your donation makes these events possible.

Please complete the attached form and return with your donation (cash or check payable to BCS) to your child(ren)'s teacher(s) or Maureen Edwards, the atrium receptionist. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your support.

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P.S. A separate letter will be sent home for middle and senior school donations.

Classroom Donation Form

Student's Name: _____

Teacher's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Cash Amount: _____ or Check Amount: _____

Please return this form and your donation to your child's teacher or the office. All checks should be made payable to Bethesda Christian School.



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