



The RBCS two-track system (advanced and regular) begins in the Elementary School for grades Kindergarten through 6th grade. This system accommodates the fact that most graduates of the RBCS Kindergarten have already completed a first grade level program.

Students attend a weekly **Chapel** which is directed by our Discipleship Director with special presentations and speakers.

Curriculum materials used in Kindergarten through 6th grade include our own Christ-Centered Publications plus A BEKA BOOK, Bob Jones Press and Positive Action for Christ.

The Elementary School **Student Technology Program** (STP) is in partnership with Boston University and the University of Richmond. Students participate in this program one day a week to do class computer projects.

Each spring RBCS students K5 through 6th grade are administered the **Stanford Achievement Test (SAT)**. Students receive national percentiles and percentiles against other Christian schools.

Sports

6th graders are eligible to tryout for middle school sports such as football, soccer, and basketball.

5th and 6th grade Elective

Beginning Band, Beginning Choir and Art – Students may choose either band, choir or art as an elective. There will be some cost for concert attire, also a fee for band instrument rental, if applicable.

RBCS Intramural Sports such as soccer and basketball are available for students in K5 through 6th (ages 5 through 12).

Kindergarten and Preschool

The **Kindergarten and Preschool Program** is five days per week and begins at 8:00 am and ends at 3:10 pm. Class sizes are normally 20 with an assistant to provide individualized attention.

K5 (5 years old by 1 September)

Morning instruction includes Bible, Phonics, Reading, and Math. Afternoons offer Music, Art, Science, History, and P.E. Most five-year-olds can be expected to achieve the equivalent of 2nd-3rd grade level in Phonics, Reading, and Math depending upon the number of years at RBCS, and individual capabilities.

K4 & VPK (4 years old by 1 September) - Niceville

Morning instruction consists of Bible, Phonics, and Math. The remaining morning time includes a snack period, Art, Music, Science, Stories, Poetry, Unit Studies and rest/play periods. Home reading assignments (Mon-Thurs nights) usually begin by November or December. Many four-year-olds have been known to achieve the equivalent of a first grade level in Phonics, Reading, and Math by the end of the school year. Afternoons provide a play and rest period.

K3 (3 years old by 1 September)

The morning and afternoon schedules are similar to those of the K4s. Reading begins at this level in a one-on-one individualized program, as the capabilities of each student permit. It is necessary that children be 100% potty trained before they are accepted for enrollment.