

# Annual Middle School Retreat '19



We are thrilled to begin the 2019-2020 school year with our annual Middle School Retreat at the Outdoor Institute, located in Pittsboro, North Carolina. Each year, the middle school staff takes the students on a day retreat to encourage team building, leadership skills and Christian character. This event promises to be a highlight of the year. The students will experience low rope courses, zip lines, climbing towers and various activities to build trust, improve problem solving and foster communication. Details are listed below:

- All students in grades 6-8 will be attending this retreat at the Outdoor Institute, located at 1654 Hamlet Chapel Road, Pittsboro, NC, 27312.
- The date for this exciting all day event will be August 23, 2019.
- Students will need to bring a disposable lunch and disposable drink. Drinks will be kept in a cooler. We are requesting that you not send lunch boxes—we need to be able to throw away all items at the end of the lunch period.
- **The \$55 fee per student expense will be covered by the academy. We are thrilled that we are able to offer this opportunity to our students this year. Thank you for supporting Christian education by placing your child at BCA.**
- Each student must fill out a liability and registration form. These forms will be issued to each student at the Floating Open House Event. All forms will need to be returned by August 19.
- BCA has purchased student insurance, through ACSI, for each individual student.
- Schedule
  - 7:30 AM Leave BCA
  - 8:30 AM Arrive at the Outdoor Institute
  - 3:30 PM Leave Outdoor Institute
  - 4:30 PM Return to BCA
- Questions? Concerns? We will take care of each and every student. This has been an annual event for many years and the students love it! If you have any questions, please feel free to call the office. We truly feel this is a great way to help our students unite and develop leadership and trust concepts. Parents may learn more about the retreat center by visiting [www.outdoorinstitute.com](http://www.outdoorinstitute.com).

