



EXTRACURRICULAR GUIDE

SPRING 2026

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INTRODUCTION

We are excited to offer students another great season of clubs, sports, and other activities!

This Guide outlines the policies and procedures specific to the BASIS Independent Brooklyn (BIBU) Extracurricular program and the activities offered in the upcoming extracurricular season. It is an extension of the overarching BASIS Independent School Parent/Student Handbook and the campus-specific Guidebook and parents/guardians and students understand and agree to abide by the directions in all three documents. The School expressly reserves the right to change any of its policies, including those covered here, at any time without notice. Normally, the School will notify families of these changes through ParentSquare, the School's online communications portal, or by other appropriate means. Changes are effective on dates determined by the School.

The following pages contain policies and procedures for registration and participation in the Extracurricular program at BIBU. General information for each activity is provided with details included on the ACTIVE.com.

KEY DATES FOR THE SPRING 2026 SEASON

Event	Date
Registration Opens	Thursday, December 11, 2025
Registration Closes	Monday, January 12, 2026
Deadline for activity change requests	Monday, February 9, 2026
First Day of the Season	Monday, January 5, 2026
Last Day of the Season	Friday, May 29, 2026
Season Make-up Week (if needed)	Monday, June 1-Thursday, June 4, 2026
Tryout, Interview, Assessment, Audition Dates	See Full Year Extracurricular Calendar or activity description on ACTIVE.com

Note: When you register for a full-year activity, you only need to register in the Fall/Winter season. Activities, especially those requiring a tryout, interview, assessment, or audition, may start outside of the season start date.

REGISTRATION FOR GENERAL ACTIVITIES

Registration for the Spring 2026 season begins on Thursday, December 11, at 1:00 PM and will close on Monday, January 12, at 1:00 PM. This Guide includes a list of available activities and detailed activity descriptions are found on the ACTIVE.com registration site. All activity details are subject to change.

Registration is first-come, first-served. If an activity is full, we encourage you to add your child to the Waitlist and also register for a different activity. We will contact you if a space opens for your child in their first-choice activity. The waitlist also informs us of strong interest in an activity and we work to expand or open additional sections when possible. After registration closes, activities that have not met the minimum registration may be cancelled. If cancelled, families will be offered the option of moving to another activity or receiving a refund of fees to the original form of payment.

Registration is handled through ACTIVE.com. All steps are required to complete registration. This includes electronically signing any Waivers within ACTIVE.com.

Full payment is required at checkout and all payments are NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE FOR ANY REASON. This includes, but is not limited to: academic or non-academic (school-affiliated or not school-affiliated) engagements, withdrawal from the school, school closure due to government guidance or mandate, discipline or academic standing which result in exclusion from the program, or failure to submit all required forms for an activity.

Early registration is recommended for best activity selection. Late Registration is accepted if space is available. Changes to activities may be accommodated up to two weeks before the season starts. After that, no changes will be accepted for any reason.

You will know you have successfully registered when you receive an email confirmation from ACTIVE listing the activities in which your child is registered and the relevant documents for those activities, if applicable. Not all activities require additional documents. If you do not receive this confirmation, your child is not registered. Please log back in to ACTIVE.com to complete the registration/checkout process.

TRANSFERS

All payments are **NON-REFUNDABLE**. Transfer requests are considered on a case-by-case basis based on availability in the requested activity and impact on the original activity. Transfer requests must be made in writing and emailed to bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com no later than three days from the original activity start date.

More details on Extracurricular Program policies can be found in the [School Guidebook](#). For questions regarding specific activities, email the Activity Advisor listed on ACTIVE.com. For general program or ACTIVE questions, email the Auxiliary Department at bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com or review the ACTIVE FAQ included in this Guide.

REGISTRATION FOR ACTIVITIES REQUIRING A TRYOUT, INTERVIEW, ASSESSMENT, OR AUDITION

Registration for some activities (e.g., competitive teams, drama performances) is only open to students who are selected following tryouts, interviews, assessments, or auditions. Activity descriptions in ACTIVE.com include this requirement, when relevant. Dates are included in the Full Year Extracurricular Seasons Calendar found in this Guide and in the description on ACTIVE.com. Following the tryout, interview, assessment, or audition, students invited to join the team or activity will receive a link to register for the activity and pay any required fees. See the Competitive Athletics section in this Guide for tryout information for athletic teams.

The table below contains information for other activities requiring a tryout, interview, assessment, or audition.

ACTIVITIES REQUIRING A TRYOUT, INTERVIEW, ASSESSMENT, OR AUDITION

Activity	Grades	Meeting Day(s)	Meeting Times	Tryout Date	Tryout Time	Tryout Location	Price (subject to change)
Spring Musical (Matilda)	3-12	TBD	TBD	During December	TBD	Auditorium	TBD

EXTRACURRICULAR SEASONS CALENDAR



2025-2026

Upper School Enrichment Calendar

AUGUST 2025						
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SEPTEMBER 2025						
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DECEMBER 2025						
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FEBRUARY 2026						
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MARCH 2026						
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APRIL 2026						
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MAY 2026						
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JUNE 2026						
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JULY 2026						
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NOTABLE SCHOOL DATES | ■

First Day of School: Sep 3
Last Day of School: Jun 17

NOTABLE SEASON DATES | ■

First Day of Bear Care: Jan 5
Last Day of Bear Care: Jun 16
First Day of Spring Season: Jan 5
Last Day of Spring Season: May 28

MAKE UP WEEK | ■

Spring Season: Jun 1–4

EARLY RELEASE DAYS | ▲

Please note Bear Care runs from 12:00 PM–4:00 PM
Jan 16, Feb 6, Apr 24, Jun 12, Jun 17

DAYS EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES | ■

DO NOT MEET | ■

Labor Day: Sep 1
Rosh Hashanah: Sep 23
Yom Kippur: Oct 2
Indigenous Peoples/
Italian-American Heritage Day: Oct 13
Diwali: Oct 20
Veterans' Day: Nov 11
Thanksgiving Break: Nov 26–28
Winter Break: Dec 22–Jan 2
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Jan 19
Spring Break I: Feb 16–20
Eid al-Fitr: Mar 20
Spring Break II: Mar 30–Apr 3
Memorial Day: May 25

ACTIVITY LISTING BY DAY OF THE WEEK

MONDAY 4:10–5:10 PM

Activity	Grades	Price	Notes
All Aboard the Hogwarts Express!	3-5	\$850	
Cheer and Dance Team	3-6	\$700	
Digital Media with AI: Graphic Design	3-6	\$950	
Food Art	3-6	\$750	
Jiu Jitsu	3-5	\$950	Requires gi
Middle School Competitive Debate	6-8	\$1450	Year-long commitment 4:10–5:40PM
Primary School Boys Soccer Clinic	3-5	\$650	
Primary School Co-ed Tennis Clinic	3-6	\$925	Runs 3/2/26-6/1/26
YouTube Productions	3-6	\$950	

TUESDAY 4:10–5:10 PM

Activity	Grades	Price	Notes
3D Modeling and Printing	3-6	\$925	
Chess	3-12	\$850	4:10–5:45PM for 30 sessions
Extreme Weather: Storm Chasers	3-6	\$950	
Minecraft	3-6	\$900	
Newspaper and News Channel	3-5	\$925	
Ping Pong Clinic	3-8	\$800	
Primary School Co-ed Volleyball Clinic	3-5	\$650	Runs 3/3/26-6/2/26
Primary School Girls Soccer Clinic	3-5	\$650	
Skateboard Films	3-6	\$900	Requires protective gear

WEDNESDAY 4:10–5:10 PM

Activity	Grades	Price	Notes
Academic Quiz Bowl	9-12	\$800	
Clay World	3-6	\$850	
Competition Math	3-12	\$800	
DECA	9-12	\$400	
Primary Flag Football Clinic	3-5	\$650	
Junior Robotics Team	4-7	\$950	Year-long commitment 4:10–5:40PM
Middle School Debate for Beginners	5-8	\$1275	Year-long commitment 4:10–5:40PM
Pokémon Movie Adventures	3-5	\$850	
Senior Robotics Team	8-12	\$1500	Year-long commitment 4:10–5:40PM

THURSDAY 4:10–5:10 PM

Activity	Grades	Price	Notes
Dungeons and Dragons	4-8	\$675	
Dungeon Mastering with Ms. Milden	6	\$675	
Entrepreneurship	6-8	\$850	
Pickleball	3-6	\$800	
Primary School Girls Soccer Clinic	3-5	\$650	
Python	4-8	\$800	
Science Bowl	9-12	\$700	
Senior Robotics Team	8-12	\$1500	Year-long commitment 4:10–5:40PM

FRIDAY 4:10–5:10 PM

Activity	Grades	Price	Notes
Primary Boys Basketball Clinic	3-5	\$650	
Primary Girls Basketball Clinic	3-5	\$650	

COMPETITIVE ATHLETICS

Our campus participates in a variety of competitive athletics, each with specific participation requirements and mandatory forms. Please review the specific requirements before registering your child for an athletic activity. Students must be in good academic standing, plus demonstrate citizenship and sportsmanship at school and on the field/court to be eligible to participate on a competitive athletic team.

Most athletic activities require a tryout. Tryout dates are listed below and in the activity description on ACTIVE.com, when applicable. Please review the specific requirements before registering your child for an athletic activity.

MANDATORY FORMS

The following forms will be provided through ACTIVE.com following registration and must be completed prior to a student participating in practice or competition.

- Student Athlete Agreement
- Medical Eligibility Form

UNIFORMS

Uniforms are on loan and must be returned at the end of the season. If a uniform is not returned, the student will incur a replacement fee and may be prohibited from registering for other athletic activities.

REGISTRATION

Following the tryout, students who are invited to join the team will receive a unique link to register and pay through ACTIVE.com. For athletic activities that do not require a tryout, students may register using the same registration link provided for all other extracurricular activities in the season. General information for each athletic activity is listed below and detailed athletic activity descriptions are found in the ACTIVE.com registration site.

BASIS INDEPENDENT BROOKLYN UPPER CAMPUS: ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES WITH TRYOUT DATES

Sport/Team	Grades	Practice Day(s)	Practice Times	Tryout Dates	Tryout Time	Tryout Location	Price (subject to change)
High School Boys Baseball	9-12	TBD	TBD	3/9/26, 3/11/26	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
High School Boys Basketball	9-12	TBD	TBD	11/10/25, 11/13/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
High School Boys Tennis	9-12	TBD	TBD	3/9/26, 3/11/26	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
High School Girls & Boys Indoor & Outdoor Track & Field	9-12	TBD	TBD	11/17/25, 11/19/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
High School Girls Basketball	9-12	TBD	TBD	12/1/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
Middle School Boys & Girls Tennis	6-8	TBD	TBD	3/9/26, 3/11/26	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
Middle School Boys Baseball	6-8	TBD	TBD	3/9/26, 3/11/26	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
Middle School Consat Boys Basketball	6-8	TBD	TBD	11/18/25, 11/20/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
Middle School Girls & Boys Indoor & Outdoor Track & Field	6-8	TBD	TBD	11/17/25, 11/19/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650
Middle School Girls Basketball	6-8	TBD	TBD	11/21/25, 11/24/25	TBD	Gym or Red Hook Fields	\$650

*ATHLETES ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING ON HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS TEAMS MAY QUALIFY FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PE) CREDIT. PRE-APPROVAL FROM THE DIRECTOR OF ACADEMIC PROGRAMS IS REQUIRED FOR AN ATHLETE TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CREDIT.

BEAR CARE

INTRODUCTION

Bear Care is a paid program that provides families the flexibility to pick-up after the normal dismissal time. The program runs from the end of the dismissal window to the scheduled closing of the campus that day. This supervised program includes planned activities, time to complete homework, and unstructured time for fun with friends. Outdoor time is prioritized, weather permitting.

POLICIES

A complete list of Bear Care policies is available in the [School Guidebook](#) with a few key highlights below.

- Students in grades 3–8 must enroll in and pay for Bear Care if they will be on campus after school ends and are not participating in another school-supervised activity.
- Advance purchase is required for both annual programs and daily drop-in. Registration and full payment details are available on ACTIVE.com
- Payments are non-refundable and non-transferable.
- Students are released only to their parent or an authorized individual. Late pickup fees are charged if students are picked up after the campus closes.

BEAR CARE PLANS WITH PRICING

Plan	Price	Notes	Registration Dates
MONDAY - FRIDAY 4:00–6:00 PM	\$5580	15% discount	Rolling
MONDAY 4:00 PM–5:00 PM	\$1270		Rolling
MONDAY 5:00 PM–6:00	\$1270		Rolling
MONDAY 4:00 PM–6:00	\$1080	15% discount	Rolling
TUESDAY 4:00 PM–5:00 PM	\$1400		Rolling
TUESDAY 5:00 PM–6:00 PM	\$1400		Rolling
TUESDAY 4:00 PM–6:00 PM	\$1190	15% discount	Rolling
WEDNESDAY 4:00–5:00 PM	\$1400		Rolling
WEDNESDAY 5:00–6:00 PM	\$1400	.	Rolling
WEDNESDAY 4:00–6:00 PM	\$1190	15% discount	Rolling
THURSDAY 4:00 PM–5:00 PM	\$1400		Rolling
THURSDAY 5:00 PM–6:00 PM	\$1400		Rolling
THURSDAY 4:00 PM–6:00 PM	\$1190	15% discount	Rolling
FRIDAY 4:00 PM–5:00 PM	\$1070		Rolling
FRIDAY 5:00–6:00 PM	\$1070		Rolling
FRIDAY 4:00–6:00 PM	\$910	15% discount	
1 BEAR PASS	\$67	Single use only. Must email bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com 24 hours in advance.	
4 BEAR PASSES	\$268	Single use only. Must email bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com 24 hours in advance.	
6 BEAR PASSES	\$402	Single use only. Must email bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com 24 hours in advance.	
8 BEAR PASSES	\$536	Single use only. Must email bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com 24 hours in advance.	
12 BEAR PASSES	\$804	Single use only. Must email bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com 24 hours in advance.	

Note: Pricing is based on the number of days in the semester.

REGISTRATION

Registration opens December 11, 2025 at 1:00 PM. Use the following link to register through ACTIVE.com:

[Spring 2026 Bear Care BASIS Independent Brooklyn Upper](#)

ACTIVE.COM FAQ

More details on Extracurricular Program policies can be found in the [School Guidebook](#). For questions regarding specific activities, email the Activity Advisor listed on ACTIVE.com. For general program or ACTIVE questions, email the Auxiliary Department at bibauxiliary@basisindependent.com.

DO I NEED TO PAY FOR AN ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP TO SIGN MY CHILD UP FOR AN ACTIVITY?

No. All ACTIVE membership advertising can be bypassed without payment. You ARE NOT required to pay for extra insurance and may opt out of this coverage during the checkout process.

HOW DO I KNOW IF I'VE SUCCESSFULLY REGISTERED FOR AN ACTIVITY?

A confirmation email is automatically sent to the primary parent/guardian email address in ACTIVE.com after registration has been successfully completed.

HOW DO I ADD AN ACTIVITY AFTER MY INITIAL REGISTRATION IS COMPLETE?

Access your online account at campssself.active.com/basisindependentschools using the SAME email address and password used when online account was created. Select REGISTER FOR MORE PROGRAMS. Note: ACTIVE.com works better on Chrome. You may need to sign-out and then sign-in again to get your most up-to-date account information and registered class schedule.

HOW DO I DROP AN ACTIVITY AFTER I'VE REGISTERED FOR IT?

Once you have registered for an activity, all fees are NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE for any reason. Please ensure you only register for activities that you are sure will work for your child and your family's schedule. Note: If the school has to cancel an activity, you will receive a full refund or transfer to another activity.

HOW DO I KNOW WHEN ACTIVITIES START?

Activity dates and times are in the activity description on ACTIVE.com. Some activities have additional dates that will be communicated by the activity advisor after a student is registered.

Parents will receive a reminder of the start date for registered classes at the primary email address on file in ACTIVE.com.

Note: Full-year activities and activities requiring a tryout, interview, assessment, or audition may start outside of the season start date. When you register your child for a full-year activity you only need to register once.

ARE THERE DAYS ACTIVITIES WON'T MEET?

The Full Year Extracurricular Program Calendar includes all dates when activities will not be held. After classes are underway, any updates to the schedule (cancellation, makeup, competition opportunity or final showcase) will come from the Auxiliary Department and/or the Activity Advisor.