# **CLC at GHS**

Welcome to the Gilmer Christian Learning Center (CLC)! We are so glad you are taking a class here. Did you know that having a CLC is a rare privilege? People around the country are amazed at what we can do at the CLC. At CLC we are able to introduce students from public school to spiritual material that they can't discuss in their public classes. This year, the CLC offers classes from 6<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

## **Benefits of CLC:**

Having this class offers you many possible blessings: the chance to learn more than you ever thought possible about God and the Bible, the encouragement that comes by being around fellow students who also believe in God, the refreshing break in your school schedule. Most of all you will have the chance to meet and know God.

# What we expect of students:

The CLC opportunity is a gift from God, and it is the responsibility of all of us to use His gifts wisely.

Be respectful of the staff and each other

- Do not use cell phones (or headphones) during class time
- Clean up after yourself in the building and on the bus
- Do not dip or chew tobacco at CLC. Smoking is also prohibited including vaping and the use of Juuls or anything similar.
- No public displays of affection
- Do not spray any fragrance or use any lotions with fragrance in the building or bus
- Stranger Danger: Do not let anyone in the building unless authorized to do so by your teacher.

## What else do you need to know?

## **About Gilmer County Schools:**

To help our program succeed we work closely with the Gilmer County School System. We support the school's activities, and we follow its policies as much as possible in our setting. Those policies include grading, attendance, and for GHS students driving. Students are never allowed to drive to CLC. If you miss the bus, go to the office and have someone call for us to come and get you.

#### **About Snacks:**

You will normally be allowed to have snacks in class, as long as you clean up after yourself. This is a privilege we extend to help you enjoy your experience at CLC. This privilege will be removed if you abuse it. Please clean up your snacks and do not disrupt class with them. All snacks should be purchased before class or after class. Snacks purchased at CLC should not be bought and taken to GHS and sold. If this happens snack privileges will be withheld.

#### About Field Trips/Days out to eat:

Field Trips and days where students get to go out to eat are a privilege. Students are not allowed to purchase food and bring it back for students at GHS or to consume at a later time.

#### **About Honesty:**

Christianity and cheating don't go together. Therefore, we are a glad participant in the Gilmer County School System academic honesty policy. Any work done as a group must receive prior approval. If there is any doubt, it is not group work. Remember, what you put into the class is what you will get out of it.

#### **About Getting to CLC:**

A bus will be provided to transport students from GHS to CLC. Students are never allowed to drive to CLC. If a student misses the bus, the students shall go to the front office and they will call so we can pick the student up. Students shall not walk from GHS to CLC because they missed the bus.

## **About Releasing the Student during Class:**

It is our policy to never allow a student to leave our building with anyone unless the front office at GHS has called us to let us know you are leaving with the approved adult. The adult must first go to GHS, sign you out of GHS, then GHS will call CLC, and you can be picked up at CLC- or we can drive you to GHS to be checked out. If you must leave early for an appointment or event, and have a school approved permission slip, the CLC will return you to GHS in a timely manner.

#### **About Attitude:**

We don't expect you to agree with everything everyone says in your class, but we do ask you to be respectful to your teacher and your fellow classmates. We also ask that you have a teachable spirit.

#### **Anything Else:**

We are so glad you are here! We are praying for you and care about you. If you have questions about Christianity, the Bible, God, or anything else, we are here to help.

We also have a food pantry and hygiene items. See a CLC staff member for information.