

# Most Frequently Asked Questions



Here are answers to some questions most frequently asked by parents of students in Xavier Summer Programs.

**Is it okay if a student misses a day or two of the Program?** **NO!!** The programs are short in duration and very vigorous in order for all participants to gain the most from the classes, activities and presentations. As such, it does make a big difference if a student misses a day.

**What will happen if a student misses a day?** He/she will receive a zero in all classes for the day. Students who are habitually late or absent will be dismissed from the program.

**Where is the best place to drop off or pick up a student?** Xavier's main entrance is on Drexel Drive (formerly Palmetto Street). The best place to drop your child off is in front of the NCF Annex, Building 37, on Drexel Drive or in front of the University's library.

**Can someone come and visit my son/daughter while in the program?** While we understand that you or your student may want to share in elements of the program, we do not allow visitors in our classrooms as it is imperative that all participants are engaged in the program. Therefore, you should make certain that your son/daughter realizes that he/she should not invite persons to visit him/her while in the program.

**Will parents be able to contact students while in class?** We will have between 300 and 350 students in programs spread across campus at any given time. As a result, we will not be able to get students if you call. However, you can contact the program coordinator at the numbers listed below.

**Can a student use courses to replace his/her regular high school course in algebra, biology, or chemistry?** **NO!!** The programs are not intended to replace high school courses, but rather to help the student prepare to do extremely well in their courses in the fall.

**Do grades in the programs count?** While the grade does not count toward the official high school transcript, grades count towards the successful completion of the summer program. *Note: Students in any summer program are not officially enrolled at the University, however the university will make a note on each student's record as a participant of its university enrichment program.*

## Important phone numbers:

- XU Operator: (504) 486-7411
- Health Services: (504) 520-7396
- Campus Police: (504) 520-7490
- University Summer Programs: (504) 520-5264