

CALVARY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

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Dear Parents:

Christian education is extremely important to families because of its Godly perspective from which students are taught, its environment which promotes success, and its academic standards which are validated each spring by standardized test scores. Calvary Christian School is blessed that God allows us to provide a quality education from a Christian perspective so clearly, and we are thankful for our athletic program, fine arts program, and our academic program that allows our students to receive such earned recognition in every area. We are thankful to have achieved accreditation status through TACS, Cognia, and AACCS. (We are the only accredited Christian school in our area.) These organizations ensure that schools accredited through them meet strict standards and provide quality education to the children enrolled. Being accredited also allows a school to be a recognized learning institution and that is important to us as it is the priority of its ministry.

Calvary Christian School has been open since 1965 providing quality education from a Christian perspective. There are times combination classes are implemented, but these exist in all schools even when not named. Calvary students are advanced because our program works. I have been a part of combination classes, and my children have been a part of them at Calvary. The success of our academic program is apparent to all, and we are thankful for even area schools who admire the product produced in our classrooms due to our academic and disciplinary standards. If you desire to be a part of Calvary, it is our prayer that God always blesses you and your family for the sacrifices you make for your children to be here. All CCS students have quality instructors and quality programs available to them to promote success in all areas—intellectually, spiritually, and physically. We hope that you prayerfully consider enrollment, knowing that we will continue to provide the very best that God allows. If, at any time, you have any questions about our programs, do not hesitate to contact us as we desire to provide you with accurate information.

We do need to address one aspect of our fee schedule. Each year in October and April families are asked to sell fifteen tickets for our two major fundraisers. Many other private schools charge a fall and spring fee. As an alternative to just charging a fall and spring fee, we are pleased to allow the ticket sells to cover those necessary fees as requested by the Parent/Teacher Fellowship (PTF). However, if a family chooses not to sell the tickets, the fees are still a requirement. Any family that chooses not to sell the tickets will be assessed a fee in the amount of the tickets. The fee will be due by October 31st and April 30th. If fees are not paid by the 10th of the following month, a late fee will be assessed.

Because of Calvary,
CCS Administration

Please sign below stating that you have read and are aware of the required fundraisers/fees, and return this signed form and the registration fee as part of the application. Thank you!

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Statement of Faith

- ✠ We believe the Scripture of the Old and New Testament to be inspired, the only infallible, inerrant, authoritative Word of God.
- ✠ We believe there is only one God, eternally existent in three persons: The Father, The Son, and the Holy Spirit.
- ✠ We believe in the literal interpretation of the Genesis account of creation and origin of man.
- ✠ We believe in the deity of Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, in His Lordship over all life, and in His personal return in power and glory.
- ✠ We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the sinfulness of man, and that men are justified on the single ground of faith in the shed blood of Christ.
- ✠ We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.

Mission Statement

Calvary Christian School exists to provide a quality education from a Christian perspective and to produce students who can successfully take their places in their community.

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NEW STUDENT APPLICATION

Date: _____

Grade Entering: _____

Date Entering: _____

Student's Name: _____ Sex: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Parents/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

School currently/last attended: _____ Grade: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Grade Average: _____ Ever suspended/expelled? _____ Enrolled in CCS before? _____

Any problems in school? _____

Unusual factors in students life: _____

Brothers/Sisters names & ages: _____

Father's Information

Full Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Church: _____

Member? _____ Attend Regularly? _____

Pastor: _____

Mother's Information

Full Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Church: _____

Member? _____ Attend Regularly? _____

Pastor: _____

Does the student attend church regularly? _____ Spiritual Status: _____

Place an "X" if applicable: _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____ Widower/Widow _____ Re-married

FOR EMERGENCIES: Family Doctor: _____ **Phone:** _____

Who to call if neither parent can be reached? _____ **Phone:** _____

Any special medical information? _____

Why do you wish to enroll your child in Calvary Christian School? _____

We agree to abide by all school regulations, upholding the authority of the teachers and authorizing the school to administer such disciplinary measures deemed necessary and proper by the administration; to have our student trained in accordance with the CCS Statement of Faith (over); and to the timely payment of tuition in accordance with the school's tuition policy.

Father's Signature: _____ Mother's Signature: _____

The non-refundable Registration Fee MUST accompany this application.

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Family Agreement of Philosophy and Intent

The signing of this document represents a visible and willful bond between the _____ family and Calvary Christian School.

Note: Proper signatures are required on back.

Before entering a student in any aspect of the school's program (which includes daycare through grade twelve) several basic aspects relative to the philosophy and intent of the school must be agreed upon by the enrolling family and the school body.

By signing this document the family understands that:

- 1) the primary intent and purpose of Calvary Christian School is to provide a Christ-centered education;
- 2) the integration of Christian world views and the application of Biblical principles is not only encouraged, but required in every course and activity of the school program;
- 3) the school will teach and exalt the fact that God is the source of all truth;
- 4) Calvary Christian School is interdenominational, and yet prescribes to a clear statement of faith;
- 5) Calvary Christian School is not funded by grants, aid, or tax monies from the state or national governments;
- 6) Calvary Christian School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national origin;
- 7) The sacrificial giving of time and materials of all persons involved in the school community is necessary to provide the programs that will educate and enrich the lives of the students involved;
- 8) Calvary Christian School desires to meet the academic needs of those enrolled as completely as possible, however, providing for all remediation or specialized needs of students is not the school's purpose, nor is it within the school's feasible ability.

FURTHERMORE, the family agrees:

- 1) with Calvary Christian School's statement of faith;
- 2) to recognize the School Board as the legal corporate entity of Calvary Christian School and to support both privately and publicly the policies set forth by the board, administration, faculty, and staff;
- 3) to make the school staff, families, and facilities an integral part of the prayer life of the home;
- 4) to recognize that all meetings activities and events of which the focus is CCS or its patrons must be expressly approved by the administration and the school board;
- 5) to support and uplift the rules and standards and methods of operation as outlines by the current handbook issued by the school;
- 6) to verbally and authoritatively support the individual teacher's classroom rules that ***Jesus Christ...the Key to Wisdom and Knowledge. Colossians 2:3***

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- have been approved by the administration;
- 7) to carefully determine to use the Matthew 18 principle of reconciling differences by first conferring with the staff member most immediately related to the incident in question, and then, only if matters are not acceptably resolved at that level, pursuing the proper progressive chain of authority. Also, (In keeping with I Corinthians 6:1) that if resolution does not result, and if any member of the family reach a point of disagreement on an issue with CCS and its School Board, the family agrees to submit to a board of conciliation, the members of which have been mutually selected by the individual and school officials with the help of the Institute for Christian Conciliation, if needed. All parties agree that these methods shall be the sole remedy for any controversy or claim against the Christian school and expressly waive their right to file a lawsuit against one another in any civil court for disputes.
 - 8) to responsibly and punctually pay the tuition and fees so as to facilitate the effective operation of the school;
 - 9) to pay in full all current debts owed by the signed family to Calvary Christian School in the event that the family and/or the school board determines that the above mentioned are in conflict with this agreement to the point of requiring withdrawal of any or all children enrolled;
 - 10) that although they may not agree with all of the regulations outlined in the Calvary Christian handbook, they understand that the student must adhere to them while he/she is at school or in attendance at school-sponsored activities. Also, in the event that they are not entirely certain of some aspect of school policy, they will contact the principal for clarification.
 - 11) that corporal punishment (paddling) may be administered to a student (K5 through grade 12) and that state law (6-18-520, 6-18-505) requires documentation of student and parent receipt of student discipline policies. This document will be included in the student files.
 - 12) that they have read the student handbook in its entirety.

First and last name of student: _____

Signature(s) of parent(s): _____

Signature of child(ren): _____
(7th grade and above)

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STUDENT HEALTH FORM

Student: _____ Date of birth: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian 2: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Allergies: _____

Health Problems or Issues: _____

Listed below are over the counter medications stocked at school to treat minor injuries or illness. Place an "X" in the "YES Box" or "NO Box" if you give permission for your child to be treated.

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hydrocortisone Crème
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ambesol/Oragel
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Triple Antibiotic Ointment (Neosporin)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	First Aid Spray (Bactine, Lanacane)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Antacid (Tums)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cough Drop with Menthol
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Acetaminophen (Tylenol) (dose for age)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ibuprofen (Motrin, Advil) (dose for age)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Children's Pepto-Bismal Tablets (dose for age)
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Visine eye drops
YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hydrogen Peroxide

Comments: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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