

CHRISTIAN BIBLE CHURCH ACADEMY
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Dear Parents,

Christian greetings!

Thank you for giving prayerful consideration to sending your child to Christian Bible Church Academy. We feel that it is a ministry and privilege to provide Christian education for Christian young people. The staff of the school is dedicated to the task of helping your child fulfill his/her maximum potential in spiritual and academic matters.

Our *prime objective* is to be an extended ministry of the Christian home and church in training youth for *Christian leadership*. We are not designed to be a correctional institution for problems arising beyond those usually encountered in average school children. While we love delinquent and emotionally unstable children, the school is not equipped to reform them or meet their needs. Often, a school such as ours becomes a target for parents with rebellious children. It is thought that by enrolling them in a Christian school, the rebellion will diminish. Such is not the case! In reality, the rebellion or disobedience is even more pronounced in the strict environment of a Christian school. Rebellion and disobedience must first be conquered in the home! The Christian school can only build upon the foundation, which is in existence in the home. If a child is rebellious and disobedient towards parents, it will simply be transferred to the authorities of the school. This, in turn, has a negative effect upon other students and drains the school of its high spiritual tone. Therefore, *no* student will be accepted at Christian Bible Church Academy who is not in submission to the authority of his/her parents or has a disrespectful attitude. Obviously, a student must be *clearly* born-again in order to be admitted.

The school is designed to be a life training extension of Christian parents who are solidly committed to the Lordship of Jesus Christ and have centered their lives upon His Word and the local church. We are committed to sheltering students from negative, humanistic influences of the world, which will diminish their potential for God. As such, there should be a similar commitment on the part of parents to guard their children in the home and elsewhere from humanistic and ungodly influences.

Christian Bible Church Academy is an Educational Ministry of Discipleship to the Lord Jesus Christ. The school has an outstanding academic curriculum which focuses on the individual abilities of its students. Our graduates are serving God in the ministry, medical field, education, military, high tech and various other trades and professions.

One of the vital keys to the success of the school ministry is the involvement of parents. It is imperative for parents to be thoroughly informed about the school ministry and philosophy. Thus, **both** parents should thoroughly read and review the school website in its entirety. You are encouraged to set up an appointment with the school principal and view the school in operation.

Subsequently, if you desire to enroll your child in Christian Bible Church Academy, the following procedure should be taken:

Obtain the application packet from the church office. It can also be downloaded from the school website. **Both** parents should fill out **all** application forms *in their entirety* and return them to the church office.

An appointment with the school principal will then be scheduled for you and your child. **Both** parents must attend, unless it is a single parent family.

Approximately one week after your appointment, you will receive a letter stating whether or not your child has been accepted. Acceptance will be based on whether we feel your child can adjust to our *spiritual* and *academic* program and whether we can properly meet his/her personal needs.

If your child is accepted, he/she will be required to take several days of diagnostic testing in order to determine his/her academic level. You will be sent the dates and the time of the testing.

Both parents will be required to participate in a parent orientation *at school* which takes approximately six hours. It consists of listening to a number of tapes which give you detailed information concerning various aspects of our school program. We feel it is vital that each parent be familiar with the school procedures and terminology. No student will be permitted to attend school until **both** parents have completed this orientation. **Both** parents are also required to attend the Parent-Teacher Fellowships and Conferences which are held at the end of each school quarter.

Christian youth have a tremendous spiritual and academic potential. We believe that the program and environment provided at Christian Bible Church Academy is a tool in the hand of God to help your child fulfill his/her complete potential. Should your child attend this school, the staff will work together with you in helping to prepare him/her to fulfill the will of God for his/her life.

Please feel free to contact the church office should you need additional information.

In His Service,
Gary Stearn
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Pastor