



# Student Application

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For office use:
Reg. date _____
Registration fee _____
Book fee _____

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

For school year 20\_\_ - 20\_\_

Grade applied for \_\_\_ Date of Application \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Circle: Male / Female

Birth Place: City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

School District in which student resides \_\_\_\_\_

Circle which you plan on using: your district's transportation OR parent pickup/drop-off?

### FAMILY INFORMATION:

**Please indicate: Father/Stepfather/Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address, if different \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate: Mother/Stepmother/Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address, if different \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate residential address vs mailing address if you have both. Also, add any phone numbers that may be different from students or in addition to the above.

Marital status: Father (single, married, widower, separated, divorced, living with significant other)

Mother (single, married, widowed, separated, divorced, living with significant other)

Please help us understand the student's living arrangements if different than with mother/father:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:**

List all schools attended since Kindergarten:

School Name and mailing address	Grades Attended
1. _____	
2. _____	
3. _____	
4. _____	
5. _____	

Has this student ever failed a grade?  Yes  No If yes, which grade and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Has this student ever been suspended?  Yes  No Expelled?  Yes  No  
Please describe the nature of any disciplinary problems encountered at school: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In which subjects does your child do best? \_\_\_\_\_  
In which subjects does your child have the most difficulty? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Has this student ever been diagnosed as Learning Disabled or in need of a Special Education Program?  Yes  No Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have any physiological or emotional problems of which his/her teacher should be aware? (asthma, allergies, sight or hearing issues, medication, other handicaps) Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please comment on the nature of any above issues and the frequency of any required medication:

Briefly describe this student's extra-curricular interests, hobbies, or any special talent or Aptitude: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY DATA:**

Do you consider your home to be a Christian home?  Yes  No

What church do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Church address, email \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of church attendance: # \_\_\_\_\_ per \_\_\_ month

Member in good standing  Yes  No

Has Father accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Savior?  Yes  No

Has Mother accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Savior?  Yes  No

Has the student accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior?  Yes  No

Briefly explain why you want a Christian education for your child: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Would the student be attending GCA against his/her wishes?  Yes  No

What do you expect GCA to do for your student? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of GCA? \_\_\_\_\_

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*We hereby apply for the admission of our child in Grace Christian Academy. We acknowledge that, according to the ONLY Word of God, the primary responsibility for the education of a child has been given to his parents. This application, therefore, is a request for the assistance of GCA in carrying out our responsibility in providing a Christ-centered education for our child(ren) based upon the principles of the only Word of God. We further acknowledge that the educational program of GCA is based upon the Biblical principles expressed in the school's statements on doctrine, philosophy, purpose, and objectives.*

*We agree to cooperate with GCA in enforcing its policies and regulations as they apply to our child(ren). We further agree to be faithful in our financial obligation to the school, and we understand that thirty hours per year per family volunteer commitment is expected or \$450 in lieu of the volunteer time.*

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Father/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Mother/Guardian

## Christian Conciliation and Arbitration Agreement

*The parties to this agreement are Christian and believe that the Bible commands them to make every effort to live at peace and to resolve disputes with each other in private or within the Christian community in conformity with the Biblical injunctions of 1 Corinthians 6:1-8, Matthew 5:23,24 and Matthew 18:15-20. Therefore, the parties agree that any claim or dispute of the school relationship, including statutory claims, shall be settled by Biblically based mediation.*

*If resolution of the dispute and reconciliation do not result from such efforts, the matter shall then be submitted to a panel of three arbitrators for binding arbitration. Each party to the agreement shall have the right to select one arbitrator. The two arbitrators selected by the parties shall jointly select the neutral, third arbitrator. If there is an impasse in the selection of the third arbitrator, the Institute for Christian Conciliation in Billings, MT (406-256-1583) shall be asked to provide the name of a qualified person that will serve in that capacity. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Christian Conciliation of the Institute for Christian Conciliation as printed in the Christian Conciliation Handbook.*

*The parties agree that these methods shall be the sole remedy of any controversy or claim arising out of the school relationship or this agreement and expressly waive their right to file a lawsuit against one another in any civil court for such disputes, except to enforce a legally binding arbitration decision.*

*Each party, regardless of the outcome of the matter, agrees to bear the cost of his/her/its own arbitrator and one-half of the fees and costs of the neutral arbitrator and any other arbitration expenses.*

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Father/Guardian

Signature of Father/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Mother/Guardian

Signature of Mother/Guardian

## Parents' Agreement Form

We are a religious organization.

- 1. We consider it a privilege to have the opportunity to send our child to North Rome Christian School and shall endeavor to support and uphold the principles, practices, and educational policies of the school in every way.*
- 2. We recognize that for our child to make good progress in his/her work, it is essential that he/she have confidence in his/her teacher and school. Therefore, we will do all in our power to see that our child respects and obeys the school staff and rules. We agree that if our child should become involved in any difficulty with other children or with a staff member, that with a prayerful Christian spirit we will register necessary complaints with the teacher or principal, while following the policies of Matthew 18.*
- 3. We realize that a Christian school is not a substitute for the training, fellowship, and discipline of the local church. Therefore, we agree to have our child and family involved in a local church where the Bible, the ONLY Word of God is preached, believed, and obeyed.*
- 4. We grant permission to the school authorities to discipline our child and to allow whatever disciplinary measures are necessary within the discipline policies that have been established for the school and are listed in the school handbook. Additional policies may need to be added and notices will be sent home to the parents. We further agree to cooperate and discipline our child at home, if necessary. We understand that any student is subject to review for dismissal by the school committee at any time. If our child is dismissed or withdrawn, the tuition costs will be recalculated to a per day figure for the number of days school has been in session. The difference between the amount already paid and the amount due will be the responsibility of the parents. Registration and Book Fees are not refundable.*
- 5. We understand that students are accepted on a provisional status for the first nine week grading period.*
- 6. We understand that permission slips for field trips and sports activities must be returned for my child to participate, and we absolve the school from any liability to us or our child because of any injury to our child at school or during a school activity.*
- 7. We have read the following forms and agree to follow them: Parent's Financial Agreement, volunteer hours in lieu of \$450 fee, and the Christian Conciliation Agreement.*
- 8. We have read the Student-Parent Handbook. We concur with it and agree to see that our child(ren) adheres to it. We have read the Statement of Faith and give our permission to the school to present this doctrine to our child(ren).*

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Father/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Mother/Guardian

**MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Grace Christian Academy is to provide outstanding educational programs that reinforce Christian family values, prepare students to excel academically, and motivate them to develop a Christian lifestyle that results in service to God and mankind.

**VISION STATEMENT**

Striving to attain excellence in education and Christlikeness

**STATEMENT OF FAITH**

Grace Christian Academy subscribes to the Statement of Faith of the Association of Christian Schools International as printed below.

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the ONLY infallible authoritative, inerrant Word of God. (I Timothy 3:15, II Peter 1:21)

We believe there is one God, eternally existent in three persons – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (Genesis 1:1, Matthew 26:19; John 10:30)

We believe in the deity of Christ (John 10:33); His virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14, Matthew 1:23, Luke 1:35); His sinless life (Hebrews 4:15, Hebrews 7:26); His miracles (John 2:11); His vicarious and atoning death (I Corinthians 15:3, Ephesians 1:7, Hebrews 2:9); His resurrection (John 11:25, I Corinthians 15:4); His ascension to the right hand of the Father (Mark 16:19); His personal return in power and glory. (Acts 1:11, Rev. 19:11)

We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature; and that men are justified on the single ground of faith in the shed blood of Christ and that only by God’s grace through faith alone we are saved. (John 3: 16-19, John 5:24, Romans 3:23, Romans 5: 28-29)

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation (John 5: 28-29)

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 8: 9, I Corinthians 12: 12-13, Galatians 3: 26-28)

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life. (Romans 8: 13-14, I Corinthians 3: 16, I Corinthians 6: 19-20, Ephesians 4: 30, 5: 18)

We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male and female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God (Gen. 1:26-27)

We believe that the term “marriage” has only one meaning: the uniting of one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in scripture (Gen. 2:18-25)

**PURPOSE**

The purpose of our school is to offer to families and their children in Bradford County a quality education in light of the principles in God’s Word and training in a Biblical lifestyle.

**GOAL**

The goal of Grace Christian Academy is to work in cooperation with the home and the church to help students reach their full potential in developing his or her personal worldview. We desire that our students grow in each of the following areas as modeled by Jesus Christ, who grew in wisdom, in stature, in favor with God, and in favor with man. (Luke 2:52).

*Please carefully read our Statement of Faith and indicate below your support.*

I fully support the statements above as written without mental reservations:

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Father/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Mother/Guardian