



BOWLING GREEN CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

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Bowling Green Christian Academy's mission is to provide students a Christian education that encourages commitment to Jesus Christ, academic excellence, high moral character and service to others.

STUDENT INFORMATION

For school year: _____ Entering Grade: _____

Student's Name: _____ Birthdate: _____
Last First Middle Goes by

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

If applying for Early Education please choose:

- ___ K5: (5 day/week) Full-day 8:00-3:00 *Students must be 5 by October 1.
- ___ K4: (5 day/week) 8:00-11:00AM *Students must be 4 by October 1.
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CHURCH INVOLVEMENT

Name of church where student attends: _____ Is student a Christian? _____

Student's involvement in church: _____

EDUCATION

School presently or last attended: _____ Last Teacher: _____

Complete Mailing Address of last school attended: _____
Street City State Zip

Telephone and Fax number of last school attended: _____
Telephone (with area code) Fax (with area code)

Other schools previously attended: _____ Grade _____ Year _____

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Has this student been evaluated and/or approved for an Individual Education Plan? Yes No If yes, please explain:

Has this student ever been suspended or dismissed at any school? Yes No If yes, explain: _____

What special interests does this student have? _____

OFFICE USE:

Application Fee(s) Paid _____ Date _____ Enrollment Fee(s) Paid _____ Date _____

FAMILY INFORMATION

Family's Current School District: _____
(i.e. Warren Co., BG City, Simpson Co., etc.)

FATHER: _____ Home Phone _____
Last Name First Title (Mr., Dr., etc.)

_____ Home Address Apt # City State Zip

_____ Place of Employment Occupation Work Phone /Cell Phone Email Address

Are you a Christian? _____ Church Member? _____ Attend Church: ___ Regularly ___ Seldom ___ Never

Church Attending: _____
Church Name Pastor/Leader name Mailing Address (Street, City, State, Zip) Phone

Do you live with student(s)? _____ (Y/N) Do you want to receive school mail? _____ (Y/N)

MOTHER: _____ Home Phone _____
Last Name First Title (Ms., Dr., etc.)

_____ Home Address Apt # City State Zip

_____ Place of Employment Occupation Work Phone /Cell Phone Email Address

Are you a Christian? _____ Church Member? _____ Attend Church: ___ Regularly ___ Seldom ___ Never

Church Attending: _____
Church Name Pastor/Leader name Mailing Address (Street, City, State, Zip) Phone

Do you live with student(s)? _____ (Y/N) Do you want to receive school mail? _____ (Y/N)

How did you learn about Bowling Green Christian Academy? _____

Why do you wish your child(ren) to attend Bowling Green Christian Academy? _____

Bowling Green Christian Academy seeks to serve the Christian family; therefore, we request a written profession of faith in Jesus Christ from at least one parent of a prospective student. Please attach the following:

- A statement of the father's individual Christian experience and faith
- A statement of the mother's individual Christian experience and faith

PARENT COMMITMENT STATEMENT

One foundational objective of BGCA is to support the Christian home and help the church in the task of educating the whole child. The school stands in the place of the parent during the school day and seeks to assist parents in fulfilling their responsibility for training their child(ren) in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. Effective Christian education at BGCA requires that parents likewise demonstrate support the school by willingly abiding by the guidelines in the following statement of Parent Commitment:

1. I have read and support Bowling Green Christian Academy's mission, educational philosophy, standards of conduct, and will abide by all policies and procedures outlined in the Handbook for Parents and Students.
2. I will cooperate fully in the educational functions of BGCA, doing my best to make Christian education effective in the life of my child(ren). I will nurture biblical principles in my home by setting a Godly example in my actions, speech, and thought.
3. I will pray earnestly for Bowling Green Christian Academy. I understand that school policy requires that our family attend a Bible-believing Christian church and I will make weekly worship and biblical instruction a sacred commitment in my family.
4. I agree to live by biblical moral standards including honoring the sanctity of marriage (Hebrews 13:4) between a man and a woman. Cohabitation of adults without the commitment of marriage is grounds for refusing admission or a student's dismissal from the school. Same gender married (legal or common-law) couples are not permitted to enroll students at BGCA.
5. I agree to respect the spirit of the Standardized Appearance Code and dress accordingly when I attend school functions, accompany students on field trips, or volunteer on campus.
6. I will pay all of my financial obligations to BGCA on or before the due date. If I am ever unable to pay on time, I will notify the school Finance Manager in advance (a) giving a reasonable explanation for the delay, and (b) stating when payment can be made.
7. I understand that BGCA has full discretion in the discipline of my child(ren) within the bounds of the discipline policy as stipulated in the Handbook for Parents and Students. I will assume responsibility for the supervision of my child(ren) on campus during non-school hours.
8. I understand that the costs involved in operating BGCA significantly exceed the amount we are charged in tuition and fees. Therefore, I pledge to prayerfully seek God's guidance in supporting the ministry of the school. As God leads and enables, I will help bridge the gap between costs and tuition through voluntary tax-deductible gifts to the Annual Fund.
9. I will demonstrate my commitment to the education my child(ren) by volunteering for school-sponsored activities and committees as opportunities arise and God provides time and talent.
10. I will make every effort to attend all required meetings and parent functions of the school.
11. I will always follow a scriptural approach (Matthew 18) to resolve issues of clarification, concerns, or grievances with the person or persons involved, and refrain from sowing discord among uninvolved persons.
12. I will recommend BGCA to other Christian families as appropriate opportunities arise.

I have read the Statement of Faith of Bowling Green Christian Academy (*see green brochure*) and am willing to have my student educated in accordance with it.

I understand that: (1) the school has final discretion for the grade and class placement of my student; (2) the school has final discretion in the discipline of my student within the bounds of the discipline policy; (3) the school reserves the right to dismiss any student who does not cooperate with the educational process

If applying for a position in K4 or K5, I understand that the Preference for AM or PM, or Full- or Half-day classes request on my part and not a guarantee of placement. I will communicate any specific situations to the BGCA office for consideration. The administration has the full responsibility for placing my student in the appropriate class.

Please sign below to indicate your agreement with all statements listed above.

Father/Guardian _____ Date _____

Mother/Guardian _____ Date _____

*"...that they may know Christ,
in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge."
Colossians 2:2-3*

THE VISION OF BOWLING GREEN CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Bowling Green Christian Academy is an academic institution committed to providing Christian parents with a quality Christian education for their children. The Academy promotes a Biblically based worldview that assists parents in training their children to develop sound Christian character which will affect their community and world in a positive manner. The vision of BGCA is to be recognized and sought as the standard for educational excellence in south central Kentucky because of its academic, spiritual, and vocational development of students and its increasingly positive impact on society.

ACCREDITATION

Bowling Green Christian Academy received accreditation for grades K-8th by the Association of Christian Schools International in December 2001. Founded in 1978, ACSI has over 2,750 member schools, representing nearly 1,000,000 Christian day-school students. Recognized at the national level as well as by many regional and state accrediting agencies, these programs provide a comprehensive evaluation model for Christian schools. The ACSI accreditation program was one of the first programs to be officially recognized by the National Council for Private School Accreditation (NCPISA).

STATEMENT OF FAITH

The basis of Bowling Green Christian Academy shall be the Word of God as interpreted by the following statement of faith:

1. WE BELIEVE that the Bible, consisting of the sixty-six books of the Old and New Testaments only, is inerrant in the original manuscripts, free from error in doctrine, fact and ethic, and is the inspired, infallible, and authoritative word of God, the supreme and final word and only rule of faith and conduct (II Timothy 3:14; II Peter 1:21).
2. WE BELIEVE there is only one God, eternally existent in three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Genesis 1:1; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30).
3. 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, 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; Revelation 19:11).
4. 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 and through faith alone are we saved (John 3:16-21, 5:24; Romans 3:23, 5:8-10; Titus 3:5).
5. WE BELIEVE in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto resurrection of life and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation (John 5:28-29).
6. 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).
7. 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, 6:19-20; Ephesians 4:30, 5:18).