

Student History

Has your child had any previous school experience? Yes No

If so, where? _____

Address _____

City / State / Zip _____ School Phone # () _____

Contact Name (Director / Administrator) _____

Is applicant in good standing and eligible to remain or return to present school? Yes No

What do you consider to be your child's unique strengths and gifts? _____

What is the child's attitude toward school and teachers? _____

What are your child's special interests or activities? _____

Why are you interested in enrolling your child in K-4? _____

Is your child toilet trained? Yes No

Non-discrimination Policy

The Academy admits students of any race, color, national, and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national, and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, scholarships, athletic, and other school administered programs.

Mission Statement

Blue Ridge Christian Academy seeks to glorify God by partnering with parents to impart to children a Christian worldview and skills that will make them effective in impacting the world for Christ.

Purpose Statement

Blue Ridge Christian Academy offers a non-denominational Christ-centered education that will help children reach their maximum potential through training in Biblical truths, pursuing academic excellence, and embracing aspects of a classical Christian education.

Objectives

- To lead children to a personal knowledge of and relationship with Jesus Christ
- To teach and model Christian character
- To teach that Biblical truth is the foundation for the proper understanding of all academic subjects (develop a Christian worldview)
- To offer college preparatory curriculum
- To teach application of Biblical principles to every part of daily life
- To come alongside parents in their primary role of training their child
- To help children develop their unique talents and gifts from the Lord
- To equip students to impact the world for Christ

Statement of Beliefs

Blue Ridge Christian Academy is a non-denominational school that is run by a Board of Directors including parents with children in the school. While it is not our purpose to promote a particular doctrine to our students, we boldly affirm the following Christian beliefs as stated below:

- We believe the Bible to be inspired; the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God.
- We believe there is only one God, eternally existent in three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Statement of Beliefs, cont.

- We believe in the deity of Christ; His virgin birth; His sinless life; His miracles; His vicarious and atoning death; His resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father; His personal return in power and glory.
- We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature; and that people 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 we are saved.
- We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost—those that are saved to the resurrection of life, and those that are lost to the resurrection of damnation.
- We believe in the spiritual unity of all true believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.
- We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit whose indwelling and empowering of the Christians enable him/her to live a godly life.
- We believe in the sanctity of human life concerning both the born and the unborn and acknowledge abortion and euthanasia are contrary to the Word of God.
- We believe man is created in God's image, male and female created He them, and sexual deviation and homosexuality are an abomination to God and contrary to His Word.

Partnering with BRCA Agreement

We understand and agree that...

- We support the Academy's mission, purpose, objectives, Statement of Beliefs, policies and practices, and are willing to have our child educated in accordance with them.
- We will follow the guidelines given in the Parent-Student Handbook for handling concerns or complaints.
- The applicant will be subject to the discipline and other policies as outlined in the Parent-Student Handbook, which is periodically updated and available online.
- We give permission for our child to travel to scheduled athletic and academic competitions.
- We will support the Academy by assisting with at least one (1) fundraiser a year.
- We give permission for photographs of our child to appear in school publications and area newspapers.
- The Academy provides student accident insurance that is secondary to other insurance carried on the student. It is our primary responsibility to have adequate insurance coverage for our child.
- We authorize the Academy to contact the person listed in the emergency contact section of the application form and to follow their instructions if the Academy is unable to reach us.
- We agree to release and hold harmless the Academy, its agents, and employees from all claims, damages, or other liabilities that are not the result of gross negligence by the Academy, its agents, or employees.
- The Academy reserves the right to dismiss any student for lack of cooperation with school policies by the student, parent, and / or guardian, which may inhibit the Academy's ability to accomplish its stated mission.
- We have not knowingly withheld any information which would void this Agreement.
- We are committed to fulfill the obligations expressed on the Financial Commitment Form.
- We have read and understand the policies and procedures outlined in the BRCA Parent-Student Handbook. We have also reviewed these with our child. Each of us agrees to follow the stated policies and procedures and understand that the BRCA Board may amend (add, delete, or change) policies and procedures as deemed necessary. We are aware an updated handbook is always accessible via the school web site or ParentsWeb.

Signature of Father / Guardian

Date

Signature of Mother / Guardian

Date

Computer Usage Agreement

The Academy will attempt to provide adequate and age-appropriate exposure to and training on computers. Computers are viewed as a tool, not an end in itself, which can enhance the curriculum of the Academy. The technology is provided for productive use and not for entertainment. There are responsibilities that accompany computer usage in a school setting:

- Students are to access only permitted files and programs
- Students will not share passwords or accounts
- Copying, loading, downloading from the Internet, or installation of software by a student is not allowed
- Default settings are not to be modified by the student
- Intentional introduction of a virus on Academy computers may result in suspension or expulsion
- Conduct on the computer (Internet access, e-mail, etc.) is considered to fall under the Academy's discipline policy

This agreement applies to all students regardless of whether or not the student is currently enrolled in a computer class.

Student Name (print) _____ Grade: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Financial Commitment Form

Effective upon final acceptance of application

1. Blue Ridge Christian Academy is a non-profit organization. It is our desire to offer a quality Christian education at an affordable price, while retaining and adequately supporting a highly trained staff.
2. A \$35 application fee must be paid with each NEW student application. This fee is nonrefundable. To assure placement in the fall, a registration fee of \$125 must be paid upon enrollment of a student from a new BRCA family or a fee of \$75 must be paid during early registration (ending January 11, 2007) of a student from an existing BRCA family. After January 11, the fee for all K-4 enrollment is \$125. This fee is nonrefundable.
3. Commitment to payment is effective on **acceptance** of enrollment. Tuition is based on either a quarterly or 10 or 12-month schedule. The first payment is due June 1 under each plan. The final payments are due March 1, April 1 and May 1 for the quarterly, 10 and 12-month schedule, respectively. When a payment is required under the tuition schedule selected, payments are due on the first of the month and are considered delinquent on the tenth. Accounts with a balance of \$125 or more will be assessed a late fee of \$20 after the tenth of the month. Post dated checks will not be accepted. **Any 30-day old account will be turned over to the Academy Board of Directors, and the student may be denied admittance to class until the tuition is paid.**
4. Once a student is enrolled, the entire tuition is assessed to the account for the applicable school year. **This means that to withdraw a student does not relieve the financial responsibility of the entire year's tuition.** Exceptions will be made by the Academy Board of Directors in the event of (a) a job change or transfer to another location more than 20 miles from the Academy campus or (b) Termination of Enrollment from the Academy as a consequence of misbehavior or academic performance (see definition in Academy handbook). Written requests to be relieved of financial responsibility due to unforeseen circumstances must be presented to the Board. Unless the Board grants relief, the student's records will be held until all financial responsibilities have been met.
5. Certain classroom fees may be assessed and are due after class schedules are finalized. A copy of the tuition and fee schedule is attached to this form or it may be picked up in the school office.
6. Only those students with up-to-date accounts will be allowed to receive report cards and transcripts at the end of the year. This includes payment of all fees, late charges, return of books, school property, etc.
7. **A \$25 charge will be placed on all checks marked "insufficient funds." After two such checks, all future payments must be made in cash or by money order.**

Indicate payment plan: Quarterly 10-month 12-month

I have read, accept, and will abide by the financial policies of Blue Ridge Christian Academy.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Date

Signature of person responsible for payment of all fees and tuition (if different from above)

Date

Student Critical Information

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Emergency Contacts

(In addition to the child's parents/guardians (unless restricted), the following persons may be contacted in case of emergency:

1. Name: _____

2. Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Relationship: _____

Home Phone # () _____

Home Phone # () _____

Cell Phone # () _____

Cell Phone # () _____

Work # () _____ Ext. _____

Work # () _____ Ext. _____

E-mail: _____

E-mail: _____

Medical Information

Physician Information

Name: _____

Phone # () _____

Address: _____

Hospital: _____

Medical Conditions: _____

(please explain) _____

Medications taken regularly: _____

Allergies: _____

Dentist Information

Name: _____

Phone # () _____

Address: _____

Medication Administration

My child can be given the following non-prescription medication and I am aware that a phone call will **not** be made prior to medication administration if permission is granted to dispense the following : (check all that apply)

Pain Relievers: (these will only be given for the following conditions without a note from home: fever, non-recurrent headaches, sprains or other injuries incurred at school on day of occurrence) Tylenol (acetaminophen) Motrin / Advil (ibuprofen)

Other: Pepto Bismol tablets / liquid Benadryl tablets / liquid Cough Drops

For allergic reactions only
- not seasonal allergies

PLEASE NOTE:

- ◆ Medications may be generic brands
- ◆ Only medications listed are on hand

Current Weight of Child: _____ lbs Restrictions: _____

Example: non-dye only

Emergency Care

I give permission to the administration of Blue Ridge Christian Academy to obtain medical care in the most expedient manner at any licensed and qualified medical facility if I cannot be reached immediately to give my direction for care by my child's own physician.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Date