



# Blue Ridge Christian Academy

"Equipping students to impact the world for Christ"

## New K5-12th Grade Student Application

- ◆ Please read and complete all items on the application, an incomplete application will not be accepted.
- ◆ The Application/Testing fee of \$50 is due at the time the application is submitted.
- ◆ An Enrollment fee of \$200 will be due at the time of acceptance.

For Office Use Only

App rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_ Initials: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Accepted  Accepted (conditional)  Declined   
 Explanation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 FEES:  
 App/Testing \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_  
 Enrollment \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_  
 Birth Certificate  
 Immunization Record **Type (circle one)** DHEC 1148  
 DHEC 1126 (Ret. Ex) Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Legal Documents regarding guardianship rec'd (if required) Records Requested:   /  /    
 Start Date:   /  /   Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

### Student Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last First Middle Goes by  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street City State Zip  
 Home Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ SSN# \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_  Male DOB:   /  /    
 Female  
 Cell Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Relationship with Jesus Christ? Ethnicity:  African-American  Asian  Caucasian  
 Hispanic/Latino  Native-American  
 Grade Applying For: \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Uncertain at this time  Bi-Racial (please check all that apply)  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Family Information

Student lives with:  Mother  Father  Grandparents  Sibling(s)  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check all that apply  Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ (Name/Address)  
 Father  Guardian  Mother  Guardian  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name (include maiden): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_  
 Work # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_ Work # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_  
 Personal relationship w/ Jesus Christ?  Yes  No Personal relationship w/ Jesus Christ?  Yes  No  
 Parents are:  Married  Separated  Divorced\*  Widowed  Single \*must supply legal documentation showing custody or any restrictions that apply for this child at time of enrollment  
 Siblings: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB:   /  /   Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School attending \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB:   /  /   Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School attending \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB:   /  /   Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School attending \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB:   /  /   Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School attending \_\_\_\_\_  
 Church Information: Name of Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ — \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senior Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

## Student History

School Name, Address, Phone # (list all attended)

Years and Grades attended


Is applicant in good standing and eligible to remain or return to most recent school attended?  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, honors, or activities? \_\_\_\_\_

If you answer "yes" to any of the following, please give complete responses on a separate attachment. Has the applicant...

Yes No

- |                          |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | repeated a grade or been recommended to repeat a grade?                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been referred to anyone for academic evaluation, testing, tutoring, etc?           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | had disciplinary difficulties at school?   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been suspended or expelled for academic, behavioral, or honor reasons?             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | consulted with or been referred to a psychiatrist, psychologist, or social worker? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been diagnosed with a special learning problem, ADD, ADHD?                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been admitted to any type of mental health or juvenile program?                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been involved with drinking alcohol?   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | been arrested or detained by the civil authorities?                                |

## Non-discrimination Policy

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

## Vision 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

The ministry of BRCA exists so that families in the area can choose Kingdom education for their children in grades K4 through 12. Kingdom education is defined as "the life-long, Bible-based, Christ-centered process of leading a child to Christ, building a child up in Christ, and equipping a child to serve Christ." It involves the integration and application of biblical truths provided in the Bible to areas of biblical worldview, educational programs and activities, and personal development and maturity. Students are directed to take captive every thought in obedience to Christ (2 Corinthians 10:3-5). By doing this, they bring glory to God as they impact the world for Christ.

## Core Values

As BRCA endeavors to fulfill its mission and to realize its vision, our ministry is characterized by the following core values:

**Truth.** We will teach and model biblical truth in order to accomplish several objectives of BRCA: leading children to a personal knowledge of and relationship with Jesus Christ, modeling Christian character, teaching that biblical truth is the foundation for the proper understanding of all academic subjects, and teaching application of biblical principles to every part of daily life.

**Service.** We will encourage development of hearts of service by modeling it to the BRCA community. Students will be encouraged to develop their gifts and talents from the Lord in order to serve Him in the manner designed by Him.

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## Core Values, cont.

**Excellence.** The curriculum used, opportunities offered, and focus on shepherding hearts will equip students academically and otherwise for college and, more importantly, to impact the world for Christ.

**Partnership.** We will come alongside parents in their primary role of training their child.

**Accountability.** The BRCA community is encouraged to be responsible, respectful and productive in their attitudes and actions.

## 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.
- 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 BRCA's mission, vision, purpose, core values, 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, Athletic Handbook, and any other handbook, which are periodically updated and available online or in the front office.
- We give permission for our child to travel to scheduled athletic and academic competitions.
- We will support BRCA by assisting with at least one (1) fundraiser a year.
- We give permission for photographs of our child to appear in school publications including, but not limited to, RenWeb, the web site, promotional media, brochures, and submissions to other entities such as magazines and newspapers, as well as other publicity which is generated by outside entities.
- BRCA 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 BRCA to contact the person listed in the emergency contact section of the application form and to follow their instructions if BRCA is unable to reach us.
- We agree to release and hold harmless BRCA, its agents, and employees from all claims, damages, or other liabilities that are not the result of gross negligence by BRCA, its agents, or employees.
- BRCA reserves the right to dismiss any student for lack of cooperation with school policies by the student, parent, and / or guardian, which may inhibit BRCA'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 and other handbooks, as applicable. 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 / administration 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

BRCA 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 BRCA. 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 BRCA computers may result in suspension or expulsion
- Conduct on the computer (Internet access, e-mail, etc.) is considered to fall under BRCA'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: \_\_\_\_\_

## 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

**Student Records Release Form**

My child was home schooled

To: Principal / Student Records Department

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

School Phone #: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

School Fax #: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Regarding:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Goes by

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Home Phone # (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_     DOB: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_     SSN# \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone # (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Please release records concerning this student to:

Blue Ridge Christian Academy

424 Highway 101

Landrum, SC 29356

Fax: 864-895-8797

Records should include, but are not limited to (applies to home schooled student as well):

- \* Academic transcripts
- \* Standardized test results
- \* Discipline records
- \* Medical records (Immunization Certificate or waiver, etc.)
- \* Birth Certificate
- \* Psychiatric records
- \* Psychological records
- \* Legal documentation concerning custody, guardianship, etc (if applicable)
- \* Other (such as notes regarding academic difficulties or interventions, etc)

As the parent or legal guardian of this student, I do hereby request and authorize you to forward copies of all records pertaining to above student to Blue Ridge Christian Academy upon receipt of this form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent / Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date