



PARENT-SCHOOL COVENANT

We at Veritas Christian Academy acknowledge that parents have the primary responsibility for *training up* their children and that VCA is an extension of that mandate.

As a parent/guardian, I believe that VCA should maintain a distinctively Biblical view of education and show evidence of that in all aspects of its operation.

Therefore, I agree:

1. With the Mission Statement, the Statement of Faith and the Educational Philosophy and Objective of the school (see handbook) and I am willing to have my child(ren) educated in accordance with them.
2. To participate in the Christian education of my child(ren) by regularly attending a Bible-believing church as a family and by exemplifying Christian principles in our home.
3. To actively support the authority, purpose, philosophy, objectives, policies, procedures, rules and discipline of the school as established by the School Board and to encourage my child(ren) to do so also.
4. To follow a scriptural approach for dealing with difficulties that involve my child(ren). I understand that I am to communicate with the teacher and Administrator in a spirit of mutual respect and love and not sow discord among uninvolved persons (Matthew 18:15-17).
5. To regularly pray for the needs of the school, my child(ren)'s teachers, and the school's leadership.
6. To pledge my cooperation in de-emphasizing doctrinal controversy and denominational differences.
7. To prayerfully consider volunteering time to support VCA activities and functions.
8. To attend parent meetings.
9. To promptly pay all tuition and fees, understanding that failing to do so may result in the delay of providing grade and transcript information and/or the suspension of my child(ren) from the school. In the event that collection agency fees or attorney fees are incurred by Veritas to collect debt, those costs will be the financial responsibility of the family.
10. To give permission for my child(ren) to participate in local field trips and activities which do not require vehicular transportation. I understand that permission will be requested for field trips that require fees and/or transportation.
11. To authorize VCA or its authorized representative to use and reproduce any and all videos and photographs taken of VCA students/family members for school literature, advertisement and promotional purposes without compensation. I understand that all copies, masters, negatives, positives and other related materials are the property of VCA.

Parent's Name (Please Print)

Parent's Signature

Date

VCA Representative's Name (Please Print)

VCA Representative's Signature

Date



PARENT-STUDENT HANDBOOK COMMITMENT

The Parent Student Handbook is designed to inform you of the details of how VCA functions. There is an obvious need for day-to-day regulations which will strengthen our relationship with one another. It is necessary for all students and parents to invest the time to become familiar with the contents of this manual before the school year begins.

Please sign below and return this form to Veritas Christian Academy.

I have read and understand the information contained within the Parent Student Handbook and agree to abide by the policies therein.

Parent's Name (Please Print) *Parent's Signature* *Date*

Student's Name (Please Print) *Student's Signature* *Date*



DRUG TESTING AGREEMENT

We give Veritas Christian Academy our permission to have the student named below tested for the use of a Controlled Dangerous Substance (CDS). This permission is given only in the event that there is a suspicion that the student may be under the influence of a CDS, and not for routine testing. Any testing may be administered without further consent or notification to the student and/or parent.

Violations of this policy may also result in random drug testing, per Veritas Christian procedures, at the expense of the student.

Parent's Name (Please Print)

Parent's Signature

Date

Student's Name (Please Print)

Student's Signature

Date



PERSONAL PROPERTY SEARCH

- The right of students as citizens to be free from unreasonable search shall be preserved in the school. As such, school officials shall proceed with extreme caution and on reasonable grounds for suspicion when engaging in the search of a student's person.
- In all cases of search, backpacks, on campus vehicles and/or person, the responsible school official shall have another staff person present during the search and will maintain an accurate written summary of the events surrounding the search incident.
- The Head Administrator or his/her designee is authorized to open Backpacks in the presence of another witness and to examine their contents to include personal belongings of students when such person has reasonable suspicion to believe that the contents threaten the safety, health, or welfare of any student or include property stolen from the school, school personnel, or other students.

I give my permission to have my child, his/her backpack and/or his/her personal vehicle searched upon suspicion of contents that threaten the safety, health, or welfare of any student or include property stolen from the school, school personnel, or other students.

Parent's Name (Please Print)

Parent's Signature

Date

Student's Name (Please Print)

Student's Signature

Date