

Walnut Creek Christian Academy
PARENT/STUDENT AGREEMENT AND PLEDGE OF SUPPORT

WCCA's educational mission and biblical role is to work in partnership with the home to provide Christian education designed to mold students to become Christ-like. To ensure the success of this cooperative endeavor, it is essential that both students and parents demonstrate active support of the school and its ministry.

For Parents/Guardians:

1. I have carefully examined and agree with the Christian purposes of WCCA and desire the school to work with me and my church in the total education of my child(ren). I understand my child will be taught according to the school's Educational Philosophy and will be encouraged to believe the tenets of the school's Statement of Faith. As the school seeks to partner with me to bring up my child "in the nurture and admonition of the Lord" (Ephesians 6:4), the objectives and policies of the school will receive my support and that of my child at and away from school. (Proverbs 22:6, Deuteronomy 11:18-21, Matthew 28:20, Philippians 2:2)
2. I pledge my loyalty to the aims and ideals of the school and will bring any concerns directly to those in authority by using the Matthew 18 principle. In order to promote a spirit of Christian unity, I agree that complaints shall not be brought to other parents, but with Christian love and prayer, I will register complaints with the appropriate teacher or administrator, following the chain of command (teacher, department chairperson, principal, school board). I further agree to model for my child support and respect for the ideals, staff, and faculty of the school. (I Thessalonians 5:14)
3. I will accept all rules and regulations of the school and authorize the school to administer such disciplinary measures as it, in its sole and final discretion, deems necessary and proper, up to and including suspension and/or dismissal. I understand that the school has the right to dismiss any student who does not meet the academic requirements or cooperate with the disciplinary standards or whose home demonstrates a lack of support or cooperation with the ministry and objectives of the school. (Hebrews 12:11, Proverbs 29:15, 17)
4. I agree that if any information not provided to WCCA at the time of application becomes known to the school after acceptance (e.g., prior disciplining, conduct, or other issues), and if such information would have rendered my child not acceptable to attend WCCA, I will withdraw my child immediately upon request.
5. I will give active support to the school's programs and be in regular attendance at school functions planned for parents.
6. I have read, understand, and will comply with the current **Statement of Financial Policies** and pledge to pay all tuition and fees on time. I understand that it is my responsibility to make arrangements for payment if my account is not current, and that failure to pay tuition is grounds for expulsion of my child. (Romans 13:8, James 5:4, Leviticus 19:13)

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7. I understand that each enrolled family is provided a **Parent-Student Handbook** that provides information about school policies and procedures. I agree to read the handbook, and I understand that a signed **Statement of Acceptance of Parent-Student Handbook** must be returned by the end of the second week of school in order for my child to continue in attendance.
8. In case of accident, illness, or other emergency, I request that the school contact me. If the school cannot reach a parent/guardian after conscientious effort, I give permission for school staff to call paramedics or any licensed physician or dentist. If a life-threatening emergency exists, I give permission for school staff to call paramedics immediately and then contact me as soon as possible thereafter. I authorize and consent to any X-ray examination, anesthetic, medical, dental, or surgical diagnosis or treatment, and hospital care which, in the best judgment of a licensed physician or dentist, is deemed advisable. I agree to assume the financial responsibility for expenses incurred as a result of those services being provided. I also agree to be financially responsible for emergency medical transportation. (See Annual Field Trip Release/Emergency Medical Form for additional details.)

By signing this agreement, I indicate my desire to have my child(ren) attend Walnut Creek Christian Academy. I understand that my student(s) and I will be expected to follow the school policies as outlined in the Parent-Student Handbook and outlined above. I understand and agree to all items as stated above. (Numbers 30:2, Deuteronomy 23:21)

Father's/Guardian's Signature	Date
Print name	
Mother's/Guardian's Signature	Date
Print Name	

For Students Entering Grades 5 – 8:

By signing this agreement, I indicate my desire to attend WCCA. I understand that I will be expected to understand and follow the school rules as outlined in the current Parent-Student Handbook.

Student Signature	Date
Student Signature	Date