

COLORADO WEST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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OFFICE USE ONLY

1. Date Application Received _____
2. Registration Fee Received _____
3. Interview Date _____
4. Interview Time _____
5. Accepted _____ Denied _____

SUBSEQUENT CHILD APPLICATION

Date _____

Name of Student _____ Sex _____ D.O.B. ___/___/___

Grade Entering _____

Home Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ Home Phone _____

Father (Male Guardian) Name _____

Vocation: _____ / _____ / _____
Place of Employment Position Phone #

Mother (Female Guardian) Name _____

Vocation: _____ / _____ / _____
Place of Employment Position Phone #

Other Phone Numbers _____

E-Mail Address _____

Parents' status (married, divorced, separated) _____ In the case of divorce or legal separation, is there a court order defining custody and/or visitation rights? If so, please provide the school with a copy of the order.

Names and ages of brothers and sisters:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Names and addresses of living grandparents:

_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____
Name	Address	City/State/Zip	Phone #
_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____ / _____	_____ / _____
Name	Address	City/State/Zip	Phone #

1. Please list schools previously and/or presently attended by student applicant, beginning with the most recent school.

<u>School</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City/State/Zip</u>
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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2. Colorado West Christian School is not staffed to handle students with severe learning disabilities or those who have trouble behaviorally. For your child's best interest, please be candid when you answer the following questions. Further elaboration of your answers may take place during an interview.

A. Has the student ever been referred for testing or placed in a special program? _____

B. Has the student received any other special help or tutoring? _____

C. Has the student ever repeated a grade for any reason? _____

D. Has the student received any special honors or awards for scholastic achievements? _____

E. Has the student ever been suspended, expelled, or received repeated discipline by a previous school?

_____ If so, explain briefly: _____

F. Has the student ever seen a counselor/doctor/psychiatrist for any type of social, behavioral, or mental problems? _____ If so, briefly state the nature of the problem: _____

G. Has the student ever been examined or treated by a counselor/doctor/psychiatrist for hyperactivity or attention deficit disorder (ADD or ADHD)? _____

H. Do you suspect or have you been told that your child might have dyslexia? _____

I. Has the student ever been involved in legal problems or been arrested? _____

3. Describe the student's involvement in church _____

4. **TO MAKE THIS APPLICATION COMPLETE, PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:**

A. a \$50.00 non-refundable application fee per student to be applied to the registration fee if the student is accepted;

B. a copy of the student's most recent standardized testing results (SAT, IBS, etc.);

C. a copy of the student's report card from the most recent quarter and from the previous school year.

IN ADDITION, FOR GRADES 6 AND ABOVE ONLY: A hand-written letter by the student is required explaining and relating the following:

1. why he wants to attend Colorado West Christian School;
2. why he believes that attendance at Colorado West Christian School will benefit him;
3. a brief testimony of his conversion and desire to follow God;
4. what is his current level of involvement in the local church;
5. what is his current relationship with his parents – willingness to be in subjection to parental authority, obedience to parental directives, how student's goals agree or disagree with parent's goals, etc.

After the school receives the **COMPLETED** application, we will contact you to arrange an interview. Ordinarily a diagnostic test will be necessary for all incoming students, sixth grade and above.

PARENT SIGNATURE

I certify that this application is correct to the best of my understanding. I recognize and understand my financial and time commitment to the school if my child is enrolled. I agree to faithfully meet my obligations to the school. I have read, have understood, and do agree to abide by the school's guidelines and policies that are set forth in the *Parent/Student Handbook*.

Both Parents and/or Guardians Should Sign:

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

COLORADO WEST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
STUDENT COVENANT
Grades 6 and Above

I voluntarily desire to be governed by the Holy Spirit and His continuing work of change in my life. I understand that Jesus is not only my Savior, but has rightful position of lordship in my life. I have surrendered to His lordship and will abide by the school's *Parent/Student Handbook* in covenant agreement with my teachers, parents, and fellow students. Please initial each item indicating your understanding and agreement and sign at the bottom of the form.

ATTITUDE (Guard you heart, for out of it flow the issues of life.)

- _____ 1. I understand that it is God's plan for me to be continually conformed to the image of His Son Jesus, and that this conformity is not merely external (i.e., in my actions) but proceeds from an internal change of heart.
- _____ 2. I will maintain a submissive and teachable attitude toward God, my teachers, and any other individual in authority over me.
- _____ 3. It is my desire to have the character of Jesus formed in me and the fruits of the indwelling of the Holy Spirit evident in my life. To this end, I will endeavor to receive correction, reproof, and instruction humbly.
- _____ 4. I purpose in my heart to walk in love with my fellow students speaking those words which edify and refraining my tongue from slander, gossip, profane speech, and other hurtful speech.

ACTIONS

- _____ 1. I will obey those in authority, keeping the standards of the school in order, dress, property, attendance, punctuality, discipline, and speech.
- _____ 2. I will abide by the academic policies of the school by applying myself diligently to my studies and showing responsibility for homework assignments.
- _____ 3. I will cooperate with fellow students in showing kindness and in being supportive of Colorado West Christian School.
- _____ 4. I will respect the internal property of conscience in opinions of others as well as the physical property of the school, church, and other's possessions.

Student's Signature / _____
Date

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**Supplemental High School Application/Agreement
Grades 9 – 12**

Student's Name _____ Grade Applying For _____

Last School Attended (with contact information):

Month/Year of Anticipated Graduation _____/_____

The following items must accompany this application in order for it to be considered:

1. an official transcript of high school credits earned (or a copy of eighth grade report card if student has not entered high school):
2. a recommendation letter from a teacher who has taught the student within the past twelve months including comments regarding academic performance and ability, attitude, personal responsibility, ability to work independently, and conduct.

We, the undersigned parent/guardian and student, understand that the high school program at CWCS is non-traditional, using primarily self-study materials under the direction of a monitor along with some teacher-directed courses. We recognize that for a student to be successful in this program that the student must have a developed sense of personal responsibility and an ability to work independently. We understand that misconduct of any nature and/or neglect of studies is unacceptable and that dismissal from the high school program may take place at any time upon the agreement of the school administrator and the high school program coordinator. Appeal of dismissal may be made in writing to the CWCS School Board. It is also agreed and understood that dismissal from the program by the school or voluntary withdrawal from the school does not absolve the financial obligations incurred for whatever current semester is underway. We understand the necessity of abiding by all rules and regulations of the Parent/Student Handbook and any supplementary rules and regulations whether written or verbally given to the parent/guardian and/or student.

Signatures:

Parent/Guardian

Student

Date

Date

**COLORADO WEST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
EMERGENCY INFORMATION AND RELEASE**

Student's Name _____ Birth Date _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____

Father's Work Phone _____

Mother's Work Phone _____

Neighbor or relative (other than parents) to call in case of emergency:

_____ Phone _____

_____ Phone _____

Child's Physician _____ Phone _____

List any medical conditions of which the school should be aware: _____

List any medication your child is currently taking: _____

List any allergies your child has: _____

Permission is granted for my child to receive Tylenol if in the judgment of the school such medication is warranted. My child may receive Tylenol.

Parent's Signature

EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION:

In an emergency, I request the school first to attempt to contact the parents, but if a parent cannot be reached, I authorize the school to make such arrangements as seem necessary. I also authorize the hospital and physician to perform necessary procedures. I understand that the cost of medical care and ambulance service are the responsibilities of the parents.

Parent's Signature _____

Date _____

Internet Acceptable Use Policy (05-08)

Colorado West Christian School believes that the Internet has much to offer students with its wide variety of resources. It is our goal to educate students about efficient, ethical, and appropriate use of those resources. Within the context of our mission statement as a school, the Internet connection will be used to meet the goals in our curriculum. Specifically, students will have the opportunity to enhance their learning through:

1. a wealth of additional resources for reference and research;
2. consulting with experts in a variety of fields;
3. learning to conduct searches, evaluate resources, and locate relevant material;
4. and interacting with up-to-date primary sources.

In order to assist students in learning to use the Internet correctly, the school will do everything that it can to insure that students access the resources appropriately including providing:

1. a reliable connection that is protected by filtering software; (Filtering is intended to block sites that are objectionable for content, language, or a variety of other things that the school has defined as inappropriate, such as releasing personal information.)
2. supervision of students while they are using the Internet;
3. training for students that clearly spells out what is appropriate and what is inappropriate. (Students will be given general instruction about what is available on the Internet and how they can find what they are looking for through searches, how to save, and how to print.)

Only students who have a signed agreement (by both student and parent/guardian) will be allowed to use the Internet independently. Expectations for the student will be clearly spelled out, and students will be aware of what constitutes a violation.

Note: Occasionally, whole classes with their teachers will use the Internet as one of many tools in the research process. If the student does not have a signed agreement, he may request the information from the teacher or other staff as time and opportunity permit.

It is to be understood that Internet access for students is a privilege, not a right.

All users of the Internet will agree to adhere to the following Code of Ethics:

I will strive to act in all situations with honesty, integrity, and respect for the rights of others and to help others to behave in a similar fashion. I will make a conscious effort to be a good testimony to my fellow students, faculty members, and others with whom I communicate on the Internet. I agree to follow Colorado West Christian School's rules. I will strive to apply Philippians 4:8 to my electronic communication: "Finally brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things."

The Internet user is held responsible for his actions when using the Internet and any action done under his login name. A student **MUST** be logged in to the computer under his own name to access the Internet. **Unacceptable uses of the network will result in the suspension or revocation of these privileges.** Some examples of unacceptable use are:

1. using the network for any illegal activity;
2. using the network for accessing any pornographic or otherwise inappropriate sites;
3. using the network for financial gain or initiating any financial transactions;
4. degrading or disrupting the equipment or system performance; (Any security problem must be reported to the technology coordinator and not shared with other users.)
5. accessing or vandalizing the data of another user, or using the login of another user—with or without that user's permission;
6. wastefully using finite resources, after being warned and instructed as to proper use;
7. gaining unauthorized access to resources, including attempting to get around the filter installed on a computer with Internet access;
8. invading the privacy of individuals including reading mail that belongs to others without their permission;
9. posting personal communications without the author's consent or posting information containing information not meant to be made public;
10. posting rude or inappropriate messages;
11. downloading viruses or attempting to avoid virus protection programs;
12. violating the spirit of the Colorado West Christian School's Mission Statement;
13. writing/sending any type of chat or instant messaging or personal e-mail; (School projects can be sent to and from home with the approval and supervision of the teacher.)
14. obligating CWCS in any way—financial or otherwise;
15. disclosing personal information to websites or people through the Internet; (This prohibition includes requesting magazines, catalogs, etc.)
16. using of resources in any inappropriate manner resulting in plagiarism.

The Internet user and his parents must understand that he uses the Internet at his own risk. Considering the provisions mentioned above, CWCS cannot assume responsibility for :

1. the reliability of the content of a source received by a user; (Students must evaluate and cite sources appropriately;
2. costs that the students incur if they request a product or service for a fee;
3. any consequences of disruption in service that may result in lack of resources; (Though every effort will be made to insure a reliable connection, there may be times when the Internet service is down or scheduled for use by teachers, classes, or other students.)
4. privacy of electronic communications. (The administration reserves the right to investigate possible misuses and to monitor any communication that comes through CWCS's computers.

By signing the consent and wavier form attached, the student agrees to abide by these restrictions. The student and parent or guardian must sign after they have discussed these rights and responsibilities together.

Colorado West Christian School
Internet Acceptable Use Policy
Consent and Waiver Form
(04-08)

Student Section (All students applying for admission must complete.)

I have read the Internet Acceptable Use Policy. I agree to follow the rules contained in this policy. I understand that I will be held responsible for my actions when using the Internet and any action done under my login name. I know I MUST be logged in under my name to access the Internet and that all Internet activity will be monitored. I understand that if I violate the rules, my privileges can be terminated and I may face other disciplinary measures. I agree to use the Internet according to the directives contained the Internet Acceptable Use Policy.

Student's Name (please print) _____

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Section (*It is understood that for all students, whether or not the student is capable of understanding the material in the Internet Acceptable Use Policy, the parent's signature shall be deemed valid in behalf of the student.*)

As a parent or legal guardian of the student signing above, I have read the Internet Acceptable Use Policy and grant permission for my child to access the Internet. I understand that the school's computing resources are designed for educational purposes. I also understand that there is unacceptable and controversial material on the Internet that might be accessed despite all the precautions. I understand that my child will be held liable for violations of this policy.

I understand that the Internet user is held responsible for his actions when using the Internet and any action done under his login name. I understand that a student MUST be logged in under their own name to access the Internet and that all Internet activity will be monitored.

Parent's/Guardian's Name (please print) _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

**Colorado West Christian School
Public and Private Media Release Form
(04-08)**

From time to time throughout the school year, reporters from the media will want to photograph and/or film and/or report activities in which students are participating. Your child could be considered for inclusion either in a photograph or film or report. We need your permission to allow this to occur. In addition school web pages are used to demonstrate student learning and inform parents and the public of school initiatives and activities. Permission is required to display photographs or work of a student. Staff, teachers and students will endeavor to withhold personal information including full names, physical addresses and email addresses.

I/we understand that there are inherent risks associated with posting information in either public (newspapers, television, radio, etc.) or private (web pages, advertisements, etc.) media. I/we grant permission for my/our child's work or photograph to be included in both public and private media.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____

Date _____

I/we ***DO NOT*** grant permission for my child's work or photograph to be included in either public or private media.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____

Date _____