



# CHRISTIAN HERITAGE ACADEMY UPPER SCHOOL

## Student and Parent Expectations

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name Full Middle Name

### Student Response

Having read the Student and Parent Expectations printed on the reverse side of this form, and desiring to grow in my faith while becoming prepared for college and a life of service, I affirm that: (Check each box as appropriate)

- I have accepted and continue to acknowledge Jesus Christ as my personal Lord and Savior.
- I don't know Jesus Christ as my personal Lord and Savior yet, but I desire to grow in my understanding.
- I will be regularly and actively involved in the life of a Bible-believing church.
- I have and will continue to demonstrate a pattern of positive influence on peers and a perceptible pattern of choosing good influences (whether it is people, music, movies, etc.) for myself.
- I have demonstrated (through report cards, teacher and pastor recommendations, standardized test scores, and a pattern of effort) academic readiness for the college preparatory curriculum at CHA Upper School.
- I believe I am sufficiently mature to function appropriately in our school culture. I will demonstrate self-control, respectful behavior and a proper sense of decorum as basic expectations of myself.
- I have demonstrated through past performance a pattern of excellence in effort. If this pattern has not been consistent, my family and I have a plan to address any deficiencies.
- Apart from my parents' desire, I want to be a student at CHA Upper School in order to grow spiritually, academically, socially and physically for the ultimate purpose of using my life and gifts to honor God.
- I understand and am in agreement with the philosophy of CHA Upper School as outlined in this Admissions brochure.

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Student's Signature Date

### Parent Response

Having read the Student and Parent Expectations printed on the reverse side of this form, believing that CHA Upper School is in partnership with the Christian home and church, we the parents affirm that: (Check each box as appropriate)

- We have accepted and continue to acknowledge Jesus Christ as our personal Lord and Savior.
- If only one parent is able to make this affirmation, both parents with authority for the child's education agree not to oppose the biblical teaching and guiding principles of the school.
- We have read and agree with the statement of faith of the school, and agree to have our child educated in accordance therewith.
- We are and will remain in regular attendance and active fellowship with a Bible-believing church. Specifically, we will nurture our child's regular involvement in the local church.
- We commit to take an active role in the ongoing education of our child.
- We commit to support the school and our child in prayer and follow biblical principles of communication (Matthew 18).
- We give the school authority to discipline our child within the bounds of the discipline policy.
- We agree to meet all tuition and other financial obligations.
- We understand and are in agreement with the philosophy of CHA Upper School as outlined in this Admissions brochure.

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Father's Signature Date Mother's Signature Date

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**Student and Parent Expectations (*Continued*)**

CHA Upper School is unique from other schools in the surrounding area in that it strives to follow and imitate Jesus Christ in every aspect of its community life through:

- 1. Loving God as prescribed by Jesus Christ.** The hallmark of CHA is to follow Christ and to love the LORD our God with all our soul and with all our strength and with all our mind. This is our primary purpose and supports our mission to develop lifetime followers of Jesus Christ. We hold to this highest standard by honoring God in everything we do. We expect and will encourage and support members in our community to study God's Word, to maintain an active prayer life, and to worship together. Our hope is that all of us will enhance our lives through an ongoing and deeper relationship with our Lord and our Savior.
- 2. Loving your neighbor as yourself.** We live in a world centered on self, self-protection and self-aggrandizement. At CHA we strive to encourage and support all to move beyond self and to follow Christ. As Jesus Christ has shown us, we seek to develop a servant's heart and to respond to the suffering in others by helping them draw near to God. How we treat and care for others reflects how we care for Christ. Our goal is that all will develop a servant heart and leadership qualities of Christ through seeking His truth that reveals falsehood and hypocrisy.
- 3. Living by the Spirit.** All schools maintain a code of conduct and CHA will also maintain a commensurate code of conduct. However, at CHA, we strive to move beyond the law and to live by the Spirit of God. Scriptures teach that when we do live by the Spirit, we move beyond our sinful nature. At CHA we will encourage, instruct, and support all to live by the Spirit in love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Although these are high standards, we will do our best and trust God to accomplish His work in our lives so as to have a lifelong, and eternal impact.

Christian Heritage Academy Upper School is unique and may not be for all students and families, but we look for those students who are seeking a growing, authentic relationship with Christ. If you have such a desire to follow Christ and His teachings, we will do all we can to promote, support, and encourage your development in becoming a lifetime follower of Christ. If you believe CHA Upper School is a philosophical match and you desire a partnership, please carefully review the respective student and parent expectations printed on the front page. Be prepared to discuss and sign this document at the interview with the Principal.