



**Family Partnership
Agreement**

Family Name (print) _____

Financial Agreement:

I agree that, if my tuition and fees account is delinquent, I will pay all collection costs and understand that my student(s) records (including report cards and transcripts) will be held until my account is paid in full. In the event of a dispute between the parent(s) and Westminster Christian School arising from or related to the payment or non-payment of tuition or fees that cannot be resolved within thirty (30) days from notice from one party to the other party, said dispute shall be resolved by legally binding arbitration, in accordance with the then current Rules of Procedure for Christian Conciliation of the Institute for Christian Conciliation. Judgment upon an arbitration decision may be entered in any court otherwise having jurisdiction. The parents and WCS understand that this arbitration process shall be the sole and exclusive remedy for any such tuition or fee dispute and expressly waive their right to file a lawsuit in any civil court against one another for such dispute, except to enforce an arbitration decision. Any costs incurred in arbitration shall be paid equally by the parties.

I understand and accept the terms of the Financial Agreement

Internet Acceptable Use Policy:

PARENTS: I have read the Internet Acceptable Use Policy as located in the Westminster Parent/Student Handbook. I give my student permission to use the school provided internet service. I agree that my student shall follow the guidelines outlined above, and if my child abuses the internet access privileges, permission to use the service will be suspended or revoked as determined by administration. In cases of serious abuse, which is deemed intentional, or in cases of ongoing abuse, disciplinary action may be taken by the administration of the school.

I understand and accept the terms of the Internet Acceptable Use Policy for my student(s)

STUDENTS: I have read the Internet Acceptable Use Policy as established by Westminster Christian School. As a student of Westminster Christian School, I agree to abide by the Internet Acceptable Use Policy as outlined. I understand that if I abuse this privilege, my permission to access the school provided internet service shall be suspended or revoked for a period of time as determined by administration. In cases of serious abuse, which is deemed intentional, or in cases of ongoing abuse, disciplinary action may be taken by the administration of the school.

Please have student(s) initial below to acknowledge understanding and acceptance of the Internet Acceptable Use Policy.

<i>Student's Name (printed)</i>	<i>Initials</i>	<i>Student's Name (printed)</i>	<i>Initials</i>
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Parent/Student Handbook:

In partnership with Westminster Christian School, I have read and understand the contents of the Westminster Christian School Parent/Student Handbook and will support the policies and procedures as a member of this community as well as share in the responsibility of communicating all of the expectations to my child(ren). I affirm that if I have questions or concerns about any part of the handbook, I will address my concerns and questions to the appropriate staff member. Finally, I commit to abide by the procedures and policies in the handbook and will support the staff and administration of the school.

I agree

Faith and Lifestyle Commitment:

I am an active member/participant in my church and I attend regularly. I agree that, as the school seeks to serve the children of believing parents, they require that at least one parent or guardian maintain a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, living a lifestyle consistent with the biblical beliefs as expressed in the Parent/Student Handbook and summarized on the back of this document.

I agree

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

STATEMENT OF FAITH

A strong school/parent relationship built upon key essential truths of the faith will provide unique strength and blessing for students. While there are differences among evangelical churches over details within the interpretation of doctrines, we believe there are essential beliefs that every believer in Jesus Christ must share. The following irreducible essentials of the faith must be affirmed and believed by Westminster Christian School parents:

- God is Holy, pure, and perfect, yet also passionately pursues broken people to love them with a love they have not earned. He is the one true good Father.
- The Bible is the inspired and inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice.
- There is one God, eternal and self-existing in three persons (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit) who are to be equally loved, honored, and adored.
- All mankind participated in Adam's fall from his original sinless state and is thus lost in sin and totally helpless.
- All mankind is still made in the image of God, so we are noble, beautiful, and good while at the same time; we are broken in every aspect of our being.
- Since the Fall, God has been actively at work redeeming His creation. In the incarnation, life, death, and resurrection of his son, Jesus Christ, God has declared, secured, and continued the restoration of all things in His Kingdom.
- God, through His Holy Spirit, for no other reason than His own unfathomable love and mercy, saves lost sinners through the atoning death and resurrection of His Son, Jesus Christ.
- Justification (being made right with God) is by faith alone. Through this faith, the undeserving sinner is clothed with the righteousness of Christ.
- The goal of God's salvation is that we would be adopted as His children, set free, and empowered to a life of repentance, obedience, and reliance on the Holy Spirit who works to transform us and restore the image of God in us.
- Baptism is a sign of God's covenant with His people. A covenant, most simply stated, is God's commitment of promise and grace to His people that establishes a beneficial relationship involving both privileges and obligations.
- Jesus Christ will return to earth, visibly and bodily, at a time when He is not expected, to restore all things and bring fulfillment.
- The Gospel of God's salvation in Jesus Christ is to be shared with all people and all nations by all Christians.
- As Christians, we are not only to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength but also love our neighbor as our self. Thus, we are to care about and help those in physical, mental, social, and moral need.

KEY SOCIAL ISSUES – OUR BELIEF

We believe every area of life must be evaluated and understood through the lens of Scripture as affirmed in the Statement of Faith portion of this handbook. No cultural movement or societal standard can remove God's authority or Truth. There are key social issues that Westminster has taken a definitive stand and are non-negotiable based upon our understanding of what the Bible teaches. These include the following:

- Man is made in the image of God; defending and supporting the sanctity of human life, beginning at conception, is imperative.
- Marriage is to be defined as a bond between one man and one woman only.
- Premarital, extramarital or homosexual activity and relationships are not acceptable.
- God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God. It is not acceptable to reject one's biological sex as it is a rejection of the image of God within that person.

If you do not agree with our religious mission and beliefs, we believe enrolling your child in our school will likely cause him or her confusion. The internal conflict could drive a wedge between you and your child or force your child to choose between our teaching and what he or she learns at home. We respect your desire to place your child in the best possible learning environment, but if you are not in full agreement with our perspective, it will not be in the best interest of home or school. Therefore, if your beliefs or lifestyle, as expressed by word or deed, are not in keeping with our stance on these issues, Westminster Christian School reserves the right to deny enrollment at any time.