



Application for Enrolment

Thank you for your interest in enrolling in our elementary school! The application process has four parts.

Part 1

Please submit this Application for Enrolment Form, related reports and fees. This includes:

- Application Form
- Pastoral Reference Form
- Community Positional Statements
- Society Membership Form
- Recent Report Cards
- Individual Education Plans, Student Learning Profiles or Behavioural Plans (if applicable)
- Professional Reports e.g., Psycho-Ed, Pediatrician, Speech, Occupational Therapist, Health-related, etc. (if applicable)
- A one-time non-refundable \$150 application fee (paid via e-transfer to: bookkeeper@cambridgechristianschool.com or by cash/cheque)

Please complete all necessary forms and email to office@cambridgechristianschool.com or drop off a copy of all forms to the school during business hours.

Part 2

Those who successfully complete the application forms and submit the necessary reports will be invited to an interview with the principal and/or vice principal. We hope to hear about:

- your desire for Christian education,
- your faith in Jesus Christ, and
- the child(ren) that God has blessed you with.

Interviews are 20-30 minutes in length and one or both parents may come. We ask that children do not attend the meeting so that we can give our full attention to the interview. Parents who have successfully completed an interview for enrolment at CCS Preschool do not need a second interview.

Part 3

Those who have met our admission criteria will be invited to continue the process by sending their child(ren) to spend a day (half day for Kindergarten) at the school. Throughout the day they will do a variety of lessons, enjoy lunch and recess times, and complete any necessary placement testing.

Part 4

Enrolment is subject to availability in classrooms. The CCS Admissions Committee will review:

1. the application forms and placement testing,
2. current enrolment and projected class sizes, and
3. current and projected academic/behavioural support requirements.

Based on this analysis, the CCS Admissions Committee will determine whether:

1. a family will be admitted,
2. a family will be placed on a waiting list, or
3. admission cannot be granted.



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Parent or Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian

Father

Mother

Full Name

Mailing Address

Telephone

Email Address

Occupation

Residency Status

Canadian Citizen or Landed
Immigrant or Other

Church Affiliation Information:

Name of Church

Denomination

Address/Telephone

Pastor's Name

Pastor's Email

Briefly describe your family's
involvement in the church

Current School (if applicable):

Name of school/preschool/daycare your child(ren) are presently attending:

If necessary, may we contact these schools for more information?

YES

NO

JK/SK Program Choice

My program choice is (choose one option):

- 2 days per week -- JK, Tuesday and Thursday, Full Days
- 3 days per week -- JK or SK - Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Full Days
- 5 days per week – JK or SK – Monday through Friday, Full Days

Eagles' Nest Christian Preschool

We have a preschool program that operates several mornings a week (dependent upon enrolment).

our family is interested in preschool

our family is NOT interested in preschool.

If yes, please check the day(s) of the week you would like your child to attend preschool.

Note: the mornings that preschool will operate is dependent on the number of registrations received per morning.

Monday AM

Tuesday AM

Wednesday AM

Thursday AM

Friday AM

Preschool application packages can be obtained at the school office.

Busing

We have buses that serve parts of Cambridge and the surrounding areas. Please be aware that we cannot guarantee meeting all busing requests as our routes are limited.

YES, our family is interested in busing.

NO, our family is NOT interested in busing.

Additional Reports

Please include the following reports:

Recent Report Cards

Individual Education Plans, Student Learning Profiles or Behavioural Plans (if applicable)

Professional Reports e.g., Psycho-Ed, Pediatrician, Speech, Occupational Therapist, Health-related, etc. (if applicable)

Student Information

Please answer the following questions for each child who would be entering JK to Grade 8 for the first time at Cambridge Christian School.

	Child One	Child Two	Child Three	Child Four
First and Last Name				
Age				
Birth date				
Male or Female				
Current Grade				
Allergies/Health concerns/Prescribed medications				
What are your child's interests? (can be favourite activities inside or outside of school)				
What is a favourite Bible Story or verse of your child?				
Please describe your child's experience with school, daycare, Sunday School, etc. What does your child like about these structured environments?				
Is there anything that your child has not liked about school/daycare?				

<p>Please tell us about your child's temperament by noting the best three or four descriptors. You can choose from this list:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="110 281 370 646"> <tr><td>self confident</td><td>independent</td></tr> <tr><td>seeks routine</td><td>rule follower</td></tr> <tr><td>conscientious</td><td>thoughtful</td></tr> <tr><td>lively</td><td>easy going</td></tr> <tr><td>talkative</td><td>outgoing</td></tr> <tr><td>impulsive</td><td>controlled</td></tr> <tr><td>anxious</td><td>organized</td></tr> <tr><td>sensitive</td><td>active</td></tr> <tr><td>timid</td><td>leader</td></tr> <tr><td>careful</td><td>calm</td></tr> <tr><td>passive</td><td>quiet</td></tr> <tr><td>moody</td><td></td></tr> </table>	self confident	independent	seeks routine	rule follower	conscientious	thoughtful	lively	easy going	talkative	outgoing	impulsive	controlled	anxious	organized	sensitive	active	timid	leader	careful	calm	passive	quiet	moody					
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<p>Does your child have any delays/impairments in regard to sight, hearing, speech, etc? Please explain.</p>																												
<p>Describe any academic, behavioural or environmental/physical supports your child currently receives (e.g. one-on-one with an EA/PSW, resource withdrawal, OT/Speech, etc.). If you anticipate your child will need support, please note here.</p>																												
<p>Has your child ever been suspended/ expelled from school or exhibited behaviours that warranted contact from the school office? If yes, please provide details.</p>																												
<p>Please identify any fostering, adoptive or custodial arrangements for your child. If yes, please provide details</p>																												

Please complete the next section for any students entering JK or SK

Looks at books/pretends to read books on their own				
Can listen/focus on a 5-10 minute storybook				
Talks in clearly understood sentences				
Follows one and two-step oral directions				
Is able to dress self				
Tries to regulate emotions properly and articulate feelings rather than throwing a tantrum				
Uses words to solve problems or conflicts rather than physical aggression				
Takes responsibility for belongings (lunch, coat, etc.)				
Participates in clean-up activities				
Adheres to a routine and schedule for personal hygiene, eating meals and going to bed				
Uses appropriate bathroom skills (toilet trained)				
Accepts routines and directions from adults				
Shares and cooperates with others				
Accepts consequences for behaviour				



Community Positional Statements

The Cambridge Christian School Community Positional Statements are based on the Articles, the Corporation's Guiding Principles, Christian Basis and Related Statements as found in Bylaw 2022-1.

A. Guiding Principles to the Operation of the School

- i. As set out in the Articles, the purpose of the Corporation is to establish and maintain a school or schools for the training and education of students in learning in all its branches recognizing that the supreme standard of education is the Scripture of the Old and New Testaments; and to do so in any and all elementary school subjects up to and including Grade Eight authorized for study by the Corporation. Such daily instruction is to be in accordance with the Corporation's Christian Basis and related statements and guidelines, and directed toward the end that these children may occupy their places worthily in society, church, and state.
- ii. God, in His infinite wisdom, has appointed the parents to be responsible for the training of the child(ren) to the end that God and His glory should be central and supreme in life's total experience.
- iii. Such training of the child(ren) shall be continued in a school that carries out the basic God-honouring, Christ-centred program begun in the home under the parents' responsible supervision.
- iv. The school is not an ecclesiastical body, nor is it subject to any ecclesiastical organization. It is committed to the infallible Biblical world and life view. The education principles must be distinctively Biblical in emphasis and character.

B. Christian Basis of the Corporation ("Basis")

Preamble: In humble awareness of our dependence upon the Triune God, Who called all things into being to His own glory and proclaimed to men, after they had transgressed His Law, His forgiving love through His Son, Jesus Christ, we do, out of gratitude for His favour and in conformity with His requirement, that we consecrate ourselves and all things to Him, establish and maintain the Corporation for the promotion of Biblically directed education. To this end we beseech of Him that He grant us both now and in the future, men and women equipped for our task with the means to enable them to do this work, and that He always bless our Corporation to His honour and to the salvation of His people in order that they may be a blessing to our community.

The Christian Basis of the Corporation is the following confessions:

- i. Bible: We believe the Bible to be the complete Word of God; that the sixty-six books, as originally written, comprising the Old and New Testaments, were verbally inspired by the Spirit of God and were entirely free from error; that the Bible is the final authority in all matters of faith and practice and the only true basis of Christian unity.
- ii. God: We believe in one God, Creator of all, holy, sovereign, eternal, existing in three equal Persons – the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. This only living and true God has revealed Himself in the Holy Scriptures.
- iii. Christ: We believe in the absolute and essential deity of Jesus Christ, His eternal existence with the Father in the preincarnate glory, His virgin birth, sinless life, substitutionary death, bodily resurrection, triumphant ascension, mediatorial ministry, and personal return.
- iv. The Holy Spirit: We believe in the absolute and essential deity and personality of the Holy Spirit, Who convinces of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment; and who regenerates, sanctifies, illuminates, and comforts those who believe in Jesus Christ. We believe in the Spirit-filled life, but reject that speaking in tongues is the evidence.
- v. Man: We believe that man was divinely created in the image of God, that man in the Garden of Eden was tempted by Satan, the archenemy of God and His people; that man yielded to this temptation; that he by this sin became guilty before God, totally depraved, thereby incurring physical and spiritual death. We believe in the doctrine of Creation as revealed in Genesis and other Scriptures and reject the theory of evolution.
- vi. Salvation: We believe that salvation is by the sovereign, electing grace of God; that by the appointment of the Father, Christ voluntarily suffered a vicarious expiatory and propitiatory death; that justification is by faith alone in the all-sufficient sacrifice and resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ and that those whom God has effectually called shall be divinely preserved and finally perfected in the image of the Lord.
- vii. Christian Behaviour: We believe that for our moral or ethical life we must be guided by the Ten Commandments (Exodus 20) and all that the Lord has revealed in the Bible concerning morals.

C. Related Statements Regarding Marriage and Gender

Consistent with its long-standing charitable and legal purposes, the Christian Basis and Guiding Principles of the Corporation, the Corporation's related statements regarding marriage and gender are as follows:

- i. We believe that God has created two sexes, male and female, and that gender identity will be consistent with one's biological sex at birth. (Genesis 1:27, "So God created mankind in His own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female He created them.")
- ii. We believe marriage is an institution ordained by God. It is a life-long covenant relationship established by mutual vows between a man and a woman united by God. (Matthew 19:4- 6: "Haven't you read," He replied, "that at the beginning the Creator 'made them male and female,' and said, 'For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh'? So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate.")
- iii. We believe that sexual intimacy is a gift from God which is to be expressed solely within the parameters of a marriage covenant between a man and a woman. (Hebrews 13:4a, "Marriage should be honoured by all, and the marriage bed kept pure.")

I will uphold, comply with and carry out the Articles, the Guiding Principles, Christian Basis and Related Statements of the Cambridge Christian School Society as stated in our Bylaw. I am a follower of Christ, profess Jesus as my Saviour and Lord, and am an active member or adherent of a local Christian Church. I do not participate in a practice that would be considered illegal or immoral, or inconsistent with our Bylaw.

Name(s):

Date:

Signature (s)



Society Membership (Parent) Application Form

What is the CCS Society?

- A non-profit organization that governs the activities and policies of CCS, responsible for decision making through voting privileges.
- A community of Christian supporters, dedicated to promoting the vision and mission of CCS through prayer, volunteering, and through financial support.

Why become a Member?

- You can help parents in Cambridge as they seek to raise their children in the Lord.
- You are eligible to vote at membership meetings, serve on committees and on the Board of Directors.
- Have a direct impact on policy decision making through your voting privileges.

Next Steps

- Read through the Community Positional Statements and acknowledge your commitment to uphold, comply with and carry out the Articles, the Guiding Principles, Christian Basis and Related Statements of the Cambridge Christian School Society as stated in our Bylaw.
- Consider membership as a valuable aspect of your experience in the CCS Community!

Parent/Guardian

Father

Mother

Full Name

Mailing Address

Telephone

Email Address

I/We wish to support the mission and vision of CCS through membership in the CCS Society.

1 Parent Member	\$20
2 Parent Members (couple)	\$40

Total \$

*Society Membership fees for CCS parents are paid annually with your tuition contract in June.
Annual membership is from January to December and fees are fully tax deductible.
Tax receipts will be issued in February for donations of \$10 or more.*

For Office Use Only

The above applicant(s) approved as member(s) of the Cambridge Christian School Society by a resolution of the Board of Directors on:

Date:

Board Secretary Signature: