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Praise Academy

"Growing Disciples to Make Disciples through Christian Education"

(Matthew 28:19; Luke 2:52)

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NEW STUDENT APPLICATION

Student Information

Date Enrolling: _____ Social Security No: _____ - _____ - _____ Grade Entering: _____

Applicant's Name: _____
(last name) (first) (middle) (name called)

Address: _____
(street)

(city) / (county) / (state) / (zip code) (home phone no.)

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Age: ____ Place of Birth : ____ / ____ / ____
(city) (county) (state)

Sex: M (____) F (____) Race: ____ # Siblings _____

Family Information

Father's Name: _____ Email: _____

Father's Employer: _____ Occupation/Title: _____

Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Email: _____

Mother's Employer: _____ Occupation/Title: _____

Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Student Resides with: ____ Father ____ Mother ____ Stepfather ____ Stepmother ____ Guardian

Please provide following information only if any additional parent addresses other than the students primary residence (legal guardian) will require school correspondence

Name: _____ Relation: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation/Title: _____

Other children living at home: _____
(name) (age) (name) (age)

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Contact Information

Persons other than parent who can be contacted in case of emergency: required

(name) (relationship) (home phone) (work phone)

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Church Information

Christian experiences: father saved _____ mother saved _____ student saved _____

Church parents attend: _____ Denomination _____

Address: _____ Phone No. _____

Attendance: every week _____ fairly regularly _____ seldom _____

Church student attends if different: _____ Denomination _____

Address: _____ Phone No. _____

Attendance: every week _____ fairly regularly _____ seldom _____

What other church services, religious meetings or seminars does your child attend regularly? (ex: summer camps, children or youth groups.) _____

Academic / Discipline Information

Why do you want your child to attend to Praise Academy? _____

School student is now attending, or last attended: _____ Grade: _____

Is there any specific information you might share with us that would aid in understanding your child, and his particular needs: (i.e. strengths and weaknesses) _____

Has your child repeated a grade before? _____ If yes, what grade? _____

Was your child given a battery of tests for any reason other than normal academic testing?

() Yes () No If so, by whom? _____

Do you know the name of the tests that were administered by the above? _____ If yes, please name them _____

In which of the following subjects is your child strongest?

Math _____ Reading _____ Social Studies _____ Language arts _____ Science _____

Which of the following subjects give your child the most difficulty?

Math _____ Reading _____ Social Studies _____ Language arts _____ Science _____

Has your child ever been suspended or expelled from school? _____ If so, for what reason: _____

How do you discipline your child? What methods do you use at home? _____

List any special talents, interests, or hobbies of your child: _____

Transportation Information

Persons NOT approved to pick up your child: _____

Persons approved to pick up your child: _____

Student's driving to school must turn in a copy of their license and auto insurance card in the office.

Student drivers license # _____ insurance # _____

Medical Information

Is student currently on medication? _____ If so, please explain: _____

Name and address of student's physician: _____

Phone No. _____

Name and address of student's dentist: _____

Phone No. _____

Please list any medical problems of which we need to be aware of: (ex. diabetes, epilepsy, sight/hearing problems, allergy to bees, allergic to any medication) _____

I give permission for _____ to take _____ Tylenol _____ Advil _____ Benadryl

_____ I do want to be contacted before my child takes any medicine.

_____ I do not want to be contacted before my child takes any medicine.

Parent / Guardian Signature _____

Georgia Law requires a certificate immunization to be completed by your doctor or the Health Department before a student enrolls in school. Students may not attend Praise Academy without a birth certificate and certificate of immunization on file in the school office.

Field Trip Information

Occasionally, classes will take field trips for concept reinforcement. I hereby give permission for my child to take field trips throughout the year. (Parents will be notified before each field trip). I release Total Learning Center, Inc. and all faculty/staff members from all liability for any accident or injury involving my child for the duration of such trips.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Corporal Punishment

I/We understand that all discipline will be administered in love and care. Corporal punishment will be used only after all other measures have been exhausted. I/We understand the school will notify me first before any corporal punishment is given and request that I/We as a parent of _____ will come to the school and administer the punishment. I/We give permission for our child _____ to be disciplined by means of corporal punishment if the circumstance works where I am not able to come and give punishment and feel the school should administer the punishment.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Weapon / Drug / Alcohol

I understand that my child's personal belongings (books, coat, pocket book, desk, cars, etc) can be searched at any time while on campus for possession of drugs, alcohol, or weapons (knives, guns or any item intended for weapon use.) If found on possession or in any personal belongings I realize this is grounds for immediate dismissal and law enforcement to be called.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Statement of Cooperation, Commitment, and Agreement

I hereby make application for enrollment in Praise Academy. In submitting the application, I understand and agree to comply with the provisions of Praise Academy's Parent/Student Handbook and all other rules and requirements however set forth, including the following:

We, as the parent(s) of _____, do pledge our support to Praise Academy in the education of our child. We recognize that the education of our child is a God-given responsibility. We pledge to assist the school as they aid us in our responsibility.

- **We** have read the school's Statement of Faith and agree for our child to be taught in accordance with it.
- **We** agree and pledge to meet all financial responsibilities associated with our child's enrollment.
- **We** understand that Matriculation and Registration fees are non-refundable (\$500 early withdrawal fee).
- **We** understand all newly enrolled families/students are accepted on a probationary period of one (1) semester.
- **We** give Praise Academy full discretion in the training and discipline of our child, within the guidelines of the Parent/Student Handbook.
- **We** pledge that if for any reason our child does not meet the academic requirements or cooperate with the disciplinary standards (including dress, hygiene, care of school property, and conduct at or away from the school), we will withdraw him/her without delay. However, we recognize that the school reserves the right to suspend, expel or otherwise discipline any student who fails to adhere to the standards set forth in the Parent/Student Handbook all other rules and requirements however set forth.
- **We** agree to uphold Praise Academy's rules and policies, as documented in the Parent/Student Handbook, and all other rules and requirements however set forth. We will bring any matter of disagreement to the proper person, never discrediting the school before my child and others. Additionally, I agree that any dispute that I might have against Praise Academy, faculty, staff will be resolved by the Matthew 18 policy.

Sign: _____ (Father) Date: _____

Sign: _____ (Mother) Date: _____

As a student of Praise Academy, I understand and agree to comply with the provisions of Praise Academy's Parent-Student Handbook and all other rules and requirements however set forth, including the following:

- I have read and agree to support all school policies and the statement of faith.
- I agree to uphold Praise Academy's rules and policies, as documented in the Parent/Student Handbook, and all other rules and requirements however set forth. I will bring any matter of disagreement to the proper person, never discrediting the school and others. Additionally, I agree that any dispute that I might have against Praise Academy, faculty, staff will be resolved by the Matthew 18 policy.

Sign: _____ (Student Grades 7-12) Date: _____

VISION STATEMENT

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MISSION STATEMENT

Partnering with Christian families to provide a Christ centered educational system where students can achieve academic excellence, a life long commitment to Christ, and a passion for success.

PHILOSOPHY STATEMENT

Christ First (Colossians 2:3, 6-10)

Self-Worth (Psalm 139:13-16; Jeremiah 29:11)

Academics (Colossians 2:3; Proverbs 4:5, 7)

Parent Questionnaire

1. What is your reason for applying to Praise Academy?
2. Has your child been tested for learning differences? Yes No Giftedness: Yes No
3. Does your student take attention –enhancing medication? Yes No If yes, please complete:
Name of medication _____
4. Has your child ever had experiences with the following?

Behavior problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Psychiatric care	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Suspension from school	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Smoking	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Expulsion from school	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Alcohol	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Law enforcement	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Drugs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

If yes to any of the above, please enclose a detailed explanation on a separate sheet of paper.

Student Questionnaire (Grades 6-12)

1. What extracurricular activities in or out of school do you enjoy?
2. Describe any special recognition or awards that you have received in and out of school.
3. What church do you presently attend? What activities do you participate in?
4. What are your favorite academic subjects?
5. On average, how many hours per week do you spend on homework?
6. Are you a Christian: If so, how did you become a Christian?
7. On a scale of 1—10 how much do you want to attend Praise Academy? Why?

Referral Information

Are you a ... Current Praise Academy family New family Former PA family

Please check the factor that influenced you to apply at Praise Academy:

Location Cost Dissatisfied with public school
 Christian World View Academic reputation Better environment

How did you hear about Praise Academy?

Web site Friend Yellow Page
 Church Newspaper Ad Magazine Ad

Office Use Only

Administrator interview has been completed (grades 7-12) Principal interview has been completed

Non-Discriminatory Admissions Policy

Praise Academy admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admission policies, athletic and other school administered programs.