



HOMWORK POLICY

We anticipate that each student in grades 7 - 12 will need to spend a minimum of one hour each night on homework and study. It is our suggestion that each family set aside a specific time each night during which the student will complete any specific assignments and then spend the balance of the hour re-reading from texts, reviewing text questions, studying past tests and quizzes, making and using information flash cards, etc. (studying!)

The homework assigned to the students will be posted on QuickSchools on a daily basis. For many students, knowing that parents look at the assigned work on a daily basis will increase the likelihood that homework is complete. This will also keep you, the parents, up to date on how your child is doing on his homework. Another purpose for this is to be sure that students are not waiting for the bus ride in to school to complete their work. That time does not tend to be very effective for real study.

We have revised our homework policy to allow for the rare times when students genuinely cannot get their homework completed. If you are notified that your child missed homework and you believe there is a legitimate, very infrequent, reason, please let the teacher know.

At the bottom of this page, each student must pledge to give his full effort to school, and to do assignments on time. As stated above, we recognize that circumstances may arise that prevent the completion of homework, but that these occasions must be very rare. Grace will be extended, but must not be abused. Just because grace may be given does not mean the students must use it!

I have read and understand the homework expectation. I realize that homework is a required part of my education and that I am responsible to do it.

Student's Signature

Date

I have read and understand the homework expectations. I will look at my child's work on a daily basis and, if requested by the teacher or myself, I will sign the homework assignment book only when the work is completely done.

Parent's Signature

Date

CODE OF HONOR PLEDGE

In signing the Code of Honor, I fully recognize that Cornerstone Christian Academy, (CCA), was founded to be, and is committed to being, a Christian ministry that promotes a life-style of commitment to Jesus Christ of Nazareth as personal Savior and Lord. **It is therefore, my personal commitment to be a person of integrity in attitude and behavior** in upholding the standards of CCA. I recognize that my life will, for better or worse, represent the Academy to all who witness my lifestyle and actions. To this end I pledge:

1. to apply myself wholeheartedly to my intellectual pursuits and to use the full powers of my mind for the glory of God.
2. to grow in my spirit by nurturing my own relationship with God according to the teachings of His Word, the Bible.
3. to develop my body with sound health habits through the required physical education program and by participating in wholesome physical activities.
4. to cultivate good relationships, socially, and to seek to love others as I love myself. I will not lie, I will not steal, I will not curse nor swear and I will not be a talebearer. When I have a dispute with any other person, I will follow the Lord's teaching in Matthew 18:15, to restore a right relationship with that person. I will not draw others into disputes I have with a person. I will keep the issues between myself and that person, not trying to get others to side with me. If I need help resolving an issue with another person, I will seek the help of a teacher or other adult.
5. to keep my total being under subjection from all immoral and illegal acts and habits, whether on or off campus. To this end, I will not use any illegal drugs or any tobacco products. I will not be involved in any sexual activities nor be part of discussions of such things, including heterosexual and homosexual topics. I will not use alcohol or engage in any other behavior which is contrary to the expectations stated in the Bible or the school manual.
6. to guard my tongue from any ungodly conversation and to make every effort to speak with peace, calm and truth at all times.
7. to maintain an openness to God's claims on my life and to do my utmost to know and follow His will for my life.
8. to attend all classes, all required chapel services, on and off campus, and to attend the house of worship of my choice, wherever God is honored and exalted.
9. to abide by the rules and regulations which may, from time to time, be adopted by the school administration. I understand that CCA is a private school and that I have no rights in the governing of the school. I accept my attendance at CCA as a privilege, not as a right, and understand that the school reserves the right to require the withdrawal of any student, at any time, if, in the judgment of the administration, such action is deemed necessary to safeguard CCA's ideals of scholarship or the spiritual and moral atmosphere as a Christian high school.

Student's Signature

Date

This page addressed your pledge for future behavior. The following pages deal with recent or current behavior. We have found that, often, during the interview for school we are not given information that

will help us in our task of teaching. In order to best meet the needs of our students, we need to know about the student's behavior, choices and character. In order to meet this need, we require honest, complete answers to all of the following questions. We realize that you may have changed your thoughts recently and that some behaviors may have changed. Nevertheless, the completion of these questions will help us assess your needs. As a caution, should we, at any time, discover that you have been less than completely truthful with your answers, you may be subject to immediate dismissal from school.

All of our expectations include your time in school, at home, and out with friends. It is unacceptable to compartmentalize your Christianity to Christian settings alone. We can, and will uphold our standards for students inside and outside of school. If you engage in inappropriate behavior outside of school, we can and will hold you accountable and issue appropriate discipline as your behavior affects other students, the school atmosphere and the reputation of the school.

Please answer all of the following questions honestly. Failure to answer them or giving false answers may result in dismissal from Cornerstone Christian Academy.

Do you currently use foul language as part of your conversations?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what steps are you taking to eliminate this behavior?

Have you, at any time, used tobacco, alcohol or drugs?

- Yes
- No

Do you currently use tobacco, alcohol or drugs?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what steps are you taking to eliminate this behavior?

Do you currently use gossip as part of your conversations?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what steps are you taking to eliminate this behavior?

Have you been involved in sexual activities which are Biblically inappropriate?

- Yes
- No

Are you currently in a relationship or engaged in such actions?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what steps are you taking to eliminate this behavior?

In the last 12 months, have you been in trouble with the law? If yes, describe fully and explain any current or outstanding consequences.

Have you been involved in any gang, group or gang-like activities in order to feel safe or to threaten, intimidate or assault others?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what steps are you taking to eliminate this behavior?

If you answered "yes" to any of the questions above, why should CCA consider you for enrollment?

Pledge:

It is my desire and pledge to keep the HONOR CODE carefully and prayerfully. I acknowledge the need of help from my family, church, teachers and friends in order to keep my life pure. To that end, I pledge to accept correction and discipline with a good spirit. I understand that my signature below is my acceptance of the entire Code of Honor as well as the policies stated in the school manual, and completes a covenant between CCA and myself, and that it becomes a part of my permanent school file.

Student's Signature

Date

I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, my child has answered honestly and fully. There has been no effort to hide information. I agree that the HONOR CODE represents a Godly standard that my child must uphold. I further agree to help my child uphold this code and to help the school enforce it.

Parent's Signature

Date