

Admission Criteria

Admission to Kindergarten through 12th Grade at Whitinsville Christian School is based on an application and family meeting. At least one parent is expected to sincerely support the school's statement of faith, and have an understanding of the spirit of instruction at WCS. Students should demonstrate potential academic success in our program based on previous records and recommendations, show good social adjustment, satisfactory behavior, and emotional stability.

Statement of Faith

- **The Bible** - We believe the Bible to be the only infallible, inspired, and authoritative Word of God.
- **God** - We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons.
- **Man** - We believe that God created man in His own image.
- **Sin** - We believe that Adam and Eve's disobedience to God brought sin into the world. Man thus alienated himself from God, his neighbor, and the world. All are sinners.
- **Savior** - We believe that Jesus Christ is the ONLY Savior of sinners, and the ONLY way to the Father. Christ died as a substitute for sinners and was raised from the dead so that man could be reconciled to God.
- **Eternal Life** - We believe eternal life is a gift of God received personally through faith in Jesus Christ alone. Eternal life is neither deserved by anyone, nor can it be earned by good deeds.
- **Children** - We believe that God has charged parents with the responsibility of bringing up their children in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord" (Ephesians 6:4). Since this is a very complex task, parents look to the school for assistance.

The mission of Whitinsville Christian School is to nurture the academic, spiritual, personal, social, creative, and physical development of students, in cooperation with their parents, for Christ-like service in God's world.

Admission Process

We are pleased with your interest in Whitinsville Christian School and we look forward to the opportunity to partner with you in the Christian education of your child(ren). The following are steps for completing the admission process. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Admissions Office.

Steps for Completing the Admission Process

- Complete the online application form by visiting whitinsvillechristian.org/admissions and clicking on the Apply Now button.
- Submit the \$100.00 per family application and \$50 per student assessment fees, which are paid online by credit card and are non-refundable.
- Distribute the required forms as indicated for the appropriate grades found in the online application portal. (Examples: Pre-Admission Form, Teacher Recommendations, etc.)
- After submitting all required forms, an admissions testing date will be scheduled for all students.
- Whitinsville Christian will schedule an Admissions Review Meeting (more information below).

Admissions Review Meeting Guidelines

- Following the completion of the application and submission of required forms, the family of each student will be invited to meet with the Director of Enrollment and appropriate division principal. Students entering Grades 6-12 are expected to be present and participate in the meeting.
- During the meeting, the following topics may be discussed to determine compatibility:
 - An explanation of Whitinsville Christian School's Statement of Faith
 - An explanation of how Whitinsville Christian School will instruct your children
 - The circumstances in which Whitinsville Christian School will dissolve the partnership extended through admissions to the school
 - Previous school experience and educational potential at Whitinsville Christian School
 - Financial responsibilities
- Upon confirmation of compatibility, the Director of Enrollment will personally communicate with the family and will work with the family through the registration, enrollment, and orientation processes as appropriate.

Application Deadlines

- Applications submitted by February 1st will receive first-round consideration for both admission and financial aid. Applications submitted after February 1st will be considered on a space available basis.
- Applications submitted after June 1st will be assessed a \$100 late fee.
- Application and testing fees are non-refundable.

Tuition Schedule and Fees*

Grade Level	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	4 Children
Kindergarten	\$6,200	\$6,200 ea	\$6,200 ea	\$6,200 ea
1 st – 5 th	\$9,360	\$8,730 ea	\$8,150 ea	\$7,550 ea
6 th – 8 th	\$10,850	\$10,150 ea	\$9,470 ea	\$8,800 ea
9 th – 12 th	\$12,000	\$11,270 ea	\$10,500 ea	\$9,770 ea

Note: Rates listed above reflect the rates of 2017-2018. Each year as we consider projected budgets the rates are likely to increase but our expectation is that this increase will be no more than 5%. In addition, the rates are per child For example, if a family enrolls two children, one in grade 6 and another in grade 9, their total annual tuition rate would be \$10,150 (grade 6) + \$11,270 (grade 9) = \$21,420.

- A \$100.00 per family application and \$50.00 per student testing fee must accompany completed applications.
- An annual Facility/Technology Fee of \$200 per family is payable in addition to tuition.
- Tuition payments are made in ten equal monthly installments from September through June and are due on the first day of the month.
- Tuition accounts may be paid in full and are eligible for a 2% discount; funds must be received by September 8, 2017, to be eligible.
- Tuition assistance is available based on financial need. Please inquire about T.R.I.P. and our Tuition Assistance Program.