

Student Last Name _____
Student First Name _____
Applying for Grade _____

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

ROUND ROCK CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



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www.rrca-tx.org

Round Rock Christian School is a private, PK-12th grade Christian school that desires to partner with Christian families to educate and raise up Godly students and future leaders through discipleship and encouraging spiritual growth in each student's relationship with Jesus Christ.

Mission Statement

Round Rock Christian Academy is a Christ-centered, college-preparatory school equipping and developing students to effectively integrate Biblical truth and academic learning into their daily lives to impact their community for Christ.

Vision Statement

Round Rock Christian Academy will be the standard for college-preparatory Christian education.

Non-Discriminatory Policy

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

Student Information (please print neatly)

Student's Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

Preferred Name _____ Birthday ____/____/____ Current Grade _____

Gender Male Female Applying for Grade _____ For school year: ____/____ SS # ____ - ____ - ____

Ethnicity: African American Asian Caucasian Hispanic Native American Other _____

Preschool Options: **3 year olds** Tu/Thu Mon/Wed/Fri Monday-Friday **4 year olds** Mon/Wed/Fri Monday-Friday

Family Information

Full name of parent(s) or guardian(s) with whom child is living: _____

Are both parents living? Yes No Married Separated Divorced* Remarried

If student's parents are divorced*, which parent has legal/financial responsibility? _____

***You may be required to provide RRCA with a copy of the court proceedings.**

Father

Stepfather

Guardian

If Guardian, please attach a copy of the guardianship document.

Full name _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

The following information can be published in the online family directory: mailing address cell phone email

Employer _____ Occupation _____ Job Title _____

Work Address _____
Street City State Zip

Home phone (____) _____ - _____ Business phone (____) _____ - _____

Cell phone (____) _____ - _____ E-mail _____

Mother

Stepmother

Guardian

Full name _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

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Employer _____ Occupation _____ Job Title _____

Work Address _____
Street City State Zip

Home phone (____) _____ - _____ Business phone (____) _____ - _____

Cell phone (____) _____ - _____ E-mail _____

Other Siblings in Family

Name _____ Age _____ School _____

Name _____ Age _____ School _____

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Academic Information

Current school attending _____ Type of school _____

Grades attended _____ Phone (_____) _____ - _____ Principal/Head of School _____

Address of School _____
Street City State Zip

Reason for leaving _____

Is the student able to return to current school? Yes No

Name(s) of Previous Schools Attended	Location	Grades	Dates Attended
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Has your child ever been suspended, expelled, or asked to leave any school? Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Medical Conditions

Are there any medical conditions we need to be aware of? Yes No
(A complete medical information form will be required as part of the application process.)

Grandparent Information

Paternal Family

Grandfather's Full Name _____

Grandmother's Full Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Phone (cell or home) _____

Maternal Family

Grandfather's Full Name _____

Grandmother's Full Name _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Phone (cell or home) _____

Application Factors / Referral to RRCA

Factors influencing your application to RRCA. (Please check all that apply).

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|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> College prep academics | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Size of school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Christian Worldview | <input type="checkbox"/> Prior school no longer a good fit | <input type="checkbox"/> RRCA Reputation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Athletics program | <input type="checkbox"/> Private education | <input type="checkbox"/> Proximity |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Affordability | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify): _____ | |

How did you hear about our school? Internet search Austin Newcomers Guide Community Impact Radio Ad
 Austin Family Church Other _____ Referred by Current Family _____

Admissions Philosophy

RRCA reserves the right to select students on the basis of academic performance, religious commitment, lifestyle choices, and personal qualifications including a willingness to adhere to its policies. It must be always understood that attendance at RRCA is a privilege and not a right. If at any time a student's conduct, academic progress or cooperation with RRCA administration is not in keeping with the school's policies and/or Statement of Faith, the Board of Directors reserves the right to take disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal from RRCA.

Prospective Family Questionnaire

The questions below are designed to help parents decide if Round Rock Christian Academy is a good fit for their child and their family. Some parents desire a private school for their child; however, they do not fully understand the concept of a Christian education. The following questions may assist parents with this decision.

- Yes No Is at least one parent/guardian of the student a professing Christian?
- Yes No Do you, as a parent feel that you are personally responsible before God for the spiritual training of your child?
- Yes No Do you believe that a knowledge of the Bible is necessary in building the kind of character you desire for your child?
- Yes No Do you want your child taught that the Bible is the infallible, inspired Word of God?
- Yes No Are you willing for your child to be exposed to biblical teaching that could bring him to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ?
- Yes No Are you willing to encourage your child in their daily walk with Christ?
- Yes No One of our goals is that every graduate of RRCA is a committed Christian. Are you in agreement with this goal? If not, please explain:
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- Yes No Are you willing to cooperate and encourage your child to attain his highest possible level of academic achievement?
- Yes No Will you be willing to consult and cooperate with the teacher in your child's educational endeavors?
- Yes No Will you stand with and support the teacher in matters of discipline and follow the Matthew 18 principle with the teacher if there is a concern?
- Yes No Will you prayerfully support RRCA by giving of your time and financial resources whenever possible?
- Yes No Round Rock Christian Academy's financial obligations cannot be met if tuition is not paid. Will you make sure payment is made on time each month and keep your account current?
- Yes No If no openings are available at this time, would you like to be placed on a waiting list?

If you have any hesitations about these questions, PLEASE make note of your uncertainty so that it can be discussed during your interview.

RRCA Statement of Beliefs

- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God (2 Timothy 3:15; 2 Peter 1:21)
- We believe there is only one God eternally existent in three persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit (Genesis 1:1; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30)
- We believe in the deity of Christ (John 10:33); His virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23; Luke 1:35); His sinless life (Hebrews 4:15; 7:26); His miracles (John 2:11); His vicarious and atoning death (1 Corinthians 15:3; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 2:9); His resurrection (John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 15:4); His ascension to the right hand of the Father (Mark 16:19); His personal return in power and glory (Acts 1:11; Revelation 19:11).
- We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature and that men are justified on the single ground of faith in the shed blood of Christ and that only by God's grace and through faith alone we are saved (1 John 3:16-19; 5:24; Romans 3:34; 5:8-9; Ephesians 2:8-10; Titus 3:5).
- We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost, they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation (John 5:28-29).
- We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ (Romans 8:9; 1 Corinthians 12:12-13; Galatians 3:26-28).
- We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life (Romans 8:13-24; 1 Corinthians 3:16; 6:19-20; Ephesians 4:30; 5:18).
- We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God (Gen 1:26-27). God has uniquely created each person to live their life as He created them, male or female, to serve and glorify God in their life.
- We believe that the term "marriage" has only one meaning: the uniting of one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture (Gen. 2:18-25). We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to occur only between a man and a woman who are married to each other (1 Cor. 6:18; 7:2-5; Heb. 13:4). We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman.
- We believe that any form of sexual immorality is against God's commands (Matt. 15:18-20; 1 Cor. 6:9-10).
- We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ (Acts 3:19-21; Rom. 10:9-10; 1 Cor. 6:9-11).
- We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity (Mark 12:28-31; Luke 6:31). Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with Scripture nor the doctrines of RRCA.

Biblical Morality Policy

Round Rock Christian Academy's biblical goal is to work in conjunction with the home to mold students to be Christ-like. RRCA Administration and the Board of Directors must use discernment and scripture to define the qualities and characteristics that exemplify a Christ-like life. The school reserves the right, within its sole discretion, to refuse admission of an applicant or to discontinue enrollment of a student if the atmosphere or conduct within a particular home or activities of the student are counter to or are in opposition to the biblical lifestyle the school teaches.

Religious Affiliation / Church Involvement

When children are trained by their parents and supported by their church and school, we compare it to the three cords of a rope; it is not easily broken by other influences of the world. For this reason, it is important that the families of Round Rock Christian Academy be actively involved in the church of their choice.

Religious Affiliation: _____ Denomination: _____

We currently have a church home: yes no

Parents attend church: regularly occasionally seldom never

Student attends church: regularly occasionally seldom never

Student participates in Children or Youth ministry: regularly occasionally seldom never

Has student made a profession of faith?: yes no

Number of years your family has been involved in church: _____

If you do not currently have a church home, please indicate why not: _____

Name of Church: _____

Address: _____

Street

City

State

Zip

Church Phone: _____

Name of Head Pastor: _____

Name of pastor/church leader who has the most direct influence on your child: _____

Parent RRCA Policy Agreement and Compliance

By signing below, we acknowledge that our family will abide by RRCA policies and procedures as outlined in the Parent/Student Handbook*, the Statement of Faith, applicable student covenants, and the Statement of Development.

We agree that, upon acceptance of the herein named student, we will pledge to work with the RRCA Staff, Administration and Faculty within these statements to the betterment of our student and to assist and cooperate with the school in the Christian Education of our child. We understand that the enclosed Registration and New Student Fees are non-refundable and that receipt of the application does not guarantee any admission as said admission is subject not only to space available but also to the RRCA policies, procedures, and guidelines. We further understand and acknowledge that continued enrollment of my our child, if admitted to RRCA, shall be subject to the payment of all fees and charges set forth on the schedule of fees and our student's compliance with the code of conduct, student covenant, and the policies established by RRCA.

Print Student's Full Name: _____

Father / Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Mother / Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

**The current parent/student handbook can be found online at www.rrca-tx.org.*

Application and Fees Submission

To begin the Admissions process, the RRCA Application for Admission must be completed in its entirety for each student seeking admission to Round Rock Christian Academy. It should be submitted along with a non-refundable Registration Fee and New Student Fee to the Business Office at Round Rock Christian Academy.

The following items are required before the student enrollment application can be finalized.

- Application for Admission (include family photo)
- New Student & Registration Fee
- Copy of Birth Certificate
- Copies of student's education records (can be unofficial)
- Copy of immunization record
- Parent Questionnaire (PK-12th)
- Student Questionnaire (6th-12th)
- Student/Parent Covenant (7th-12th)
- Teacher/Principal Recommendation Form (6th-12th)
- Pastor/Spiritual Recommendation Form (6th-12th)

RRCA Statement of Development

God has blessed RRCA with devoted faculty and staff committed to molding students for Christ and families who give generously of their time and financial resources. It is through faithfulness and commitment to the mission of our school that we can reflect God's grace to transform communities for the glory of His kingdom. No gift to RRCA should replace your regular tithe to your church. We ask that you prayerfully consider participating.

Volunteerism: Your time is valued and we appreciate volunteer support with our Parent Support Team (PST), Watch D.O.G.S. Dads, Athletic Boosters, homeroom parents, and special event volunteers.

Annual Fund: We encourage your participation in this annual giving program which enables RRCA to provide the highest quality of education for our students. All gifts are tax-deductible. RRCA is currently in a Building Fund Campaign to raise funds to build a 100,000 square foot facility on the current campus.

Place a family photo here

RRCA Records Request / Release Authorization



The following portion should be completed by the applicant's parent/guardian.

Student Name:	_____
Date of Birth:	_____
Last School Attended:	_____
School Address:	_____ _____
Phone:	_____
Fax:	_____
Date of Request:	_____

Registrar: The student named above is applying for admission to Round Rock Christian Academy. Your timely attention is appreciated so that we may correctly place this student. Please forward the following information via fax OR email within 4 days of date of request if possible.

- Official Transcript (8th-12th grade)
- Report Cards
- Discipline Records
- Medical Records (Vision, Hearing, Immunizations, etc.)
- Birth Certificate
- Standardized Test Results
- Attendance Records
- Psychological or cognitive / academic testing (if any)
- Withdrawal Form and grades (mid-year enrollment)

*Enrollment by a student in RRCA constitutes authority for sending district to release the education records of that student, regardless of whether parental authority has been received.
Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) 34 CFR Part 99, 99.31 (a)(2) and 99.34.*

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