

ADMISSION/RE-ADMISSION POLICIES

Providence Christian School exists to offer quality education in a safe and Christian environment. Therefore, students will be carefully selected in order to maintain a student body of high academic and moral caliber.

Acceptance of the applicant will be based on the results of screening tests, on a personal interview with the student and his parents and on recommendations concerning character, attitude, school record and general promise. Students must be in good standing, academically and socially, with their previous school to be accepted.

PCS does not have the facilities or the personnel to effectively work with extreme emotional or behavioral difficulties or with students with acute academic deficiencies. Students will be expected to demonstrate a genuine interest in pursuing their education in harmony with the standards and purposes of PCS. These requirements are not intended to present a hardship to anyone who is a potentially acceptable student but rather they are set forth to help select the type of students who can best be served by the program offered. By choice, the applicant obligates himself to the ideals of Providence Christian School. Acceptance shows the school's faith in the student. Enrollment is granted on a year-by-year basis.

To be considered for enrollment or re-enrollment to Providence Christian School the prospective student must meet the following requirements.

1. Must exhibit appropriate developmental maturity.
2. Must be able to communicate orally and receive oral communication.
3. Must be free from all communicable diseases as identified by the North Carolina Department of Education.
4. Must be able to take care of personal bodily needs.
5. Must exhibit age-appropriate social skills.
6. Must demonstrate willingness and the ability to adhere to school and class rules.
7. Must demonstrate respect for authority.
8. Must have a level of emotional stability that enables the student to learn and does not distract other students from learning.
9. Must be able to demonstrate the academic ability and willingness to work at the grade level to which he is assigned.
10. Must meet the minimum age requirement as established by the advisory board. **To enter school, children entering kindergarten or 1st grade must reach age 5 or 6 respectively, on or before September 1st.**
11. Entry into the next grade level at PCS is contingent on:
 - a. recommendation from the administrator
 - b. meeting the academic criteria for the grade level
12. Must be free from addiction to drugs, alcohol, and tobacco.
13. Must have demonstrated by his past actions, willingness to abide by the "laws of the land"
14. Must not be recently under suspension or dismissal from his former/current school.
15. Accommodations needed for individual students must not be such that they limit other students from receiving adequate time and attention.

In summary, the student will not conduct himself in a manner that will prevent the teacher from being able to teach or prevent the other students from being able to learn. Continued enrollment will require a student to continue to meet the above criteria. **THE ADVISORY BOARD MUST APPROVE ANY VARIANCE FROM THE ABOVE LISTED REQUIREMENTS.**

Date of interview: _____

Comments: _____

Final Recommendation: _____
