

Great Bridge Christian Academy
Tuition and Fee Schedule
2010 -2011

Registration: To be paid in full for each student with student's application. (Non-refundable)
New Student Registration Fee.....150.00 (additional children \$75.00)

Re-enrollment: Registration fee of \$50.00 for returning students whose application is processed by March 1st.

<u>Tuition Fees:</u>	<u>Monthly Tuition (10 mos)</u>	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Annual Tuition</u>
K3 Preschool (3 half day)	\$300.00	\$69.77	\$3000.00
K3 Preschool (3 full day)	\$400.00	\$93.02	\$4000.00
K3 & K4 Preschool (1/2 day)	\$350.00	\$81.40	\$3500.00
K3 & K4 Preschool (full day)	\$450.00	\$104.65	\$4500.00
Kindergarten (1/2 day)	\$350.00	\$81.40	\$3500.00
Kindergarten (full day)	\$450.00	\$104.65	\$4500.00
Elementary (Grades 1-8)	\$460.00	\$106.98	\$4600.00

School Hours: K3 & K4: 8:30 - 12:00
Kindergarten: 8:15 - 12:15
1st through 8th: 8:15 - 3:00

Before Care 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. and aftercare 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
GBCA students aftercare fee is \$2.50/hour and additional students hourly fee is \$1.75.
Chesapeake Public Schools student's aftercare fee is \$3.00 hour and additional child is \$2.25.

Students attending Preschool must be completely potty trained.

Multiple Student Tuition Discount: Families with two or more children will receive a tuition discount of \$500 a year per additional child. The maximum family tuition will not exceed \$8,500.

Monthly Payment Plan: Tuition is due on the first day of each month beginning August 1, 2010 through May 1, 2011. Students enrolling after August 1st will be assessed the equivalent of one month's tuition immediately upon enrolling with the balance spread over the remaining months starting with the 1st of the month immediately following the date of enrollment through May 1, 2011.

Method of payment: Tuition will be processed through F.A.C.T.S. for all new families. Students currently enrolled may use F.A.C.T.S. or pay the school directly. Daycare charges will be paid directly to GBCA.

Late Fee: A \$25 late fee will be charged when a tuition payment is 10 days past due. If the account remains delinquent after 15 days an additional charge of \$25 will be charged to the account.

Financial Aid: Families who have need of financial assistance must apply for financial aid. A financial aid form is available in the school office. The Academy uses F.A.C.T.S. to determine the eligibility and need of families. Parents will be contacted if financial aid is granted.

Application for Admissions

Great Bridge Christian Academy
700 Mt. Pleasant Rd.
Chesapeake, VA 23322
757-482-4688

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
Date Enrolled _____
Grade _____
Trans. Requested _____
Registration Fee _____
Circle: Re-Enrollment
New-Enrollment
F.A.C.T.S. _____

I. Application Checklist

All of the following must be received before admission can be finalized.

- Recent photograph for new students
- Completed application with signatures of both parents
- Original birth certificate
- Immunization & medical records
- A record of any standardized tests taken
- Transcripts from the previous school and /or record release form
- Pastor recommendation or meeting with administrator (grades 7-12)
- F.A.C.T.S. Application for new students

II. General Information

Date: _____ Grade Entering: _____ Before Care: _____ Aftercare: _____

Applicant's Name: _____ Preferred Name _____
First Middle Last

Home Address: _____
Street City Zip Code

Home Telephone Number: _____ Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____

Birth date: _____ Place of Birth: _____ Sex: Male _____ Female _____
Month Date Year

III. Family Information

Father's Name: _____ Mother's Name: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____
(if different from section II) (If different from section II)

Business or Profession: _____ Business of Profession: _____

Business Name: _____ Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____ Business Address: _____

Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____ Email Address: _____

If there is a separation or divorce in the family or if the student resides with a legal guardian other than parent, please complete this section.

Legal Guardian's Name: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____

Address (if different from Section II): _____

If separated or divorced, with which parent does the child reside? _____

If divorced, please indicate the type of custody ordered by the court: _____ Joint _____ Sole

(Attach a copy of the court's decision regarding custody to application)

If divorced and you would like mail-outs to go to the other parent, please fill in the following:

Parent's Name: _____ Address: _____

IV. References:

Non-family member:

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip Code

V. Health & Medical Information:

Applicant's Physician: _____ Phone: _____

Name and explain any health condition (s), past or present, which need to be brought to the school's attention to safeguard this applicant at school (e.g. diabetes, seizures, asthma, emotional disorders, educational challenges, etc.) or which would restrict physical activity levels.

Is the applicant taking any prescription medication(s)? _____ NO _____ YES Specify: _____

Has the applicant been tested for any of the following (please check)?

_____ Speech/Language _____ Attention Deficit Disorder _____ Emotional Issues _____ Learning Disabilities

_____ Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder _____ Other _____

VI. Academic Information:

Current School: _____ Phone Number: _____

Contact Person (Dean of students or Guidance Director): _____

Academic problems? _____ No _____ Yes Discipline problems? _____ No _____ Yes Specify: _____

Has the applicant ever been expelled or requested to withdraw from a former school? _____ No _____ Yes Specify: _____

VII. Christian/Ethnic Background:

Denomination Preference: Baptist Presbyterian Church of Christ Catholic
 Episcopal Methodist Non-Denominational Other

Current Church: _____ Pastor's Name: _____

Does family attend regularly? Yes No

The two factors most influencing us to apply to GBCA: (Please select 2)

Location Academic Reputation Christian Philosophy Desire to attend private school
 Displeasure with local schools Recommendations from GBCA families

Ethnic background: African- American Hispanic Caucasian Asian
 American Indian/Eskimo Other _____

VIII. Emergency Information

Emergency Information: (Responsible adult to contact if parent cannot be reached.)

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Pick-up Information: (Responsible adult authorized to pick up your child from school.)

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

IX. Financial Information

Is financial assistance needed for the family? Yes No

X. Statement of Faith

I believe in:

1. The verbal, inerrant inspirational and authority of the Scripture (Both Old and New Testaments).
2. The Genesis account of the creation of man in six days by the direct act of God.
3. The incarnation, deity, virgin birth, and bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ.
4. The vicarious suffering of Jesus Christ for the sins of the world and the shedding of His blood on the cross to cleanse us from sin.
5. The new birth through regeneration by the Holy Spirit as essential to salvation.
6. The gift of eternal life for the believer by the grace of God.
7. The local church as the primary place of fellowship and growth of believers and for the evangelization of the world with the Gospel.
8. The person and work of the Holy Spirit and the need for Christian growth and service.
9. The visible, personal, and imminent return of our Lord Jesus Christ.
10. The everlasting conscious blessedness of the saved and the everlasting conscious punishment of the lost.

XI. Admissions Policy

Attending GBCA is a privilege and not a right. As students and parents consider making GBCA their choice, the following Standards and policies must be kept in mind:

1. Full cooperation is expected from both student and parents in the education of the student. If at any time the school determines that this cooperation is lacking, the student may be requested to transfer out.
2. If the student's behavior or attitude indicates an uncooperative spirit or one that is out of harmony with the spirit and standards of GBCA, whether or not there is any definite breach of conduct, he may be requested to transfer out.
3. The student's behavioral standards at school must extend to his life away from the school as well. Any use of, or involvement with, tobacco, drugs, alcohol, cheating, fighting, stealing, lying, un-Christian entertainment/behavior, or sexual immorality may result in immediate expulsion from GBCA.
4. The biblical and philosophical goal of GBCA is to develop students into mature, Christlike individuals who will be able to exhibit a Christlike life. Of necessity, this involves the school's understanding and belief of what qualities or characteristics exemplify a Christlike life. Even though parents may personally believe differently, while at GBCA, all students are expected to exhibit the qualities of a Christlike life espoused and taught by the school and to refrain from certain activities or behavior. Thus, GBCA retains the right to refuse enrollment to or expel any student who is a practicing homosexual/bisexual, as well as any student who condones, supports, or otherwise promotes such practices (Leviticus 20:13, Romans 1:27).

A student's acceptance is based upon past achievement, a family interview with the administration, and a signed agreement from parents and students declaring that they will abide by and support the rules, regulations and standards of GBCA. All students are accepted on an 8-week probationary period in regard to academics and discipline.

All students must be open to instruction from a Christian perspective and profess Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. Parents should be united in their belief that enrollment of GBCA is the best thing for their child. It is the desire of GBCA that at least one parent be saved. Parents should exhibit a strong desire for having their child taught from a Christian perspective.

While your student is enrolled at Great Bridge Christian Academy, several members of our faculty/staff take pictures or videos of student activities and events. In addition to using the materials for student publications, we occasionally would like to use the pictures and videos in advertising, brochures, or other promotional materials. By signing this application you give permission for Great Bridge Christian Academy to use pictures of your child/children in various publications.

- 1. We support the Statement of Faith, the Mission and Vision Statements, the Admissions Policy, and the expectations and standards of Great Bridge Christian Academy as stated in the handbook and agree with its educational philosophy.**

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Nondiscrimination Policy

Great Bridge Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, gender, and national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students. The school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, and national or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admission policies, financial assistance, and athletic or other school-administered programs.

Pick Up List

Child's Name: _____

Teacher and Grade: _____

Please print the names of all individuals that you authorize to pick up your child/children. These names will be kept with your child's records for the 2010 -2011 school year. *If changes need to be made at any time you must come into the office to change the list.*

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____

Please list anyone who cannot pick up your child. **(If this is a parent, custody papers must accompany this document.)**

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Parent(s) Signature _____

Date: _____

***Please return this to the school office before school begins. If we do not receive this form we will assume that the parent's are the only ones authorized to pick up your child.**