



Christian Academy

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Indicate the program and grade level in which you are applying by marking "X" in the appropriate spot.

Preschool*	Academy	Homeschool	Before & After*
Pre-K Age 2 _____	Kindergarten _____	Oversight _____	Kindergarten _____
Pre-K Age 3 _____	Grade 1 _____	Group Class _____	Grade 1 _____
Pre-K Age 4 _____	Grade 2 _____	Student Grade: _____	Grade 2 _____
	Grade 3 _____		Grade 3 _____
*Preschool Desired Start	Grade 4 _____		Grade 4 _____
Date: _____	Grade 5 _____		Grade 5 _____
	Grade 6 _____		Grade 6 _____
	Grade 7 _____		Grade 7 _____
	Grade 8 _____		Grade 8 _____

***PG Before & After Only - School:** _____

Name of Student: _____
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

____ Male ____ Female Date of Birth: _____
(MM) (DD) (YYYY)

Age of student as of August 31st this year _____

Father's Name: _____
First Name Last Name

Address: _____
Number and Street Name City State Zip

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mother's Name: _____
First Name Last Name

Address: _____
Number and Street Name City State Zip

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

List other children in the student's immediate family attending or applying for admission to SCA:

<u>Student's Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Age</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Has your child ever been placed on probation, suspended, expelled from school or has your child been subject to any disciplinary action? If yes, please explain: _____

Has your child ever received or been recommended for special education services? Yes No

Does your child currently have an IEP? (Individual Educational Plan)? Yes No

Has your child ever been diagnosed with a learning disability? Yes No

Has your child been diagnosed with ADD, or ADHD? Yes No

Has your child been prescribed any on-going medications? Yes No

Do you have concerns regarding you child's behavior or ability to learn? Yes No

Please provide explanation regarding any questions that were answered yes. _____

Indicate hobbies, interests, and/or natural talents of the student: _____

**Indicate previous schools attended during the last three years.
Include a copy of academic school records from each school.**

Name of School	Address	Highest Grade Level Attended															
		PK2	PK3	PK4	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

CHURCH AFFILIATION

Church Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Pastor's Name: _____

Address _____
Number and Street Name City State Zip

Are you are a born again believer in Jesus Christ? _____

SHABACH! Doctrinal Statement

SHABACH! is the school of the First Baptist Church of Glenarden. We firmly stand in agreement with the below beliefs as established by our parent organization.

The Scriptures

- We believe that "all Scripture is given by inspiration of God." (2 Timothy 3:16). We understand this to mean that the whole Bible is inspired in that holy men of God "were moved by the Holy Spirit" (2 Peter 1:21) to write the very words of Scripture.
- We believe that this divine inspiration extends equally and fully to all parts of Scripture as it appeared in the original manuscripts.
- We believe that the whole Bible in the originals is therefore without error. We believe that all the Scriptures center around the Lord Jesus Christ in His person and work, in His first and second coming, and hence that no portion, even of the Old Testament, is properly read, or understood, until it leads to Him.
- We also believe that all Scripture was designed for our practical instruction. (Luke 24:27, 44; John 5:39; Rom. 15:4; 1 Cor. 10:11; 2 Tim. 3:16)

The Triune God

- We believe that there is only one true God. He is revealed to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, each with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature. (John 4:23-24; Matt. 28:19)

God the Father

- God, as Father, reigns over His entire universe with providential care.
- He is all-powerful, all loving, all knowing and all wise.
- He is fatherly in attitude toward all men but is Father, indeed, to those who have become children of God through Jesus Christ, Who will deliver them into the Father's hands. (Gen. 1:1; 1 Chron. 29:10; Jer. 10:10; Matt. 6:9; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14, 15; 1 Cor. 8:6; 1 Cor. 15:24; Eph.4:6)

God the Son

- We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ, the eternal Son of God, became man without ceasing to be God, having been conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of a virgin, in order that He might reveal God and redeem sinful man.
- This redemption He accomplished by voluntarily giving Himself as a sinless, substitutionary sacrifice on the cross, thereby satisfying God's righteous judgment against sin. After substantiating the accomplishment of that redemption/justification by His bodily resurrection from the grave, He ascended to the right hand of His Father where He intercedes on behalf of those who trust Him. (Luke 1:34; John 1:1, 2, 14, 18; Rom. 3:24-26, 8:34)

SHABACH! Doctrinal Statement cont.

God the Holy Spirit

- We believe that the Holy Spirit is the Divine Person who convicts each person of sin (righteousness and judgment), that He alone brings new life to those who are spiritually dead; that He baptizes (or places) all believers into the one true church, which is the Body of Christ; that He indwells them permanently, seals them unto the day of final redemption, bestows spiritual gifts upon them, fills (controls) those who are yielding to Him.
- Every believer is called to live so in the power of the indwelling Spirit that he will not fulfill the lust of the flesh but will bear fruit to the glory of God. (John 3:3-8, 14:16, 17, 16:7-11; 1Cor. 12:7-11, 13; Eph. 4:30, 5:18)

Creation

- We believe that man was created directly by and in the image of God. We believe that God created the heavens and the earth, including all life, by direct act. (Gen. 1:1; John 1:3; Col. 1:16, 17)

The Fall of Man

- Although man was created in the image of God, he fell into sin and is lost; this is true of all men, and except a man be born again by the Holy Spirit, he cannot see the kingdom of God. (Gen. 1:26, 27; John 3:3; Rom. 3:10, 23)

Atonement for Sin

- We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures as a substitutionary sacrifice, and that all who believe on Him are redeemed by His shed blood. We believe in the resurrection of the crucified body, of our Lord Jesus Christ and in His ascension into heaven; He is our High Priest and Advocate. (John 1:1-3, 14; 3:1-7, 16; Heb. 10:4-14; 1 John 2:2)

Salvation

- We believe that salvation is the gift of God's grace.
- It cannot be gained or made more secure by meritorious works, but is freely bestowed upon all who put their faith in the finished work of Jesus Christ at Calvary.
- All who so trust the Savior are forgiven of their sins and born into the family of God by the regenerating work of the Holy Spirit. (John 1:12; Acts 16:30-33; Rom. 10:9,10; Eph. 1:7, 2:8-9)

The Christian Walk

- We believe that we are called with a holy calling, to walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit, and so to live in the power of the indwelling Spirit that we will not fulfill the lust of the flesh. But the flesh is never eradicated in this life and the individual chooses to keep the flesh in subjection to Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit or it will surely manifest its presence in our lives to the dishonor of our Lord. (Rom. 6:11-13; 8:2, 4, 12, 13; Gal. 5:16-23; Eph. 4:22-24; Col. 2:1-10; 1 Pet. 1:14-16; 1 John 1:4-7; 3:5-9)

The Great Commission

- Until the return of Christ, it is the Christian's duty and privilege to seek the fulfillment of Christ's Great Commission and to minister in His name to a needy world.
- We are to be instruments of Jesus Christ as the Holy Spirit ministers redemption and reconciliation in the world. (Matthew 25:31-46; 28:18-20)

The Gospel Church

- We believe that a visible church of Christ is a congregation of baptized believers associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel.
- We observe the ordinances of Christ, are governed by His word and exercise our gifts. (Acts 2:41-42)
- The bodies of the righteous will conform to the glorious spiritual body of Jesus Christ. (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)

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Baptism and the Lord's Supper

- We believe that Christian baptism is the immersion in water of a believer. (Acts 2:41)
- The Lord's Supper is the commemoration of the death of the Lord Jesus, preceded by solemn self-examination. (1 Corinthians 11: 23-31)
- There will be a resurrection of the righteous and the wicked.

The Resurrection

- We believe that the Scriptures clearly teach that Jesus rose from the dead.
- He now exists in His glorified body at God's right hand.
- There will be a resurrection of the righteous and the wicked.
- The bodies of the righteous will conform to the glorious spiritual body of Jesus Christ. (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17)

Notice of Non-Discriminatory Policy:

SHABACH! Christian Academy or Learning Center does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational, admission, financial aid or employment policies, or any other programs administered by the school.

Parent/Guardian Acknowledgement

I/we, the undersigned, pledge that the information given on this application is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge.

I/we have submitted an application fee of _____, which is non-refundable.

If my/our child is accepted to SHABACH! Christian Academy (SCA) or Learning Center, I/we agree to comply with all rules and regulations which the school may deem necessary for the proper operation of the school.

I/We sincerely pledge my/our loyalty to the aims and ideals of the school and will support the school program in every way possible.

I/we understand that the school reserves the right to dismiss any child who does not cooperate with the educational process or behavior guidelines, and to dismiss any family that does not honor the Parent/School Covenant.

I/we understand that upon admission of my child to SCA, I/we will be required to sign a contractual agreement that details my/our financial commitment to SCA.

I/we understand that SCA operates under the umbrella of SHABACH! Ministries, Inc.

If accepted for admission to SCA and I/we have an outstanding balance due to past obligations to SCA, my/our child will not be permitted to attend school until the debt is satisfied.

I/we understand that all students are accepted on a nine-week probationary basis.

Father/Guardian Signature

Date

Mother/Guardian Signature

Date

Supplemental Information

SHABACH! Christian Learning Center: Preschool/ Before & After Care Service

Please complete and return the application.

In instances where we are at full enrollment, applications will be held on our waiting list until a slot becomes available during the school year in which families have applied. If a slot does not become available during the school year, families are given the option of enrolling for the next school year during open enrollment season. If the family has not enrolled by June, their application and fee will be forfeited and they must reapply.

SHABACH! Christian Academy: School Age Kindergarten through 8th Grade

Please provide the following information when returning this application:

- * Copy of child's social security card
- * Copy of child's birth certificate
- * Letter on church letterhead attesting to church membership. Members of FBCG do not need a letter.
- * Report cards and/or past progress reports from all school's attended prior to SHABACH! Christian Academy
- * Copy of Standardized tests (does not apply to students applying for Kindergarten)
- * Copy of educational, psychological, speech, behavior, physical therapy or occupational therapy assessments, when applicable.

In instances where we are at full enrollment, applications will be held on our waiting list until a slot becomes available during the school year in which families have applied. If a slot does not become available during the school year, families are given the option of enrolling for the next school year during open enrollment season. If the family has not enrolled by June, their application and fee will be forfeited and they must reapply.

SHABACH! Christian Academy: Homeschool Kindergarten through 12th Grade

Please provide the following information when returning this application:

- * Copy of child's birth certificate
- * Copy of educational, psychological, speech, behavior, physical therapy or occupational therapy assessments, when applicable.
- * Report cards and official transcripts (high school students)
- * Letter on church letterhead attesting to church membership. Members of FBCG do not need a letter.