



INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION

New Jersey United Christian Academy
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1. PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Please Print All Information.*

Applying for Fall Spring year _____ Grade _____ Date of Application _____

Last Name (as shown on passport) _____ First Name (as shown on passport) _____ Middle Name _____

Address (Number and Street) _____

City and State _____ Zip _____

Country _____ Country of Citizenship _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Date of Birth (Month/Date/Year) _____ / _____ / _____ Male Female

Current School Name _____ Current Grade _____

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| _____ / _____ / _____ / | app. Rec'd |
| App. fee rec'd _____ / _____ / _____ / | |
| Check _____ | |

Contact person _____ Address _____ Phone _____

LIST ALL SCHOOLS PREVIOUSLY ATTENDED (most recent first)

| Name of School | Address (school website or telephone number) | Grade(s) attended | Grade(s) attended |
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2. FAMILY INFORMATION

**Please Print All Information.*

FATHER/LEGAL GUARDIAN

Last Name **First Name** **Middle Name**

Address

City, State, Country

Home Phone / Cell Phone

Email

Employer Name

Position or Title

Name of Home Church

Church Address

Name of Senior Pastor

MOTHER/LEGAL GUARDIAN

Last Name **First Name** **Middle Name**

Address (if different)

City, State, Country

Home Phone / Cell Phone

Email

Employer Name

Position or Title

Name of Home Church

Church Address

Name of Senior Pastor

List the names of all your children

| Name | Age | Current School | Current grade or highest grade |
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Does your child have a sponsor/relative who is living in the U.S. who should be contacted regarding your child's progress?

Yes No

Name **Address** **home phone** **cell phone**

Is this person permitted to take your child off campus for weekends, holidays, sickness, etc.? _____

Parent's signature _____

1. Describe your child's academic progress in school:

2. What are some of your child's interests, talents and activities?

3. Has your child ever repeated a grade? Yes No Grade: _____

Recommended for retention this year? Yes No

Comment: _____

4. Has your child been identified as having a learning disability or handicap? Yes No

If yes, give the date of the most recent Child Study Team Evaluation: _____

5. Has your child ever been suspended, expelled or refused admission to any school? Yes No

If yes, give dates: _____

Please Explain: _____

6. Has your child ever been asked to withdraw from a school? Yes No

If so, what grade? And please explain: _____

7. Has your child ever been in any difficulty with civil authorities? Yes No

If yes, please give the date and explanation: _____

8. Has applicant any history of an unusual physical or emotional condition which has required professional attention?

Yes No

If yes, explain: _____

Applicant's church _____

Address _____

Senior Pastor _____ Youth Pastor _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Church related activities _____



ADMISSION PROCEDURE

1. Send in the completed application with \$100 application fee.
(Please ensure to include all supporting documents; see the checklist)
2. Upon review, the serious candidate will be given a telephone/webcam/in-person interview.
3. If admitted, NJUCA will issue a letter of acceptance and I-20 for int'l students.
4. Once the student is issued the F-1 VISA from U.S. Embassy, Registration should be completed and tuition paid.

CHECK LIST

For International students, the following items needed to be received to complete the application package

- Complete application forms
- Application fee of \$100 *bank check or traveler's check
- Clean Copy of Passport and VISA
- Copy of proof of residency (family registration)
- Transcripts translated into English for the past 2-3 years
- 2 passport photos
- Financial Documents
- TOEFL or SLEP scores

Enclosed Documents

Parent of Guardian – Affirm the following by checking each box and providing signature:

- I have received copies of the Admission Policies.
- I have received copies of the Statement of Faith & Standard of Community Life.
- I have received copies of Uniform Policy.
- I will partner with the Academy in my child's Christian training, lending prayer support and practical help.
- I will meet all financial obligations.

Signed and Dated:

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|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Father/Guardian | Date | Mother/Guardian | Date |
| _____ | ____/____/____ | _____ | ____/____/____ |

3. PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Student's Name: _____ Date: _____ / _____ / _____

The mission of New Jersey United Christian Academy is to provide a solid academic program, rooted in Biblical truth, with an emphasis on developing Christian Leadership among students.

Describe your family. What activities do you do as a family?

Describe your child's likes and dislikes, personality, temperament and any special activities in which he/she participates.

Why do you want your child to attend New Jersey United Christian Academy? What do you look forward to the most?

Has your child make a profession of faith in Jesus Christ? Yes No Please elaborate:

Describe your family's spiritual growth over the past year. What goals do you have for next year?

Briefly describe your view of Christian education:

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

4. STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Student's Name: _____ Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Please answer the following questions in your own handwriting using complete sentences.

1. Describe your family: Include your relationship with your parents, siblings and family activities.

2. Describe yourself. How would a friend describe you? How would an adult describe you?

What kinds of things do you like and dislike?

3. Why do you want to attend New Jersey United Christian Academy? What do you look forward to the most?

4. If you were to die today, do you know for certain that you would go to heaven? Yes No

What is your understanding of how a person gets to heaven?

5. Describe your spiritual growth over the past year and the goals you have for this year:

6. Describe your friendships: Are you a leader or a follower?

7. How well do you relate to those in authority over you?

8. What single event has had the greatest impact on your life? How has it affected you?

(It may be something good, tragic or painful.)

9. What is the longest you have been away from your family? How was that experience?

10. **BOARDING STUDENTS ONLY.** What do you think will be the most difficult aspect of being a resident student and

how do you think you will overcome this difficulty?

11. **BOARDING STUDENTS ONLY.** What characteristics do you have which will help you be a good Roommate?

What characteristics do you desire in a roommate?

5. STUDENT RECOMMENDATION

Student's Name: _____ Current Grade _____

Name of Evaluator: _____ Position: _____ Date: ____/____/____

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT'S TEACHER:

In order to properly assess a student's enrollment and placement at NJUCA, We ask that this form be completed with the best intentioned information, and returned to our admission's office by fax or mail. Thank you for your assistance.

ACADEMIC EVALUATION: Level: Average Above Average. Honors.

| ACADEMIC EVALUATION | OUTSTANDING | GOOD | AVERAGE | FAIR | POOR |
|-------------------------------|-------------|------|---------|------|------|
| Academic Potential | | | | | |
| Effort & Perseverance | | | | | |
| Study Habits | | | | | |
| Intellectual Curiosity | | | | | |
| Ability to Work Independently | | | | | |
| Use of Time | | | | | |
| Follows Directions | | | | | |
| Attention Span | | | | | |

| PERSONAL EVALUATION | OUTSTANDING | GOOD | AVERAGE | FAIR | POOR |
|------------------------------|-------------|------|---------|------|------|
| Integrity & Honesty | | | | | |
| Consideration of Others | | | | | |
| Social Adjustment with Peers | | | | | |
| Classroom Conduct | | | | | |
| Initiative | | | | | |
| Emotional Stability | | | | | |
| Self-Confidence | | | | | |

CIRCLE
 the words
 that best describe
 the student:

- Aggressive
- Anxious
- Articulate
- Assertive
- Cheerful
- Confident
- Conscientious
- Disobedient
- Easily
- Discouraged
- Egotistical
- Follower
- Helpful
- Honest
- Influential
- Irritable
- Manipulative
- Motivated
- Negative
- Leader
- Optimist
- Over-
- Protected
- Passive-
- Aggressive
- Pessimist
- Perfectionist
- Positive
- Leader
- Responsible
- Self-Centered
- Self-disciplined

COMMENTS:

Please comment further with regard to any academic, behavioral, emotional or social observations you have made. Please use the backside of this sheet if necessary.

I grant permission to release this information requested on this form to:

New Jersey United Christian Academy, 73 Holmes Mill Rd, Cream Ridge, NJ 08514

Teacher's Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

6. PASTORAL REFERENCE FORM

Family Name: _____ Student Name: _____

Pastor: _____ Church: _____

Church Address: _____ Telephone: _____

Is this family a member of the church? Yes No Do they attend regularly? Yes No

Please list any church activities in which this family is involved, including leadership positions.

Does your church have any conflicts with the NJUCA Statement of Faith?

If so, please explain:

NJUCA requires that at least one parent be a professing Christian, having a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Would you recommend this family for admission to NJUCA?

Comments:

Pastor's Signature: _____ Date: _____ / _____ / _____

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Dear Parents,

Thank you for your interest in admissions to New Jersey United Christian Academy. Our mission is to provide a solid academic program, rooted in Biblical truth, with an emphasis on developing Christian leadership among students. New Jersey United Christian Academy seeks to encourage students to effectively integrate Biblical truth into their daily lives and impact the culture for Christ.

Our school verse, taken from Proverbs 3:5-6, speaks to our beliefs that the Lord will direct the path of students as they place their trust in Him. This rooting Biblical framework, along with a solid academic program, is what will define the education at New Jersey United Christian Academy. Our goal is to develop leadership qualities in young people that they will use throughout life, in service to God and society.

We ask that you read all the enclosed literature carefully and prayerfully. Your application is not considered complete, nor will any enrollment decision be considered, without all application information received. Thank you for considering NJUCA.

In Christ,

Donna Torres and Dawn Fossnes
Principals

Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding, in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your path."

ADMISSION POLICIES

The following are the policies of NJUCA regarding admittance:

A. PHILOSOPHY: The primary reason for the existence of NJUCA is to provide Christian education for teens from Christian families. By “Christian Families” NJUCA means those families who believe and are committed to the Scriptural principles which are enunciated in NJUCA’s Statement of Faith. This is in harmony with the fact that the school views itself as an extension of the Christian home as it fulfills its Biblical responsibility for the education of children.

B. NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY: NJUCA admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at NJUCA. NJUCA does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, athletics, the arts and other school-administrated programs.

C. ADMISSION REQUIREMENT: Admission will be limited to Christian families in which at least one parent expresses a clear testimony of the Scriptural principles which are enunciated in NJUCA’s Statement of Faith and Standard of Community Life. The student and at least one parent must be in weekly church attendance in a Bible believing church. In addition to this, all parents and students must be interviewed as outlined in this policy. The student must display a desire to attend NJUCA.

D. APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT: An application for enrollment is considered properly submitted when the application forms provided by NJUCA are completed and returned, together with the signed Statement of Faith, signed Standard of Community Life, completed parent and student questionnaires, the appropriate non-refundable application fee, the student’s latest report card and the Pastoral Reference form. No child will be assigned a position on enrollment lists until the application is completed in full.

E. PARENT/STUDENT INTERVIEWS: An interview of an applicant’s parents and student will be conducted by at least one administrator. The purpose of the interview(s) is to:

- Administer a placement test to the student;
- Ensure that at least one parent believes and is committed to the Scriptural principles which are enunciated in the NJUCA Statement of Faith;
- Confirm the parents’ desire for a Christian education for their child;
- Determine the parent’s understanding of Christian education;
- The family beliefs and practices are consistent with the standards and values of NJUCA;
- The student expresses a desire to attend NJUCA and agrees to live in harmony with school standards;
- Academic records and/or transcripts of previous school work, health records, and references are reviewed and found to be acceptable under the standard set by NJUCA;
- Students with a history of behavioral problems have cleared their records with previous schools and now demonstrate a commitment for a changed lifestyle in both personal testimony and character references;
- Answer questions that parents/students may have regarding NJUCA.

F. ADMISSION DECISIONS: Standard Admission is offered by NJUCA administration to those students who meet all requirements for enrollment at NJUCA.

Probationary Admission is set by NJUCA administration due to extenuating circumstances brought about by the student’s academic or behavioral profile. This probationary period would vary in length from one term to the entire school year. Disciplinary probation would be established due to past behavioral problems, attitudes expressed during the interview or concerns raised by references. As with academic probation, students placed on disciplinary probation will be monitored during the length of the probation period and evaluation made as to the student’s continued enrollment at NJUCA. An additional fee will be charged for students placed on probation for the additional monitoring, academic tutoring, and/or behavioral counseling that may be required.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

New Jersey United Christian Academy seeks to be one of three major influences in your family life. We view the home, the church and our school as three strands of a cord that is not easily broken (Ecclesiastes 4:12). Because of the times and society in which we live, it is imperative that these three institutions work in harmony as we have our faculty, staff and families affirm, on a regular basis, their pledge to the basic principles of faith and conduct, along with their commitment to be in regular worship in a local church. This is not to be viewed as a legalistic dictate, but rather a way to assist the school and home in maintaining consistency, stability and unity.

Listed below are two foundational statements that we are asking each family to read and affirm as a part of the enrollment process. Please read each statement carefully and prayerfully. We require that at least one parent sign the Statement of Faith. All parents and all students are required to sign the Standard of Community Life.

A. STATEMENT OF FAITH: NJUCA has adopted the following as defining its doctrinal basis:

- We believe that there is one sovereign God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (1 Timothy 1:17)
- We believe that Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God for faith and practice. (2 Timothy 3:16)
- We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father and in His personal return in power and glory. (Hebrews 1:1-3)
- We believe and profess that salvation is a gift of God's grace received through personal faith in Jesus Christ. (Ephesians 2:8)
- We believe in the present indwelling ministry of the Holy Spirit, whose intercessory and sanctifying work continually renews the Christian and enables him to live a godly life in conformity with the Scripture. (John 14:15-17)
- We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ as evidenced in the local body of Christ that is the church. (Hebrews 10: 22-25)

B. STATEMENT OF CHURCH AFFILIATION

We (I) affirm, by signing below that we (I) will make every effort to be regular in attendance and worship with a local body of Christ that we (I) will call a home church. The church that we (I) regularly attend is:

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

STANDARD OF COMMUNITY LIFE

This standard is based upon the student making conscious choices rather than merely accepting worldly values and conduct. The concept of "What Would Jesus Do" forms the basis for the response to the school's expectations. The standard is not intended to be legalistic or confining to youthful exuberance and maturity. It is set before our student body to be a guide for living that incorporates the Word of God, the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, and the desired atmosphere in our school. To this end, students will strive to:

RESPECT AUTHORITY: Proverbs 20:11; Romans 13:1-2; Titus 3:1-2

- Be obedient to parental, school, church and civil authorities
- Cooperate with those in authority, bringing honor to God and to our school
- Cultivate Humility in service to others

COMMUNICATE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE: Psalm 1:1; Proverbs 4:24; Ephesians 4:29

- Refrain from gossip, slander and verbally hurting others.
- Work to resolve conflict in a manner that pleases God and promotes peace.
- Keep from mocking and scornful communication

UPHOLD A BIBLICAL STANDARD OF MORALITY: Proverbs 2:8-10; Corinthians 6:18-20

- Abstain from the possession and use of alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs
- Refrain from the use of profanity or vulgarity
- Flee from sexual sin

MAINTAIN A GODLY LIFESTYLE: Proverbs 6:10-19; Colossians 3: 8-19; 1 Peter 1:3-8

- Be honest and trustworthy in relationships and responsibilities
- Seek to build faith and the Fruit of the Spirit in self and others
- Promote and practice forgiveness

In all that we seek to be and do, NJUCA desires to teach, imitate and promote examples of Christ as portrayed in Philippians 2:1-16

The administration may search any part of the premises, including but not limited to student housing, back packs, purses, cell phones, and automobiles based on a suspicion of illegal conduct or substance abuse or randomly, without implicit suspicion, without student or parental consent.

As a parent(s) and student(s), we affirm the Standard for Community Life and policies set forth by the school. We understand this standard applies both on and off campus and that our continued enrollment at New Jersey United Christian Academy will depend, in part, upon our support, consideration and adherence to this standard.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____