

Thank you for considering Grove City Christian School as an educational option for your student. We are excited about serving you and your family! Please see our website to begin the admissions process (www.gccsk12.org). We frequently have waiting lists, and do not want your child to miss out on this opportunity.

If you have questions after reading through the information provided, please call our school office at (614) 875-3000. You may also e-mail Jan Bowman at jb Bowman@gccsk12.org. She will answer your questions so that you can make a fully informed decision.

VISITING THE SCHOOL

GCCS offers tours every at your convenience. One of our office staff will take you throughout the school and answer any questions you may have. If you are interested in a tour, please call the school office at 875-3000.

ADMISSION POLICIES

- Kindergarten students must be at least 5 years old by August 1st
- Home-schooled students must provide yearly assessments
- Students transferring from other schools must provide a transcript (grades 9-12) or report card (grades K-8)
- All students must be immunized according to state guidelines
- Admissions close at the end of the first semester

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications are accepted according to the schedule below:

- The week of February 6, 2012: GCCS Student Siblings.
- The week of February 13, 2012: GCCS Church Families.
- The week of February 20, 2012: Grove City Christian Childcare and Preschool.
- The week of February 27, 2012: Open Enrollment Begins.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Use this checklist to be certain your application packet is complete by including the following:

- Completed application with \$250 non-refundable application fee
- Birth certificate (copy)
- Report card (K-8) or transcript (9-12)
- A recent photo of child
- Parent questionnaire
- Student questionnaire (grades 7-12)
- Immunization Record
- GCCS Tuition Policy Confirmation Form
- Transportation Form (if applicable)
- Pastor's Recommendation Form
- Previous School Administrator's Recommendation Form

NEXT STEPS

After reviewing your application materials, we will begin scheduling screenings and interviews for additional input.

Kindergarten applicants will participate in a fun, interactive screening held in May. Older students will take an abbreviated Stanford Achievement Test, given at a grade-appropriate level. This is a standardized test used at schools nationwide and is a multiple-choice form plus a writing component for students in grades 5-12. The family interview gives GCCS an opportunity to meet with student and parents face to face. Discussion points include reasons for seeking enrollment, expectations of students, curriculum, and class scheduling.

ADMISSIONS

Each student's file is carefully considered by the Administration. All discussions are strictly confidential, including reasons for acceptance or denial.

ACCEPTANCE

All families will be notified regarding the admissions decision by letter.

ACCREDITATION

GCCS is chartered by the Ohio Department of Education and is affiliated with the Association of Christian Schools International.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The school year is comprised of two semesters, each containing two quarters (9 weeks). The elementary/intermediate school day begins at 8:20 a.m. and ends at 3:25 p.m. Middle/High School begins at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 3:25 p.m.

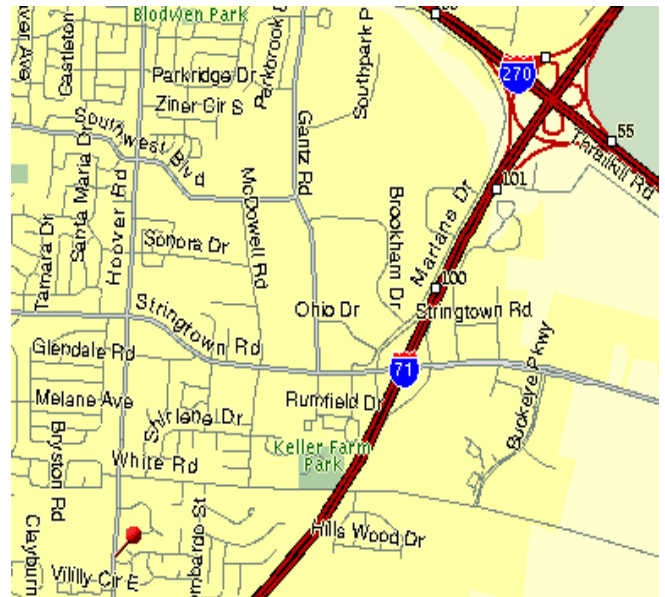
Grove City Christian School uses a 4.0 grading scale. In the high school an additional weighted grading system is used for Honors and Advanced Placement courses to provide an incentive for those students who choose to take the more difficult course work. Honors courses will receive a .25 add-on quality point to the final grade. Advanced Placement courses will receive a .50 add-on quality point to the final grade.

BUS TRANSPORTATION

Southwestern City Schools will transport your student to GCCS if you live within the Grove City High School area. You may contact the transportation office of Southwestern City Schools for more information.

DIRECTIONS TO GCCS

Directions: Take I-71 to the Grove City, Ohio exit (Stringtown Road), turn west onto Stringtown Road and proceed to the Hoover Road intersection. Turn left onto Hoover Road. GCCS is located about 1 mile on the left behind Grove City Church of the Nazarene. Please enter the building at the doors next to the flag poles.



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