

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

ADMISSIONS POLICY

Houma Christian School admits students of any race, color, national, or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally afforded to or made available to its students. Houma Christian School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national, or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, athletic, and other school-administered programs. Houma Christian School is a part of the ministry of Living Word Church, a non-denominational Christian Church dedicated to the propagation of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Houma Christian School will consider as prospective students all applicants for admissions to the school who are deemed academically and morally acceptable. Each prospective high school student may be interviewed in an attempt to learn objectives and attitudes and to determine if these objectives and attitudes correspond with that of the school. Standard rules of conduct in and out of school will be required of each student admitted to Houma Christian.

These rules are as follows:

1. To refrain from swearing, indecent language, smoking, drinking alcoholic beverages, the abuse of drugs, and gambling.
2. To maintain Christian standards in courtesy, kindness, morality, and honesty.

MISSION STATEMENT

Designed with a purpose,
Fearfully and wonderfully made,
We will pursue academic excellence
And a personal relationship with
JESUS CHRIST.

Admissions testing information will be based on recognized instruments which are generally accepted as giving valid predictive information about the applicant's capability. Records from schools of previous attendance will be secured.

To gain admittance to Houma Christian School's kindergarten program, a student must attain the age of five years old on or before September 30th of the year he is to enter kindergarten. For first grade a student must attain the age of six years old on or before September 30th of the year he is to enter first grade.

Inasmuch as students develop at widely varying rates and times, the school accepts the obligation to work with a child and his family to determine the proper placement of the child within the academic and social framework of the school. Acceptance by the parents of the school's evaluation of the proper placement for the child is a requirement for admissions.

Admissions decisions for elementary and high school students are made by the administration of the school and are final. **All first-year students are taken on a probationary basis.** It is God's plan for us here at Houma Christian to train future leaders for His Kingdom's purposes. Should their first year prove unprofitable in God's plan, they will be asked not to return the following year.

PHILOSOPHY

Houma Christian School has been established to provide an academically excellent Christian education undergirded by a faith in God and in the Bible. Our curriculum and its related activities are planned to meet the needs of students desiring a quality education in a Christian environment.

A quality education is achieved based on traditional, fundamental discipline with emphasis placed on sound habits, skills, and attitudes.

The whole child must be considered by providing guidance in learning to respect and relate to others, in learning to accept responsibility, in learning to establish sound moral and spiritual values, and in learning to use individual talents and abilities to the glory of God.

A Christian environment can be obtained by comprehensive spiritual training which will provide for the developing of full Christian personalities on the premises given by God in the Scriptures; teaching of all courses of study in a Christian atmosphere; giving a reason for being, based upon a Christian view of God and the world; establishing absolute values based on Scriptural principles; and preparing Christian young people for effective service to God and to the community. Houma Christian School is staffed with an alert, well-trained Christian faculty which takes pleasure in teaching, displays genuine interest in the students, and works in harmony with each other. Students are provided an avenue of participation collectively under the leadership of a student council and individually through freedom to offer suggestions for the improvement of any program. The administration works creatively and professionally with both groups, recognizing that each member of the faculty is a part of the professional team, and that students are most directly involved in their own development, and that all prosper most effectively in a harmonious relationship in which all share responsibility for the successful culmination of the school's program.

We dedicate ourselves to sponsor the fullest possible development of each student committed to our care by striving to provide opportunities whereby the student can develop his individual potential. We aspire to help each student establish a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, cultivate a loyalty to democratic principles, and to develop a well-integrated personality that is spiritually alert, morally sound, and emotionally and intellectually mature.

VISION STATEMENT

Houma Christian School
is committed
to the cultivation and
intellectual development
of each student
in the pursuit of
academic excellence,
thereby helping
to propel them
to higher levels of
education and achievement.
Furthermore,
Houma Christian
values
the integration of faith in
Jesus Christ
throughout
the educational process
for the maturing
of mind,
body,
and spirit.

ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES

- Fill out the application and return it to the office with the following:
 - Copy of Birth Certificate
 - Copy of Social Security Card
 - Copy of Immunization Record
 - \$35.00 Application Fee
(Non-refundable)
 - Reports on any special testing
 - Copy of past achievement testing
 - Copy of most recent report card
 - Completed Parental Agreement
- A date will be arranged for testing for Kindergarten and First Grade if needed.
- As necessary an interview will be arranged with the administrator.
- The decision will be made on the applicant, and the parents will be notified as soon as possible. An account will be set up with FACTS to determine the date and amount of payments.
- A registration fee, technology fee, and supply fee will be required upon enrollment.
(REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE)
- In the event a student withdraws during the school year, a \$100 processing fee will be assessed. Additionally, a \$15 processing fee will be charged to any unused concessions.

TUITION AND REGISTRATION FEES FOR 2020-2021

REGISTRATION FEES: (NON-REFUNDABLE)

New enrollment \$400.00 Re-enrollment \$375.00
PLUS PLUS
Technology Fee \$60.00
Supply Fee - to be determined

TUITION:

K4 - 6th	1st Child	\$3906.00
	2nd Child	\$3756.00
	3rd Child	\$3656.00
	4th Child	\$3581.00
7th-12th	1st Child	\$4869.00
	2nd Child	\$4719.00
	3rd Child	\$4619.00
	4th Child	\$4544.00

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

**FACTS Enrollment Fee \$20 (one or two payments)*

One payment in full through FACTS - due August 5th or 20th.

Two payments through FACTS - first due on August 5th or 20th and second due January 5th or 20th.

**All tuition is prepaid. Accounts set up for 1 or 2 payments must be made in August and January, or earlier.*

**FACTS Enrollment Fee \$50 (3 or more payments)*

Ten payments through FACTS - beginning on August 5th or 20th and ending on May 5th or 20th.

**All seniors must be paid in full by May 5th.*

Semi-weekly or weekly payments may be arranged through FACTS due on the date chosen by the account holder.

FACTS

(866)441-4637
online.factsmgt.com

Payment method must be an Automatic Bank Payment (ACH) from a checking or savings, or credit card (with a convenience fee).

FACTS returned payment fee is \$30.00. Any student whose FACTS account is 60 days past due will not be admitted to class.

A late fee of \$20 will be assessed on tuition for the second attempt.

Incidental fees that are 30 days past due will result in a \$20 fee.

FACTS offers Peace of Mind for \$20. For more information visit online.factmgt.com.

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