



PARENT-STUDENT AGREEMENT

We the undersigned parents or guardians of _____ do hereby request enrollment at New Hope Christian Academy for our child. We recognize that the Bible places primary responsibility on the home for the education of children; therefore, we request this school to operate on our behalf with the following understanding.

_____ 1. We understand that New Hope Christian Academy is a ministry of New Hope Baptist Church and that as such, it is an integral part of the church. We understand that it is an offset of the church to guide their children in the way that God would have them to go. The church's doctrinal position on the Bible may be reflected in the teachings and affairs of the school.

_____ 2. We further understand that it is expected that our family maintain a lifestyle that is consistent with the Bible. This includes regular prayer and Bible reading in the home and faithful worship of God.

_____ 3. We further acknowledge that we have read, and that we understand and support, the dress code policies.

_____ 4. We further understand that the school is expected to maintain consistent scriptural discipline and should it become necessary for our child to be disciplined with any form of punishment, we will support the school or withdraw.

_____ 5. We further understand that New Hope Christian Academy is a spiritual ministry of New Hope Baptist Church under the immediate direction of its Pastor. However, we also realize that there are costs involved in Christian education that cannot be borne by the Church budget alone. We, therefore, promise to faithfully under-ride its costs by giving monthly as is specified in the Financial Agreement. We realize that failure to do so could lead to termination of our participation in the Academy.

_____ 6. We further covenant that should any misunderstanding or dissatisfaction arise regarding any teaching, policy, or philosophy of the church or school, we will consult with the administrator. We will determine to resolve them as quickly as possible and that if irreconcilable differences continue, we will withdraw from participation at New Hope Christian Academy.

_____ 7. We further covenant that at least one parent will attend any prescribed Parent Orientation programs offered by the school, and such attendance on our part is a condition for our child's enrollment. We also promise to attend any Parent/Teacher meetings held throughout the year. We acknowledge that failure to participate in these meetings could lead to our child's termination.

_____ 8. We further covenant that we will pray regularly for the staff of New Hope Christian Academy. We will volunteer our physical efforts to sustain its school ministry whenever and however possible.



_____ 9. We further certify that we do not expect New Hope Christian Academy to specialize in extra-curricular activities. We expect the school to make spiritual and academic development its major emphasis. If other extra-curricular activities are possible, we will consider them a pleasant addendum rather than an essential element.

_____ 10. We understand that if for any reason the administrator or school board should deem that we are not in compliance with the letter or spirit of the school, then we will be asked to withdraw from participation in it and will comply without recourse.

_____ 11. I give permission for my child to take part in all school activities, including sports and school-sponsored trips away from the school premises. I absolve the school from liability, to me or my child, because of any injury at school, or during any school activity.

We enter into this agreement voluntarily and enthusiastically and request to be a part of the family of New Hope Christian Academy:

Father's Signature

Date

Mother's Signature

Date