



## Christian Scholar Merit Scholarship Application

Students applying to grades 6-12 may qualify for this scholarship if their family attends a Christian church committed to orthodox Christian doctrine (a pastor or elder must sign the faith statement below), and if they earned an “A” average (GPA) for all classes for at least one year prior to applying. The Christian scholar merit scholarship will be valued at up to 35% of tuition, subject to the school’s scholarship budget.

To be considered for this scholarship, complete the following steps and submit all supporting documentation in one envelope to John Mark Niehls, Headmaster.

All forms are available at [www.coventrychristian.com](http://www.coventrychristian.com).

1. Complete the Registration Form.
2. Sign the faith statement.
3. Have a pastor or elder from your church sign the faith statement.
4. Submit applicant report cards/transcripts for the current and previous two years.
5. Submit at least one copy of a standardized test score from the last three years.
6. Submit the student essay. In at least 250 words, explain how working hard in school can help you fulfill the command, “Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength and love your neighbor as yourself.”
7. Submit at least two letters of recommendation from the applicant’s teachers (must have taught him/her within the last year).

Coventry Christian Schools Faith Statement

We commit ourselves to these fundamental educational principles:

- That the instruction and education of children in our schools must be in accord with the Word of God.
- That education is primarily the responsibility of the parents.

We believe:

- In the divine inspiration, infallibility and final authority of the Bible as the only Word of God.
- In one God, the Creator and Sustainer of the universe, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- In the uniqueness of man, by virtue of his special creation in God's image, and his responsibility to understand and master the world to the glory of God.
- In the unique Deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, the incarnate, virgin-born Son of God.
- In the representative and substitutionary death of our Lord Jesus Christ as the necessary atonement for our sins.
- In the power of the Holy Spirit in the work of regeneration and His continuing work in the heart of the believer.
- In the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord and that blessed hope, His personal return.
- In the bodily resurrection of the just and unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved and everlasting punishment of the lost.

SIGNED AFFIRMATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent), do hereby affirm this statement of faith in its entirety / in part (circle one).

If "in part," please attach an explanation.

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Parent Signature	Date
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Parent Signature	Date
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Pastor/Elder Signature	Date