

Board Foundational Statements

The Board shall govern with an emphasis on Biblically based integrity and truthfulness in all method and practices.

1. We believe that the Fundamentals of our Faith form the basis for sound Biblical instruction.
 - a. We believe the Bible to be the inspired and only infallible, authoritative, written Word of God. II Timothy 3: 16-17.
 - b. We believe that there is one God eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Matthew 28: 19, II Corinthians 13: 14.
 - c. We believe that the universe originated by the creative act of God as revealed in Holy Scriptures, and that the form of every kind of life was fixed at the time of its creation. Genesis 1: 1, John 1:1.
 - d. We believe in the true deity and true humanity of our Lord Jesus Christ, His pre-existence, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and His future visible return in power and glory. Colossians 1: 13-20, John 1:14.
 - e. We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ is the only mediator between God and man. 1 Timothy 2:5.
 - f. We believe that all men are lost and sinful, and that salvation is received by personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and by the act of regeneration of life by the Holy Spirit of God. Romans 3: 23-26, Titus 3: 5.
 - g. We believe that by the present indwelling ministry of the Holy Spirit, the Christian is enabled to live a godly life, and that every believer should practice the holiness which God requires. Ephesians 1: 13-14, Romans 8: 1-4, Romans 12: 1-2, Titus 2: 11-13.
 - h. We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: they that are saved unto the resurrection of life; and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation. John 5: 25, 28-29.
 - i. We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in the Lord Jesus Christ. John 17:23, I Corinthians 12: 12-13.
 - j. We believe that, individually and corporately, we are called to the task of sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ to people of all languages and nationalities with a view to their salvation. (Matt. 28:19,20; Acts 2:39; 2 Cor. 5:20; 2 Tim. 4:5)
 - k. We recognize that there are other doctrines held by various Christian believers, which they believe to be consistent with the above. However, such teachings shall not be incorporated as approved by this school.

2. We believe that deriving practical applications from and modeling God's Word are essential to completing our mission and vision consistent with Biblical truth. Accordingly
 - a. That a Christian, faith-based education is essential to the achievement of our mission
 - b. That Christian schools exist to support both parents and the church in fulfilling the parents' Biblical responsibility to educate their children.

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- c. That teaching God's Word, and teaching how to apply God's Word, is essential to education
 - i. All truth is God's truth.
 - ii. It is important to have knowledge of and appreciation for the attributes of God.
 - iii. The work of the Holy Spirit is necessary for spiritual growth and development.
 - iv. Prayer is essential to all aspects of a Christian's life.
 - v. Every individual is of value; all are uniquely created in the image of God.
 - vi. That a personal relationship with Christ is essential for salvation and for the full understanding of God's Word.
- d. That every aspect of the curriculum shall be permeated with God's Word, including teaching on:
 - i. The natural world.
 - ii. Human history and God's activity in it.
 - iii. Humanity, its cultures, and how we are to live in the world.
- e. That a Biblically consistent education must be modeled as well as taught. Therefore, all faculty and staff:
 - ii. Are born-again Christians who model Christ.
 - iii. Embody excellence.
 - iv. Demonstrate a servant's heart.
 - v. Serve in harmony.
 - vi. Engage consistently in activities that reflect Biblical truth.