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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are so happy for your interest in admission to New Jersey United Christian Academy! Our mission is to provide a solid academic program, rooted in Biblical truth, with an emphasis on developing Christian leadership among students. New Jersey United Christian Academy seeks to encourage students to effectively integrate Biblical truth into their daily lives and impact the culture for Christ.

Our school verse, taken from Proverbs 3:5-6, speaks to our belief that the Lord will direct the path of students as they place their trust in Him. This rooting in Biblical framework, along with a solid academic program, is what will define the education at New Jersey United Christian Academy. Our goal is to develop leadership qualities in young people that they will use throughout life, in service to God and society.

For students who cannot commute to NJUCA, a resident program is provided, including full room and board. Please inquire if you are interested.

Please read all the enclosed literature carefully and prayerfully. Your application is not considered complete, nor will any enrollment decision be considered, without all application information received.

Thank you for considering NJUCA to partner with for the education of your child.

Teaching for Him,

Christopher Lowe

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Principal

Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding, in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your path."



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2023-24 DAY STUDENT APPLICATION PACKET NEW JERSEY UNITED CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

1. Send in the completed application and all supporting documents along with a non-refundable \$75.00 application fee.
2. Once the application is reviewed, the applicant will be given a telephone/web-cam/in-person interview. Please see the enclosed Admission Policies for more information.
3. If admitted, NJUCA will issue a letter of acceptance along with a registration packet.
4. If the applicant desires to enroll, please complete the registration packet and submit with a non-refundable \$200.00 registration fee. This fee is per family. Please see the enclosed tuition/fee schedule for additional financial information.

APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST

For day students, the following items need to be received to complete the application package:

- Completed Family Information Form
- For 10th and 11th grade applicants, transcripts that cover all years from 9th grade. For middle school and 9th grade applicants, transcripts that cover either 5th grade (for 6th grade applicants) or all the years of middle school prior to the grade you are applying.
- Signed Statement of Faith
- Signed Standard of Community Life
- Completed Parent Questionnaire
- Completed Student Questionnaire
- Completed Teacher Reference Form
- Completed Pastoral Reference Form



ADMISSION POLICIES

The following are the policies of NJUCA regarding admittance:

A. MISSION STATEMENT: To provide a solid academic program, rooted in Biblical truth, with an emphasis on developing Christian leadership among students. We envision a school that prepares teenagers to be strong Christian leaders, impacting their school, communities and culture; a school that works with the home and the church to raise up teens who recognize and utilize their God-given gifts; a school that helps to train teens to defend the faith and to spread the awesome news of Jesus Christ to their generation and to pursue the career to which God has called them, standing out among society as a testimony to God's perfect plan.

B. NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY: NJUCA admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at NJUCA. NJUCA does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarships and loan programs, athletic program or other school-administrated programs.

C. ADMISSION REQUIREMENT: NJUCA encourages applicants of good moral character with a passion for learning, variety of talents, and interests. In addition to this, all parents and students must be interviewed as outlined in this policy.

D. APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT: An application for enrollment is considered properly submitted when the application forms provided by NJUCA are completed and returned. In addition to the application fee the student's latest report card will be needed. No child will be assigned a position on enrollment lists until the application is completed in full.

E. PARENT/STUDENT INTERVIEWS: An interview of an applicant's parents and student will be conducted by the principal. The purpose of the interview(s) is to:

- The family beliefs and practices are consistent with the standards and values of NJUCA;
- The student expresses a desire to attend NJUCA and agrees to live in harmony with school standards;
- Academic records and/or transcripts of previous school work, health records, and references are reviewed and found to be acceptable under the standard set by NJUCA;
- Students with a history of behavioral problems have cleared their records with previous schools and now demonstrate a commitment for a changed lifestyle in both personal testimony and character references;
- Answer questions that parents/students may have regarding NJUCA.

F. ADMISSION DECISIONS:

Standard Admission – is offered by NJUCA administration to those students who meet all requirements for enrollment at NJUCA.

Probationary Admission – is set by NJUCA administration due to extenuating circumstances brought about by the student's academic or behavioral profile. This probationary period would vary in length from one term to the entire school year. Disciplinary probation would be established due to past behavioral problems, attitudes expressed during the interview or concerns raised by references. As with academic probation, students placed on disciplinary probation will be monitored during the length of the probation period and evaluation made as to the student's continued enrollment at NJUCA.

PLEASE ATTACH A RECENT PHOTO OF THE STUDENT



FAMILY INFORMATION FORM

STUDENT'S INFORMATION	Date of Application _____
Applying for _____ Fall _____ Spring Year _____	Grade applying for _____
Student's Name: _____	
(Last)	(First) (Middle)
Date of Birth: _____	Social Security #: _____
(Month/Day/Year)	
Complete Address: _____	
(Street)	(City) (State) (Zip)
Home Phone : (____) _____	Cell Phone: (____) _____
Email: _____	Please circle: Male or Female
School Presently Attending: _____	Grade: _____
School Address: _____	
(Street)	(City) (State) (Zip)
School Phone: (____) _____	School Fax: (____) _____
CUSTODY: <input type="checkbox"/> Father & Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian	
If there are special circumstances regarding the custody of the student, a letter detailing the circumstances must also be included. NJUCA will abide by the terms of the custody documents.	

FATHER'S /LEGAL GUARDIAN'S INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Nickname: _____

Spouse (If different from below): _____ Phone: (____)_____

Complete Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Cell Phone: (____)_____

Married Divorced Remarried Widower Separated Single

Employer: _____ Position: _____ Work Phone (____)_____

Name of Home Church: _____ Pastor: _____

Church Address: _____ Church Phone:(____)_____

MOTHER'S /LEGAL GUARDIAN'S INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Nickname: _____

Spouse (If different from below): _____ Phone: (____)_____

Complete Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Cell Phone: (____)_____

Married Divorced Remarried Widower Separated Single

Employer: _____ Position: _____ Work Phone (____)_____

Name of Home Church: _____ Pastor: _____

Church Address: _____ Church Phone:(____)_____

SIBLINGS' INFORMATION

Name	Age	Current School	Current Grade

PREVIOUS SCHOOLS

NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	GRADE	YEAR	PHONE #

- 1. Describe your child's academic progress in school:

- 2. What are some of your child's interests, talents and activities?

- 3. Has your child ever repeated a grade? Yes No Grade: _____

Recommended for retention this year? Yes No

Comment: _____

- 4. Has your child been identified as having a learning disability?
IEP (Y or N) _____ If yes, date of the most recent Child Study Team Evaluation: _____
504 (Y or N) _____

- 5. Has your child ever been suspended, expelled or refused admission to any school? If yes, give dates:

Please Explain: _____

- 6. Has your child ever been asked to withdraw from a school? _____
If so, what grade? And please explain: _____

- 7. Has your child ever been in any difficulty with civil authorities? _____
If yes, please give the date and explanation: _____

Please send copies of the most recent report card, transcript and standardized test scores. This must be received before we can process the application.



Parent Questionnaire

Student's Name: _____ Date: _____

The mission of New Jersey United Christian Academy is to provide a solid academic program, rooted in Biblical truth, with an emphasis on developing Christian Leadership among students.

Describe your family. What activities do you do as a family?

Describe your child's likes and dislikes, personality, temperament and any special activities in which he/she participates.

Why do you want your child to attend New Jersey United Christian Academy? What do you look forward to the most?

Has your child made a profession of faith in Jesus Christ? Yes No Please elaborate:

Describe your family's spiritual growth over the past year. What goals do you have for next year?

Briefly describe your view of Christian education:

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Please submit this form along with the application



Student Questionnaire

Student's Name: _____ Date: _____

Please answer the following questions in your own handwriting using complete sentences.

1. Describe your family: Include your relationship with your parents, siblings and family activities.

2. Describe yourself. How would a friend describe you? How would an adult describe you? What kinds of things do you like and dislike?

3. Why do you want to attend New Jersey United Christian Academy? What do you look forward to the most?

4. Describe your spiritual growth over the past year and the goals you have for this year:

5. Describe your friendships: Are you a leader or a follower?

6. How well do you relate to those in authority over you?

7. What single event has had the greatest impact on your life? How has it affected you? (It may be something good, tragic or painful.)

Student Signature

Please submit this form along with the application



STATEMENT OF FAITH

New Jersey United Christian Academy seeks to be one of three major influences in your family life. We view the home, the church and our school as three strands of a cord that is not easily broken (Ecclesiastes 4:12). Because of the times and society in which we live, it is imperative that these three institutions work in harmony as we have our faculty, staff, and families affirm, on a regular basis, their pledge to the basic principles of faith and conduct, along with their commitment to be in regular worship in a local church. This is not to be viewed as a legalistic dictate, but rather a way to assist the school and home in maintaining consistency, stability and unity.

Listed below are two foundational statements that we are asking each family to read and affirm as a part of the enrollment process. Please read each statement carefully and prayerfully. We require that at least one parent sign the Statement of Faith. All parents and all students are required to sign the Standard of Community Life.

A. STATEMENT OF FAITH: NJUCA has adopted the following as defining its doctrinal basis:

- We believe that there is one sovereign God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (1 Timothy 1:17, Matthew 28:19)
- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God for faith and practice. (2 Timothy 3:16-17)
- We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father and in His personal return in power and glory. (Colossians 1:13-20)
- We believe that all men are lost and sinful, and that salvation is received by the grace of God through personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and by the act of regeneration of life by the Holy Spirit. (Romans 3:23-26)
- We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ. (Acts 3:19-21; Rom 10:9-10; I Cor. 6:9-11)
- We believe in the present indwelling ministry of the Holy Spirit, whose intercessory and sanctifying work continually renews the Christian and enables him to live a godly life in conformity with the Scripture. (John 14:15-17)
- We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ as evidenced in the local body of Christ that is the church. (Hebrews 10: 22-25)
- We believe that the universe originated by the creative act of God as revealed in Holy Scripture, and that the form of every kind of life was fixed at the time of its creation. (Genesis 1:1)

- We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God. (Gen 1:26-27.) Rejection of one’s biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person.
- We believe that God created marriage in the beginning, as a blessing for both man and woman, before any sin or rebellion entered the world, and that he created marriage to be between one man and one woman, who enter into a covenant relationship, complement one another, serve one another, and sanctify one another for as long as they both shall live. Accordingly, we reject any attempt to redefine marriage as a union between people of the same sex or as between more than one man and one woman. We believe that the homosexual lifestyle and alternative gender identities are contrary to the Bible. (Genesis 1:27-28; 2:15-24; Lev 18:22; Lev 20:13a; Matt 19:4-6; Rom 1:26-27; I Cor 7:14)

B. STATEMENT OF CHURCH AFFILIATION

NJUCA encourages at least one parent and each student to be in regular attendance and/or youth group worship with a local body of Christ they call a home church.

We acknowledge and agree with NJUCA’s Statement of Faith and understand that we (I) are encouraged to be in regular attendance and worship with a local body of Christ.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____



STANDARD OF COMMUNITY LIFE

This standard is based upon the student making conscious choices rather than merely accepting worldly values and conduct. The concept of “What Would Jesus Do” forms the basis for the response to the school’s expectations. The standard is not intended to be legalistic or confining to youthful exuberance and maturity. It is set before our student body to be a guide for living that incorporates the Word of God, the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, and the desired atmosphere in our school. To this end, students will strive to:

RESPECT AUTHORITY: *Proverbs 20:11; Romans 13:1-2; Titus 3:1-2*

- Be obedient to parental, school, church and civil authorities
- Cooperate with those in authority, bringing honor to God and to our school
- Cultivate Humility in service to others

COMMUNICATE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE: *Psalms 1:1; Proverbs 4:24; Ephesians 4:29*

- Refrain from gossip, slander and verbally hurting others.
- Work to resolve conflict in a manner that pleases God and promotes peace.
- Keep from mocking and scornful communication

UPHOLD A BIBLICAL STANDARD OF MORALITY: *Proverbs 2:8-10; Corinthians 6:18-20*

- Abstain from the possession and use of alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs
- Refrain from the use of profanity or vulgarity
- Flee from sexual sin

MAINTAIN A GODLY LIFESTYLE: *Proverbs 6:10-19; Colossians 3: 8-19; 1 Peter 1:3-8*

- Be honest and trustworthy in relationships and responsibilities
- Seek to build faith and the Fruit of the Spirit in self and others
- Promote and practice forgiveness

In all that we seek to be and do, NJUCA desires to teach, imitate and promote examples of Christ as portrayed in Philippians 2:1-16

The administration may search any part of the premises, including but not limited to student housing, back packs, purses, cell phones, and automobiles based on a suspicion of illegal conduct or substance abuse or randomly, without implicit suspicion, without student or parental consent.

As a parent(s) and student(s), we affirm the Standard for Community Life and policies set forth by the school. We understand this standard applies both on and off campus and that our continued enrollment at New Jersey United Christian Academy will depend, in part, upon our support, consideration and adherence to this standard.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____



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STUDENT RECOMMENDATION FORM

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT'S TEACHER:

IN ORDER TO PROPERLY ASSESS A STUDENT'S ENROLLMENT AND PLACEMENT AT NJUCA, WE ASK THAT THIS FORM BE COMPLETED WITH THE BEST-INTENTIONED INFORMATION. PLEASE RETURN TO OUR ADMISSION'S OFFICE BY FAX , MAIL OR EMAIL TO INFO@NJUCA.ORG. THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE.

Name of Student: _____ Current Grade: _____

Name of Evaluator: _____ Position: _____ Date: _____

ACADEMIC EVALUATION: Level: Average Above Average Honors

<u>ACADEMIC EVALUATION</u>	<u>OUTSTANDING</u>	<u>GOOD</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>	<u>FAIR</u>	<u>POOR</u>
Academic Potential					
Effort & Perseverance					
Study Habits					
Intellectual Curiosity					
Ability to Work Independently					
Use of Time					
Follows Directions					
Attention Span					
<u>PERSONAL EVALUATION</u>	<u>OUTSTANDING</u>	<u>GOOD</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u>	<u>FAIR</u>	<u>POOR</u>
Integrity & Honesty					
Consideration of Others					
Social Adjustment with Peers					
Classroom Conduct					
Initiative					
Emotional Stability					
Self-Confidence					

CIRCLE the words that best describe the student:

- Aggressive
- Anxious
- Articulate
- Assertive
- Cheerful
- Confident
- Conscientious
- Disobedient
- Easily Discouraged
- Egotistical
- Follower
- Helpful
- Honest
- Influential
- Irritable
- Manipulative
- Motivated
- Negative Leader
- Optimist
- Over-Protected
- Passive-Aggressive
- Pessimist
- Perfectionist
- Positive Leader
- Responsible
- Self-Centered
- Self-disciplined
- Shy
- Social
- Vivacious
- Well-Liked

Please use the backside of this sheet if necessary.

COMMENTS: Please comment further with regard to any academic, behavioral, emotional or social observations you have made.

I grant permission to release this information requested on this form to:
 New Jersey United Christian Academy, 73 Holmes Mill Rd, Cream Ridge, NJ 08514

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____



PASTORAL REFERENCE FORM

Family Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Pastor: _____

Church: _____

Church Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Is this family a member of the church? Yes No. Do they attend regularly? Yes No.

Please list any church activities in which this family is involved, including leadership positions.

Does your church have any conflicts with the NJUCA **Statement of Faith**?

If so, please explain:

NJUCA requires that at least one parent be a professing Christian, having a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Would you recommend this family for admission to NJUCA?

Comments:

Pastor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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