

Ocean View Christian Academy is founded on the Biblical principle that ultimately parents, not the school, are responsible before God to train up their children. The faculty and staff of OVCA desire to come alongside the parents and help them in fulfilling their God-given responsibility. Parents must understand that in order for their child to thrive in our program, we need their full support. The school is to be an extension of the Christian home, to reinforce moral and ethical standings in the light of God’s Word. As a sign of agreement, please initial the following statements for enrollment at Ocean View Christian Academy.

\_\_\_\_\_ We, as parents who are accepting the challenge to “train up a child in the way he should go,” do state that this training will be carried on in the home. We place our trust in Ocean View Christian Academy to extend that training more completely. (Proverbs 22:6)

\_\_\_\_\_ We recognize that it is a privilege for our child to attend this school and that the school reserves the right to dismiss any student who does not cooperate with the ideals and educational process of the school. (Ephesians 5:15-16)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will provide spiritual guidance through activities such as church attendance, prayer, and Bible reading. (Proverbs 22:6)

\_\_\_\_\_ We realize that building a strong relationship with our child’s teacher to aid in the training of our child is as much our responsibility as it is the school’s responsibility. We will endeavor to maintain open communication with the teacher. We will be faithful to read and follow through with all correspondence sent from the teacher. (i.e. Edline, student planner, e-mail, etc.) (Ephesians 4:3)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will cooperate fully with the school. We will be careful to support teachers, school, and church policies in front of our children and others. We will bring any and all questions and criticisms directly to the appropriate staff member so that they may be properly resolved with discretion. (Matthew 18:15-20)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will support the school’s discipline plan and give the teachers and administrators full discretion in the discipline of our child at school. Detention may be used for various offenses including non-completion of work at home and school. (Proverbs 3:11-12)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will make sure that our child attends school daily and is on time. (Proverbs 13:4)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will maintain primary health insurance for our child during the school year.

\_\_\_\_\_ We give permission for our child to take part in all school-related activities including school-sponsored field trips away from school premises, and we absolve the school from any liability to us or our child at school or during any school activity and/or sporting event.

\_\_\_\_\_ We agree to uphold and support high academic standards by providing a place at home to study and to encourage the completion of homework assignments.

\_\_\_\_\_ We agree to pay reasonable assessments to cover damage to the school or personal property of others caused by our child.

\_\_\_\_\_ We agree to attend school orientation and other school meetings related to our child.

\_\_\_\_\_ We agree to follow the OVCA handbook and abide by the stated guidelines.

\_\_\_\_\_ We agree to forfeit the privilege of our child attending school should we fail to comply with the established regulations, discipline, and financial obligation of Ocean View Christian Academy.

\_\_\_\_\_ Based on the scriptural mandate that Christians are not to sue one another (I Cor.6:1-8), we understand that we choose binding arbitration instead of litigation to resolve any disputes between us. OVCA agrees the same.

Having read the above, it is our desire to enroll in Ocean View Christian Academy for the upcoming school year. We pledge our cooperation to Ocean View Christian Academy regarding school policies, standards, and discipline.

Student’s Name (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Father’s Signature (or male guardian) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother’s Signature (or female guardian) \_\_\_\_\_

Other Signature\* \_\_\_\_\_ Other Signature\* \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Please note: Any parent/guardian involved in the education of the child or school activities must sign this form.*