



## Gilbert Christian High School

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### NEW INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT APPLICATION

(\*Please note: We only accept students entering Grades 9-12, and student must graduate by age 20.)

2012-2013 School Year

**APPLICATION DEADLINES:**      **May 1**      **for August admission (fall semester)**  
   **Oct. 1**      **for January admission (spring semester)**

Please submit all documents by the above dates. Failure to do so will delay processing. Mail completed application to:

**Gilbert Christian High School**  
**Attn: Kimberly Young**  
**3632 E. Jasper Drive**  
**Gilbert, Arizona 85296**

Students should arrive 5 to 7 days before the actual start of classes.

### Required Application Documents

- Application Fee of \$450.00** (non-refundable)
- Completed International Student Enrollment Application** (pages 2-3)
- Medical Information Form** (page 4)
- Birth Certificate** (with English translation) or **Passport Information Page**
- Immunization Verification Form** (page 5)
- Behavioral/Character Assessment** (page 6)
- Statement of Faith** (page 7)
- Parental Support Commitment** (page 8)
- International Student Rules** (page 9)
- Confidential Statement of Financial Support for International Students** (page 10)
- Host Family Information Form** (required) (page 11)
- Student Essay Form** (page 12)
- Math Recommendation Form** (completed by most recent math teacher) (page 13)
- Official English Transcripts** of all academic work completed in Grades 8 to present
- TOEFL Score Report or IELTS (General Training test) Report sent directly from testing center.**  
(TOEFL = Test of English as a Foreign Language; IELTS = International English Language Testing System)

Applicants who are selected for admission will be provided with the I-20 immigration document. Gilbert Christian Schools is authorized under Federal law to enroll nonimmigrant alien students. When the student arrives, copies of the identification page of the student's passport, the student's copy of the I-20, and the I-94 arrival/departure card will be made for the student's file.

<b>For Office Use Only</b>
Date Rec'd _____
Fee Paid _____



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**INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ENROLLMENT APPLICATION 2012-2013**

**STUDENT INFORMATION** (please print or type)

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Goes By

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Entering Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace \_\_\_\_\_

**Sex:**  Male  Female      **Ethnic Origin**  Caucasian  Black  Hispanic  Asian  American Indian  Other

**PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION** (\*Host family is not necessarily the legal guardian.)

**Father/Legal Guardian Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
(circle one) Last First Middle Initial

Address (home country) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Home Phone 011- \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone 011- \_\_\_\_\_ Fax 011- \_\_\_\_\_  
Include country, state, and city codes plus telephone number

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother/Legal Guardian Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
(circle one) Last First Middle Initial

Address (if different from father) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Home Phone 011- \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone 011- \_\_\_\_\_ Fax 011- \_\_\_\_\_  
Include country, state, and city codes plus telephone number

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Student lives primarily with:  Mother & Father  Mother  Father  Mother & Step-Father  Father & Step-Mother

Other \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Who has legal custody? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any other members of the student's family studying abroad?  Yes  No

If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about Gilbert Christian? *(Please check all that apply.)*

Friend  Church  Internet/Website  Educational Consultant  Alumni  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### CHURCH/FAITH INFORMATION

Does parent desire their child to attend a Christian school?  Yes  No

Does parent acknowledge that the saving news of Jesus Christ will be presented to their child?  Yes  No

Is the student open to developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ?  Yes  No

### USE OF PICTURES CONSENT

During the year, many pictures are taken at GCS of individual students and various groups for use on our website and in various promotional materials. Names will NOT be posted with any picture or group that appears on our website unless specific consent is granted in writing on a case-by-case basis. Please indicate your permission for Gilbert Christian Schools to use your child's picture.

**Yes, you may use my child's picture.**

**No, you may not use my child's picture.**

### PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN'S NOTARIZED SIGNATURE

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_,  
print name print student's name  
do hereby state that the information provided in this Application for Admission is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Notary Public Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Stamp and/or Seal:



## Immunization Verification Form

Student's Name:

Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

The required immunizations and number of doses are listed below. Please record the date of each required dose.

Immunizations	Dose #1 Month/day/year	Dose #2 Month/day/year	Dose #3 Month/day/year	Dose #4 Month/day/year	Dose #5 Month/day/year	Dose #6 Month/day/year
Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis (DtaP/DTP)	Required	Required	Required	Required	Required	Required
Polio Vaccine (IPV/OPV)	Required	Required	Required	Required		
Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR)	Required	Required				
Hepatitis B (HP B)	Required	Required	Required			
Tetanus	Within 10 years					
Varicella (Chickenpox)  Check this box if history of disease <input type="checkbox"/>	Required	Required if 1 <sup>st</sup> dose given at 13 yrs or later				

*I verify that this immunization record is accurate.*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ check one:  DO  MD

Physician's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_



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**BEHAVIORAL/CHARACTER ASSESSMENT**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade for 2012-2013 \_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant: *(if any question requires a "yes" answer, please attach an explanation)*

- Ever been asked to leave another school?  No  Yes
- Ever been retained in a grade?  No  Yes
- Ever been suspended from school?  No  Yes
- Ever been expelled from school?  No  Yes
- Attended more than one school in a year?  No  Yes
- Been involved with juvenile authorities?  No  Yes
- Had disciplinary problems at school?  No  Yes
- Used illegal drugs, alcohol, and tobacco?  No  Yes
- Does the applicant regularly require any medication?  No  Yes
- Does the applicant have learning challenges we should know about?  No  Yes\*

\*We would like to make sure that we are not misleading you to a successful education of your child. Therefore, please use a separate sheet to explain what you consider to be your child's learning challenges so that we can determine whether our school is equipped to best teach them.

Please circle the number which best represents your assessment of each area.

<b>Positive Character Quality</b>	<b>Definition</b>	<b>Poor</b>					<b>Superior</b>				
Diligence	Applying concerted effort & energy to tasks; vs Laziness	1	2	3	4	5					
Cooperativeness	A willingness to work together within agreed-upon guidelines; vs. incorrigibility	1	2	3	4	5					
Submission	A willingness to accept and obey those whom God has placed over us; vs defiance	1	2	3	4	5					
Truthfulness	The quality of dealing with things as they really are; vs deception	1	2	3	4	5					
Love	The quality of seeking the highest good of others; vs selfishness	1	2	3	4	5					
Cheerfulness	The quality of pleasantness or brightness, non-resentful; vs sullenness	1	2	3	4	5					
Spiritual Hunger	The desire to learn about and be stimulated in one's walk with God; vs spiritual apathy	1	2	3	4	5					
Meekness	Enduring wrong with patience and gentleness; vs anger	1	2	3	4	5					
Acceptance of Others	Welcoming people warmly and openly, without exclusion; vs cliquishness	1	2	3	4	5					
Commitment to Moral Purity	Placing a higher emphasis on what honors Christ, rather than how far I can go; vs worldliness	1	2	3	4	5					
Teachable Spirit	A willingness to learn, grow and mature related to God's truth; vs arrogance	1	2	3	4	5					
Respect	The quality of honoring and valuing oneself, as well as members of the Gilbert Christian community and its facility; vs abusiveness	1	2	3	4	5					





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**PARENTAL SUPPORT COMMITMENT**

Christian education involves the whole person; therefore, it is desirable that all elements which bear on the education of a child be consistent and properly reinforce one another. Gilbert Christian Schools seeks to foster an environment that will challenge every student to consider their personal response to the claims of Jesus Christ. However, the school does not replace the training of the home or the church. All three should be in Biblical agreement for a truly well-rounded Christian education for the child.

We, \_\_\_\_\_, the parents/legal guardians of  
print names  
\_\_\_\_\_, do hereby pledge our support of the following:  
print student's name

1. We commit to pray for GCS students and staff and to be supportive of the school board, administration, faculty and staff.
2. We agree not to be a party to gossip, slander, or libel. Any matter of conflict or question should first be brought one-on-one to the person in question per Matthew 18:15. Matters which cannot be resolved satisfactorily should then be brought to the administration for intervention.
3. We agree that if our child should become involved in any trouble with other students in the school, we will first discuss the matter with the involved parents to determine truth and attempt resolution per Matthew 18:15. Matters involving safety, security, or reputation of the school should be brought to the attention of the administration immediately.
4. We understand that assessments will be made to cover damage to school property (including breakage of windows, abuse of books, etc.).
5. We pledge our fullest cooperation to keep doctrinal controversy and denominationalism out of Gilbert Christian Schools at all times.
6. We invest authority in the school to discipline our child as necessary. We agree further that we will cooperate and discipline our child in the home as needed. Copies of discipline policies are available.
7. Gilbert Christian Schools reserves the right to periodically review the behavior and academic progress of every student to determine their ability to benefit from the educational life at the school.
8. Gilbert Christian Schools is a unique culture that relies on harmony and mutual respect between administration, parents, teachers, and students. If the administration determines that such a relationship is not possible, it reserves the right to disenroll a family.
9. By signing this form, we are indicating both our family's desire to be a part of Gilbert Christian Schools and our commitment to support the ideals and standards of this school.

Father/Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mother/Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT RULES:

- Students must obey the laws of the United States and their home country. They must represent their country in a positive manner.
- Students are not permitted to purchase or drink alcoholic beverages.
- Students are not permitted to purchase or use tobacco products.
- Students are not permitted to use illegal drugs or to abuse drugs of any kind.
- Sexual immorality is not allowed. Forbidden activities include sexual contact, possessing or using sexually explicit materials (printed materials, videos/cd's, internet sites, etc.), or visiting pornographic shops or adult theaters. GCS does not accept pregnant female students for admission.
- Students are not permitted to possess dangerous weapons of any type.
- Each student must live with an approved host family. Students may not change families or schools at will.
- Students must show respect for their host families by following family rules, voluntarily helping with family chores, and maintaining confidentiality regarding the families' private concerns.
- Students must follow school rules, attend school daily, complete all school assignments, and make satisfactory progress toward graduation.
- Students must cooperate with school policies as outlined in the GCS Handbook and must cooperate with teachers and school authorities. Students must show respect for all faculty and staff and follow their instruction.
- Students must regularly attend Christian church worship services.
- Students must not use inappropriate language.
- Students must notify the International Student Registrar two weeks in advance prior to traveling outside the United States.
- Students who obtain a U.S. driver's license must also obtain (at the student's expense) automobile insurance. Copies of both the driver's license and proof of insurance must be provided to the International Student Registrar for the student's file.

## STUDENT STATEMENT

By signing this application, I am indicating that I fully understand the rules of behavior as outlined in the GCS handbook (located on-line at [www.gilbertchristianschools.org](http://www.gilbertchristianschools.org)) and that these rules apply for the entire year, on and off the GCS campus. I further understand that the rules and regulations are subject to revision by the school at any time, and that each student/family is expected to be familiar with current school rules. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the school currently in effect at any given time. I also realize that if I break the rules, my continued enrollment will be subject to immediate review and my visa may be terminated.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN STATEMENT

I/We understand and agree that Gilbert Christian Schools is a private evangelical Christian school where enrollment is a privilege and not a right. I/We certify by signature below that I/we understand the general rules and regulations that are published in the GCS handbook. I/We further understand that the rules and regulations are subject to revision by the school at any time, and that each student/family is expected to be familiar with current school rules. I/We agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the school currently in effect at any given time. In the role as parent and/or legal guardian, I/we promise to enforce these rules. I/We understand and agree that violations of any Gilbert Christian Schools rules and regulations will be dealt with by the school Administration and may result in expulsion from Gilbert Christian Schools. In addition, I/We agree to accept full responsibility for all obligations that may result from injury incurred by student as a result of participation in any school-sponsored activity. If I/We cannot be contacted in an emergency, call the physician listed and follow his/her instructions. If the school cannot contact anyone listed, the school is authorized to act in whatever manner is deemed appropriate by school personnel. I/We also agree to comply fully with the financial requirement of the school regarding payment of tuition and fees and understand and agree that the student may be removed from the school if tuition payments become delinquent.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent /Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**CONFIDENTIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT  
FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS – HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12)**

International students must present satisfactory evidence of adequate funds available to meet financial obligations at Gilbert Christian Schools. Your papers for obtaining a student visa will not be issued until this form and all application materials are received. Estimated minimum costs of attending GCS for one academic year (10 months) for **2012-2013** are:

High School Tuition:	\$14,750*	(one semester = \$7,375.00)		
One-Time Building Fee:	\$ 600		If applicable:	
Non-Refundable Application Fee:	\$ 450		Host Family Fee:	\$ 4,500
<b>Total:</b>	<b>US \$15,800</b>		<b>Then Grand Total:</b>	<b>\$20,300</b>

\*Tuition and fees are subject to change by the School Board without prior notice. Tuition refunds are given only before the first day of the semester. Fall semester's tuition, building fee, and host family fee (if applicable) are due upon receipt of letter of acceptance; spring semester's tuition due no later than December 1.

*Student Information*

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Source of Financial Support to meet **US \$15,800 (US \$20,300 if host family needed)** requirements:

Funds from Family	US\$ _____
Funds from Private Sponsor (name: _____)	US\$ _____
Other: (specify: _____)	US\$ _____
<b>TOTAL (must be US \$15,800/US \$20,300 or more)</b>	<b>US\$ _____</b>

*Official Certification of Sources of Funding*

**I certify that the information provided on this form is a true and accurate statement and that the funds are available and will be provided as indicated. I understand that providing false or misleading information can result in the denial of the student's application; or, if admitted, in their dismissal from Gilbert Christian Schools and/or deportation from the United States.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian's or Sponsor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Date (must be no more than 8 months prior to student's first semester)

**I certify that I have read the information provided on this form; that it is a true and accurate statement; and that the funds described above are available.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Bank Official's Signature

*Official stamp or seal  
of bank or agency*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Bank

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address of Bank

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Date (must be no more than 8 months prior to student's first semester)

## HOST FAMILY INFORMATION FORM

Please complete this form, even if you do not plan to have a school-appointed host family.

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attach picture of  
student here**

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

What are your favorite hobbies/sports/activities? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Would you be comfortable in a home which has household pets?  Yes  No

Please list any foods to which you are allergic: \_\_\_\_\_

Choose five (5) words to describe your personality: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_

If you already have a host family (including relatives) with whom you wish to live, please provide the following information:

Host Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Host Family Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Host Family Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Host Family Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Host Family Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of church host family regularly attends:

\_\_\_\_\_

## STUDENT ESSAY

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Please select ONE of the following subjects and write a 150-250 word response in English. Attach additional pages as needed. **This must be in the student's own handwriting.**

- Explain why you want to attend Gilbert Christian High School and how it would benefit you.
- Describe the qualities you like best about yourself.
- Explain the impact of an event or activity that has changed your life or your way of thinking.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**MATH PLACEMENT RECOMMENDATION**

To the Current/Previous Math Teacher of \_\_\_\_\_:  
(name of student)

This student has applied to Gilbert Christian High School for the next semester. For appropriate course placement, please indicate your recommendation for the level of math this student is academically prepared to study.

Using the placement guidelines below, **SELECT ONE ONLY**:

- |                 |                    |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| _____ Algebra 1 | _____ Pre-calculus |
| _____ Geometry  | _____ Calculus 1   |
| _____ Algebra 2 | _____ Calculus 2   |

Placement Guidelines:

***If the student has studied and understands:***

***Then place in this math class:***

Solving one-variable equations, graphing lines, area and volume

Algebra 1

Linear systems

Geometry

Solving and graphing systems of equations, quadratic equations, factoring polynomials, laws of exponents and radicals

Algebra 2

Exponential and logarithmic functions, trigonometry

Pre-calculus

Limits and beginning derivatives

Calculus 1

Limits, all derivatives, integrals

Calculus 2

**Teacher Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM DIRECTLY TO  
GILBERT CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL BY MAIL OR FAX.**