



## Calvary Christian School Private Satellite Program Information

Calvary Christian School (CCS) is a Private Satellite Program sponsored by Calvary Chapel of Ridgecrest and is an integral part of the church ministry. The primary function of this ministry is to assist the home-educating family in reaching the goal of a Christ-centered, high quality, and well-rounded education for their children by providing the following:

Accountability: Ensuring legal requirements are met and progress is made toward educational goals. I Peter 2:12-15

Parental Support: Encouragement, advice, and fellowship with other homeschool families. Ecclesiastes 4:9,10

Parental Education: Offering opportunities to improve teaching skills. Deuteronomy 4:9

Calvary Christian School provides:

- A state-credentialed teacher assigned to each family, meeting at least once a quarter to encourage and help with any trouble subjects.
- Accurate record keeping including cumulative folders, progress & attendance reports, transcripts, etc.
- Membership and accreditation through the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI).
- Graduation ceremonies performed and high school diplomas issued.
- Year-end standardized testing each Spring.
- A private school affidavit filed yearly with the state.
- Parent meetings once every other month for continuing parental education and encouragement.
- School ID cards for students and faculty/parents.
- Resource library, including curriculum, videos, games, microscopes and other science equipment, reference materials, etc.
- Parent-led field trips.
- Co-op teaching classes as desired/available.
- Free use of copy machine for non-copyrighted school material.
- Concurrent enrollment with Cerro Coso Community College.

Calvary Christian School Requires:

- Parents must be born-again Christians (John 3:3 & Peter 1:23) and must regularly attend a Bible-believing church.
- Monthly tuition paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month, August through May, in addition to the once-yearly registration and testing fees. (Rates: \$35 for 1 child, \$45 for 2, \$50 for 3, \$55 for 4+).
- Three forms turned in each quarter for (1)goals, (2)progress/attendance, (3)grades.
- Enrollment in the Home School Legal Defense Association is not required by strongly encouraged.