



# *Calvary Christian School*

## **Preschool Handbook 2010-2011**

### **Prepare, Train, Equip for Every Good Work**

Preparing children to know and follow Jesus Christ (2 Peter 3:18)  
by training and equipping them for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:17)

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## **Welcome**

Dear Families,

Welcome to Calvary Christian School Preschool. We understand that decisions made regarding your child's education are among the most important that a parent makes. We are delighted and blessed you have chosen to bring your child here. CCS is dedicated to providing a Christ centered, safe, and loving environment for your child's learning.

Please take the time to read the handbook, as it will provide valuable information regarding our expectations at CCS. Our dedication to teaching is evident in our structured curriculum and without rules we would not be able to accomplish the goals of giving your child the best education possible.

If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to your child's teacher directly or to the Director.

We pray that your time here at CCS will be a fruitful and awesome experience.

In Him,

Cheryl McAlister  
Preschool Director

## Letter from the Pastor

Dear Parents:

I would personally like to thank you for allowing Calvary Christian School the opportunity to educate your child in the essentials of this life. As a Christian school, our desire is not only to focus on the A, B, C's of education, but to focus on the Christian fundamentals<sup>1</sup> as well as the spiritual gifts that are offered to us through the Scriptures<sup>2</sup>.

Since a child develops his/her personality and life traits at a very young age, our school is designed to come along side and support the family belief system<sup>3</sup>. This will be accomplished by enhancing a child's life through Scriptural memorization and study<sup>4</sup>. It is our desire that each child come into a personal and relevant relationship acknowledging Jesus as the Christ<sup>5</sup>. As a child progresses through the various grades, it is our vision that each child will have a clear understanding of the Scriptures and the gifts that God has given to them to benefit the local church as well as the world at large<sup>6</sup>. This can be achieved through a balanced perspective of the Holy Spirit and His desire to work in all of our lives<sup>7</sup>. When your child accepts Jesus as the Christ, they will someday have the opportunity to bless others around the world via the Gospel<sup>8</sup>. We desire to prepare them for that calling whether it is vocational or ministerial<sup>9</sup>.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to assist in the education of your child. We take this responsibility very seriously and ask for your continued prayer support<sup>10</sup>. Our prayer is that the Lord will grant us the wisdom necessary to help your child achieve a proper academic as well as spiritual education<sup>11</sup>.

In the precious name of Jesus,  
Pastor Jim

1) *John 3:16-21* 2) *1 Corinthians 12-14* 3) *Deuteronomy 6:6-7* 4) *2 Timothy 2:15*  
5) *Acts 4:12, Romans 10:9* 6) *Ephesians 4:11-16, 1 Corinthians 12:4-14* 7) *John 16:13-15*  
8) *Matthew 5:13-16* 9) *Colossians 3:17,23-24* 10) *Matthew 18:6-7* 11) *Proverbs 2*

# **Calvary Christian School**

A Ministry of Calvary Chapel of Queen Creek

Established 2004

## **OUR MISSION**

Prepare, Train, Equip for Every Good Work

## **OUR PHILOSOPHY**

We desire each student grow in the fullness and love of Jesus Christ. We want our students to imitate Jesus. We expect each student to strive for the highest development of each of his/her God-given gifts and talents.

We are intentionally Christian and are designed for like-minded parents. We require one parent be born again and actively attending a Christian church.

## **GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

We understand preschool children can know God loves them.

We understand most young children learn through sensory learning of touching, smelling, tasting, seeing, and hearing.

We understand young children's muscles need development before they use the "paper and pencil method of learning.

We believe our students will be successful learners when they develop self-control, a longer attention span, listening skills, follow directions, and work with peers.

## **CALVARY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL EARLY LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

Based on Luke 2:52 and Early Learning Standards from the Arizona Department of Education  
(*"...Jesus grew in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and men."* Luke 2:52 NIV)

### **Spiritual Development:**

1. To provide a loving, Christian example for the children to follow
2. To encourage a love for God and the Bible
3. To help children learn that God loves them and will always hear their prayers

### **Social and Emotional Development:**

1. To help children learn about themselves and others
2. To encourage positive social interaction with others
3. To provide a safe place to develop curiosity, initiative, persistence, creativity, problem solving, confidence, and self-control

### **Language and Literacy:**

1. To encourage the development of oral language, including speaking, understanding, and listening skills
2. To promote pre-reading skills, including a love for literature, book handling ability, vocabulary development, and comprehension skills
3. To promote pre-writing skills, including developing fine motor skill, eye-hand coordination, and providing a language-rich environment

### **Mathematics:**

1. To provide hands-on experiences with numbers and counting
2. To provide hands-on opportunities to recognize and make patterns, to match, sort, and organize
3. To provide opportunities to learn about shapes, position, and measurement

### **Science:**

1. To encourage inquiry (observing, questioning, predicting, making conclusions, describing)
2. To help children learn about and appreciate God's creation
3. To promote our God-given responsibility to care for creation

### **Social Studies:**

1. To help children learn about history through holidays, special days, and current events
2. To help children learn about the child's community
3. To help children appreciate and understand family relationships

### **Physical Development:**

1. To provide opportunities for gross and fine motor development
2. To promote healthy habits and positive attitudes about good health
3. To promote safety and injury prevention

### **Fine Arts:**

1. To encourage children to create and appreciate art
2. To encourage children to create and appreciate music and creative movement
3. To encourage children to create and appreciate dramatic play

## OUR STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe:

1. The Bible is the inerrant Word of God, and was written by men who were inspired by the Holy Spirit. (II Tim. 3:16)
2. In the true and living God, who created the heavens and the earth and who has revealed Himself to us in three persons; the Father, the Son, & the Holy Spirit. (Gen 1:1, Ex 3:14, Jn 1:1, 13)
3. Jesus was born of a virgin. (Isa 7:14, Matt 1:22-23)
4. Salvation, the forgiveness of sins, is received as a gift of God on the basis of faith in His Son, Jesus Christ. (Eph: 2: 8-9)
5. Jesus Christ died on the cross to atone for our sin, that God raised Him from the dead on the third day and that He is alive and present with us in the person of the Holy Spirit. (I Pet. 3:24, I Cor. 15: 3-5, Acts 1: 9-11, Acts 2: 1-4)
6. Jesus Christ is coming again to judge the world in righteousness and to establish God's kingdom on earth. (Acts 17:30-31)
7. The worship of God should be in Spirit and in Truth; therefore, we emphasize singing of songs of praise and thanksgiving along with the preaching and teaching of God's Word. (Jn. 4:23-24, Ps. 57:7-11, Matt 28:18-20, Eph. 4:11-13)
8. The chief characteristic of God is love and that our highest priority in life on this earth is to love God and to love one another. (Rom. 12:9-13, Lev. 19:18, Deut. 6:5)

*\*A complete doctrinal statement is available upon request.*

## OUR TEACHERS

The teaching staff at Calvary Christian School Preschool is highly qualified and thoroughly dedicated to helping each student grow spiritually, mentally, and physically. All staff and faculty have a personal commitment to Jesus Christ. They will allow the Lord to minister through them by the power of the Holy Spirit. All teachers participate in continued education.

## ACCREDITATION

Calvary Christian School is fully licensed by the Arizona Department of Health Services. Our preschool meets the standards prescribed by the Arizona Department of Education. Calvary Christian School Preschool is accredited by the Association of Christian Schools International.



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A C C R E D I T E D

## Contact Information

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### PRESCHOOL HOURS

Grade	Start	End
<b>Preschool</b>		
Tues. & Thurs. - Half Day	8:30 AM	11:15 AM
Tues. & Thurs. - Full Day	8:30 AM	3:00 PM
<b>Pre-Kindergarten</b>		
Tues. & Thur.- Half Day	8:30 AM	11:15 AM
Tues. & Thurs.- Full Day	8:30 AM	3:00 PM
MWF- AM	8:30 AM	11:15 AM

## Accounting

Tuition and Fees

### Registration Fee

1. A \$150 nonrefundable registration fee is due upon enrollment. The registration fee is non-refundable unless:
  - a. Application is denied
  - b. Student is accepted to school and decides not to attend within two weeks of acceptance
  - c. All fees collected go directly toward student needs in the school

### Tuition payment options, July through May (11 months) June through May (12 months)

<b>Preschool</b>		
(age 3 by 8/1/10)	Tue, Thur. - Half Day	\$1390
	Tue, Thur. - Full Day	\$2245
<b>PreK</b>		
(age 4 by 8/1/10)	Tue, Thur.- Half Day	\$1495
	Tue, Thur. - Full Day	\$2350
	Mon, Wed, Fri - Half Day	\$1905

### **Policies Related to Tuition Payments**

1. Every family is given a contract agreement to sign that states the total amount of tuition due for the entire school year.
2. Tuition & Fee payment options:

<b>Payment Plans</b>	
Families will sign a contract with our financial office after their student is accepted. Payments are electronically withdrawn from your account through FACTS Tuition management company. <b>All families choosing OPTION 3 or 4 MUST register with FACTS by May 26, 2010.</b>	
OPTION 1	One annual payment payable by check directly to CCS due on or before August 9, 2010. <i>(2% cash discount)</i>
OPTION 2	Two annual payments payable by check directly to CCS due on or before August 9, 2010 and January 3, 2011.
OPTION 3	Twelve (12) monthly payments from June 5 <sup>th</sup> or 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2010 to May 5 <sup>th</sup> or 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2011 through FACTS.
OPTION 4	Eleven (11) monthly payments from July 5 <sup>th</sup> or 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2010 to May 5 <sup>th</sup> or 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2011 through FACTS.

3. Enrollment status will be compromised if payments are not made by August 10.
4. Calvary Christian School reserves the right to adapt an individual payment plan, as it deems necessary. Parents should communicate any unforeseen needs to the Director at the earliest possible time.
5. CCS strives to keep tuition rates as low as possible, yet high enough to secure quality teachers, staff, and educational materials.

When a student is voluntarily withdrawn from the school for any reason, tuition must be paid fully for any part of each calendar month that the student was in attendance. When a student is expelled or withdrawn at the recommendation of the school, tuition will be prorated for actual days attended during the month of expulsion.

### **Missed Payments and/or Returned Checks**

1. There are times when a payment is missed. In the event a regularly scheduled payment is returned unpaid, the payer will receive notification from FACTS stating the missed payment will be reattempted, the specific date of the reattempt, and a reminder that a FACTS Returned Payment Fee will be assessed.
2. In the event an account is not paid, the student will be subject to removal from the school.
3. Returned checks - In the event a check is returned to the school from the bank, we will notify you and ask you to cover any additional charges from our bank.

### **Admissions Policy**

CCS admits students of any race, color, and national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to the students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, and national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, athletics, and other school-administered programs.

Calvary Christian School cannot currently provide for severe learning disabilities. We will endeavor to work with parents of learning disabled students to the extent that it does not jeopardize the teaching and learning of other students. With parental support and cooperation, our teachers and staff will make every reasonable effort to include the learning disabled child.

Every student who is admitted to our school should have a reasonable chance of success. It is academically unethical for us to admit students who have needs that we cannot meet.

## Requirements

The following requirements have been established for admission to Calvary Christian School:

- Completed application form, signed by parent(s) or legal guardians, including health records, references, and registration fee.
- Arizona Immunization Requirements
  - **Exemptions:** The law allows (a) parents/guardians to elect exemptions to immunization requirements based upon their personal beliefs, and (b) health care providers of children to elect medical exemptions. Forms to be signed by the parents/guardians electing the personal beliefs exemption or the forms to be signed by the child's health care provider should be stapled to the ASIR.

**\*Calvary Christian School will not accept children without full and updated immunizations or a complete, signed immunization waiver.**

## Age of Eligibility

One of the factors used to determine eligibility for Preschool is the age of the child.

Grade	2010-2011
Preschool	3 by 8/01/10
Pre-Kindergarten	4 by 8/01/10

*Arizona Education Code 15-821 (C)*

We believe and enforce the birth date requirements for enrollment for the following reasons: Children are most likely to experience overall success in a class with their peers. Children may be advanced in a specific area, but most young children are not advanced in all areas. For instance, young children who are above average in academic areas still usually fit best with their peers in social, emotional, or physical areas. Experience has shown us that children who are pushed ahead often struggle in older grades. Their immaturity may not show up until they are one of the youngest students in Jr. High. We want our students to succeed and enter grade school strong with a good foundation in all areas. We believe it is a disservice to the child when we allow exceptions to this policy.

## Admission and Continued Enrollment Standards

### Admissions Statement

*“And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart. And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.”*  
*Deuteronomy 6:6-7*

In accordance with the Philosophy of Education of Calvary Christian School, it is expected that the parent(s):

- are **“born again”** (John 3:1-8; Titus 3:4-7)
- **instruct** their children in the Christian faith at home (Deuteronomy 6:6-7)
- **accompany** their children faithfully to church (Hebrews 10:25)
- are **willing to co-labor** with the school in the education and edification of their children (Amos 3:3)

## Spiritual Standard of Admission

Calvary Christian School is called to serve those parents who take to heart the command of the Lord in Deuteronomy 6:6-7. We seek to come alongside families who have a deep commitment to Jesus Christ and a devotion to His ways. Therefore, consideration for admission to Calvary Christian School, at least one parent in the family must have received Jesus Christ and be devoted to following Him.

## Spiritual Standard of Continued Enrollment

*For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world; Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ; Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good words. These things speak, and exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no man despise thee.  
Titus 2:11-15KJV*

The spiritual standard of continued enrollment at CCS requires the student's family to maintain the following biblical standards:

- A personal commitment to Jesus Christ
- A life that reflects Christ-like moral purity
- Demonstration of a life surrendered to the Lord
- The ability to manage one's household well
- Regular church attendance

Additionally, as the primary educators of children, parents need to be committed to effective co-laboring. This is demonstrated by parents who:

- Participate in school activities, meetings, and events
- Communicate effectively with teachers
- Abide by school rules and policies
- Actively disciple their children
- Pray regularly and fervently for Calvary Christian School
- Seek to resolve any problem or dissatisfaction with the school as soon as possible
- **Fulfill 20 hours of volunteer time per family per year for preschool. This time may be fulfilled in a number of ways:**
  - **Helping in the classroom**
  - **Assisting with field trips**
  - **Playground duty**
  - **Some tasks can be done on weekends and at home**
  - **Cleaning classrooms**

CCS reviews each family annually relative to these standards. Families whose lives are not characterized by these standards receive ministerial support and are held accountable. Meetings with the parents occur to address each situation in a manner consistent with the Word of God. If, after ministering to the parents, it becomes clear that a parent persists in failing to maintain the standards identified above, ministry toward the family could continue, but their child(ren)'s enrollment may be subject to termination.

## Emergency Plan

### Emergency Drills

Practice fire drills will be held during the school year. Students must walk in line and are expected to refrain from talking, pushing, or running. Teachers or appointed staff members will be with their classes.

## **Evacuation of Campus**

Parents will be called by teacher in the case of a school-wide evacuation.

## **General Information**

### **Celebrations**

Families are to keep in mind that CCS is a Christian school. What is appropriate in the secular world is not necessarily appropriate for our school. Any information or invitations that you wish to share with your child's class must be approved by the Director.

During the year, you will notice that we do not allow certain things in our school. For instance, all movies that are shown in our preschool need to be approved by the Director and must have a Christian message or teaching. We celebrate Harvest and Thankfulness instead of Halloween. At Christmas, we celebrate Jesus Christ, not Santa Claus, and at Easter we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus and not the Easter Bunny. We teach the truth according to the Scriptures and welcome any questions you might have during the course of the year.

Because the children learn differently, the teachers use a wide variety of methods and activities. Each day includes a balance of group and individual activities, inside and outside activities, teacher and child directed activities, active, and quiet times.

### **Change of Address or Telephone Number**

Please immediately report any changes of address or phone number to the school office. It is very important for the school to have current parental and/or guardian information at all times.

### **Child Abuse**

CCS personnel report any observed or suspected instances of child abuse by telephone and in writing to the appropriate public authorities within 36 hours in accordance with the law.

### **Child Custody**

If legal stipulations apply to your child, it is required that this information be communicated in writing (along with any legal documentation) to the school office.

### **Child Sign In/Out**

For safety reasons, parents are to sign their child in and out of school. All children must be brought into the facility and taken directly to the assigned room by the person responsible for the child. The sign in/out sheets will be with your child's teacher in the classroom. When picking your child up from school, the sign in/out sheet will be at each classroom.

### **Class Size**

The child to teacher ratio for all classes will be based on regulations established for room capacity as deemed safe by the fire department and Arizona Department of Health Services.

### **Classroom Observation**

Parents/Guardians are always welcome to observe in a classroom by appointment. Appointments can be made by contacting the school office. Observations are generally scheduled for 20-30 minutes. A longer time may be requested, but must be approved. Appointments to talk to the teacher and/or school staff should be scheduled through the Preschool Director.

### **Dress Code**

CCS requires school t-shirts for preschool. Be sure that your child's clothing is comfortable, washable, and **allows for self dress**. Mark all clothing with your child's name. Please refrain from sending your child to school in clothing that is dressy or hard to clean. We get involved in activities and should not have to be overly concerned with staying clean.

Dresses with ruffles and bows and pants with difficult belts and fastenings should be avoided. Please leave umbrellas at home. If it is raining hard enough for an umbrella, the children will not be playing outside. Tennis shoes should be worn and Velcro tennis shoes are encouraged. For your child's safety, **no slick bottom shoes, platform shoes, or flip flops** that can be dangerous during indoor recess or outside play.

Children in every class must have an extra set of clothing (underwear, shirt, pants, and socks) in a marked bag to leave in his or her classroom for accidents. If the child uses these emergency clothes, they will be sent home with the child and we expect them to be replaced the **next** day. Parents are responsible for ensuring the spare clothes are the right size.

### **Dress Code-Parent**

**Calvary Christian School strives to honor the Lord and we respectfully ask parents to honor Him in their choice of clothing as well. Anytime you are on campus or attending field trips, please dress modestly. We believe it is important to provide an example in our outward appearance that does not cause others to stumble.**

A volunteer shirt will be provided when working in the classroom.

### **Drop Off/Pick Up**

When at the school, please use extreme caution and always be prepared to avoid an accident with a child that may dart into your path. Park only in designated spaces and walk your child to the door. A pick up/drop off plan will be sent to you prior to the start of school. **Do not park in the fire lane.** No child can be accepted or released without following the proper check in/out procedure by the parent or authorized designee.

A LATE FEE OF \$1 PER MINUTE WILL BE CHARGED IF THE PARENT IS MORE THEN 5 MINUTES LATE AND PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS HAVE NOT BEEN MADE.

### **Lost and Found**

CCS is not responsible for lost or stolen articles. All misplaced or lost personal belongings that have been left will be taken to the office. Unclaimed items will be given to the ministry for distribution to the needy. If your child loses something, it is important to claim the item as soon as possible.

### **Medical**

For the sake of the child as well as others, parents are urged to keep any child at home who has a fever, diarrhea, vomiting, yellow or green runny nose, or continuous coughing. Should a child become ill at school, parents will be notified and expected to make arrangements to take the child home. *Children should be free from fever, diarrhea, colored nasal discharge, or vomiting for a **full 24 hours** before returning to school.*

We are not required by law to give a child medication as we are not health-care providers. If it is necessary for a child to take medication, the parent should dispense needed medication before or after school hours. Children with asthma must have an extra inhaler that can be kept in a locked cabinet in the school office. Child must be able to administer the correct dosage required.

Please notify us **immediately** of any communicable diseases such as conjunctivitis (pink eye), chicken pox, lice, etc. so that other parents can be notified and classroom controls employed.

Please call the school and leave a message if your child will be absent.

### **Parent-Teacher Communication**

Communication between home and school is important. Let us know when your child needs extra attention—illness in the family, new baby, financial crisis, moving, etc. We will make every effort to ease his or her anxieties.

If you feel your child has a problem at school or if you have a complaint, please **pray first**, then speak with **your child's teacher**, and then to the **Director**, if needed. By following this Biblical guideline, we will avoid hurt feelings and misunderstandings. Teachers will notify you of parent-teacher conferences. Any special meetings may be scheduled at a time that is mutually convenient.

If you wish to contact a teacher, please call the school office and leave a message. The teacher will return your call as soon as possible. A letter from your child's teacher and from the Preschool Director will keep you up-to-date on important issues and events. Please read these monthly newsletters.

### **Progress Reports**

Developmentally appropriate assessments will be completed throughout the year.

### **Release Authorization**

Children will not be released to any person other than a parent, legal guardian, or someone duly authorized by the parent or legal guardian. At the time of enrollment, parents are asked to list those authorized to pick up the child. Unless we receive written notification from the parent of an addition or change to that list, the child will not be released until the parent has been contacted. An authorized person on the Student Release Form making a first-time pick up will be asked to show a photo ID.

### **Ride Sharing**

Parents will make their own contacts and arrangements. Teachers and the Preschool Director need to be made aware of such arrangements for the purpose of student release.

### **Snacks**

A sign-up sheet will be posted with suggestions for nutritional snacks for parents to provide for the classroom. We also request that the students bring a water bottle. Please label the water bottle with your child's name.

### **Transportation/Field Trips**

Calvary Christian School does not provide transportation for the students.

Parents are expected to attend field trips with their child. The parent will provide transportation.

### **Vacation**

There will be a two-week Christmas vacation and a one-week Fall and Spring vacation to coincide with Calvary Christian School. The monthly tuition fee for the duration of these breaks is the same as full-time months. Tuition is based on your scheduled monthly payments.

### **Withdrawal Procedure**

A student who is transferring from this school should inform the Preschool Director and Finance Office at least one month prior to withdrawal. Each withdrawal request must have a parent(s) signature. When a student is voluntarily withdrawn from the school for any reason, tuition must be paid fully for any part of each calendar month that the student was in attendance. When a student is expelled or withdrawn at the recommendation of the school, tuition will be prorated for actual days attended during the month of expulsion.

## Conduct Guidelines

Preschool children require a more consistent effort of discipline. The values established at this age will provide the foundation for the future decisions your child will make. We work with the children to be positive, reasonable, and consistent. Discipline is not punishment. We use discipline as we work with the children to develop a strong and loving spirit.

The school is an extension of the home. We are here to help parents train and build godly character in their children. We do not use corporal punishment. We do encourage parents to seek the Lord for the discipline method that is most effective with their child.

Children who are a danger to others and cannot comply with the rules will be suspended and/or dismissed from CCS.

### CLASSROOM RULES

#### SHOW GOD'S LOVE:

- Be Kind
- Be Safe
- Follow Directions
- Keep Things Neat and Clean

### HALLWAY

1. Lines must be orderly, this includes lines before and after playtime and lines at drinking fountains, bathrooms, and to chapel.
2. Running or playing in the school hallways or walkways is not permitted.

### PLAYGROUND

1. All conduct on the playground should be orderly, courteous, and safe for everyone.
2. Boys and girls should not climb on or over the fences.
3. No rough body contact on the playground.
4. Playground boundaries must be observed.

### SCHOOL PROPERTY

1. Defacing or misusing school property, including trees and landscaping, is disrespectful and will carry serious consequences. Parents will be responsible to pay for any damages caused by his/her child.
2. The student assumes all responsibility for items brought from home unless requested by the teacher for show and tell.
3. There must be proper use of equipment at all times, this includes classroom materials as well as playground equipment. Everything must be used for the purpose for which it was intended and with care and thoughtfulness.

## Policy/Handbook Revisions

***The Calvary Christian School Board reserves the right to change any policy if it is believed to be in the best interest of the school during the course of the school year. Parents will be notified if any change occurs.***

The Department of Health Services regulates this facility. Inspection reports are available upon request.

Their address and phone number is:

Arizona Department of Health Services  
150 North 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 400  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007  
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## Freedom in Christ

It is in the spirit of II Corinthians 3:17 and Galatians 5:16-18, 22-26 that we encourage your prayers for the Spirit of the Lord to fully, and at all times, have His hand on our school.

### **Is Jesus your Savior?**

Jesus Christ is the center of our school and He alone is the one who sets us apart. If you would like to discover this wonderful relationship for yourself, consider this simple prayer:

Lord, Jesus, today I invite you  
into my heart as my Lord and Savior.  
Please forgive me of all my sins.  
Thank you for dying on the cross for me.  
Jesus, help me to follow you all the days of my life.  
Amen

*And all things you ask in prayer, believing, you shall receive. (Matthew 21:22)*