



10 GOOD REASONS

for choosing Christian School Education

1

**Parents will be accountable to God for what their children are taught.
Proverbs 22:6 is a direct command to parents.
*"Train up a child in the way he should go..."***

**"For your ways are in full view of the Lord, and He examines all your paths."
- Proverbs 5:21**



**Teachers teaching
children should be an
expression of the parents'
voice for their children, in
thought and action.**

**What children are taught in
school should be in direct
relationship to what parents
teach their children at home
and what the church teaches.**

2

WHAT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION OFFERS

SALVATION

TO SEE STUDENTS SAVED - REDEEMED BY THE BLOOD OF CHRIST

"Jesus came that you might have life... life abundantly" - John 10:10

BIBLICAL/CHRISTIAN WORLDVIEW TEACHING

TO SEE STUDENTS FULLY EDUCATED AND EMPOWERED WITH A CHRISTIAN WORLDVIEW

"Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not turn from it." - Proverbs 22:6

DISCIPLING GROWING AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST

TO SEND STUDENTS OUT, FILLED WITH A PASSION FOR CHRIST, TO WITNESS FOR JESUS,
TO SEE SOULS SAVED AND RE-UNITED WITH GOD

"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father
and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." - Matthew 28:19

"I am not ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ, for it is the power of salvation for those who believe."
- Romans 1:16-19

**WE ARE TO TRAIN “UP” A CHILD, NOT POINT HIM DOWNWARD.
Children do not grow spiritually stronger in a negative,
non-Christian environment.**

The bible DOES NOT TEACH that children should be exposed to all kinds of sin.

Students do not become stronger Christians by being taught non-Christian thinking, but by being taught Christian thinking. There is no such person as a “neutral” school teacher, who neither advances nor inhibits religion.

**“Put on the full armour of God
so that you can take your stand
against the devil’s schemes.”
- Ephesians 6:11**

School represents a large part of your child's time each week.

It is prime time TRAINING

Christian school education represents a positive Bible centered form of instruction that will grow students in the faith.

"Stop listening to instruction, my son, and you will stray from the words of knowledge."

- Proverbs 19:27

"Overwhelming victory is ours through Christ, who loves us"- Romans 8:37

Christian schooling is right for your child because the Christian school has not cut itself off from the most important book in the world - the Bible.

WITHOUT THE BIBLE, EDUCATION IS NOTHING MORE THAN THE BLIND LEADING THE BLIND.

**STANDARDS FOR MORALITY
must be taken from Scripture alone,
not from situations - as is often taught
in secular schools.**

**"For the word of God
is alive and powerful."
- Hebrews 4:12**

Christian school teachers teach subject matter from a Biblical worldview.

In a Christian school a student is exposed to the centrality of God in all of life.

In a secular education a student is “sheltered” from this important dimension of education.

Christian school teachers put the BIBLE AT THE CENTRE OF THE CURRICULUM and ask students to evaluate all they see in the world through the eyes of God.

The secular vs Christian school issue is really a question of whether a child will learn to view life from man’s perspective or God’s perspective.



“For I am not ashamed of the Gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes.” - Romans 1:16

The Christian school provides an opportunity for your child to WITNESS FOR CHRIST.

This surprises some people because they assume that all students in Christian schools are Christian. In most cases the majority are Christian, however, in every Christian school there are always some students who need the saviour.

Christian students are trained and encouraged to reach these students for Jesus Christ.

Witnessing in a Christian school has the support of parents, students, teachers, administration and the school board.

PRESENTING CHRIST AS SAVIOUR IS NOT ILLEGAL IN A CHRISTIAN SCHOOL.



“Let us do good to everyone” - Galatians 6:10

**Christian school education SUPPORTS THE FAMILY as
the first educational institution of society.**

Christian school teachers train students to respect their parents and offer them codes of behaviour which deliver discipline and righteous actions.

**“My son, do not despise the
Lord’s discipline, and do not
resent His rebuke, because
the Lord disciplines those
He loves.”**

- Proverbs 3:11-12

**“But how can they call on Him
to save them unless they believe
in Him? And how can they believe
in Him if they never heard about Him?
And how can they hear about Him
unless someone tells them?”**

- Romans 10:14

**Non-believers have, for all practical purposes,
taken over education in this country.**

**The secular is basically humanistic and materialistic in its approach
to life and the fundamental questions of human existence
and purpose.**

**Sending a student to a secular school does not mean that
they will learn to handle the challenges of the world better.**

**“For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind.
The man Christ Jesus” - 1 Timothy 2:5**



Christian school teachers handle discipline in the classroom and on the playground from a Christian perspective.

**Without a reasonable standard of discipline, the process of education is severely hampered. The word teaches, "For whom the Lord loves, He disciplines"
- Hebrews 12:6**

"Accept correction and you will find life" - Proverbs 10:17



We believe that our children are gifts of the Lord.

**We are responsible to
train children
according to His Word
not only at home and
in church, but in school
as well.**

**“Follow God’s example, therefore, as dearly loved children
and walk in the way of love.” - Ephesians 5:1-2**



Secular Schools

PURPOSE OF EDUCATION:

To prepare citizens for a humanistic society that tolerates all lifestyles.

CONTENT OF EDUCATION:

Humanism - no values are absolute and no truth is final.

CONTROL OF EDUCATION:

The State determines the content and methods of education.

SCIENCE:

Naturalism - everything comes from matter, time, and chance.

Christian Schools

PURPOSE OF EDUCATION:

To prepare students for the kingdom of God, who are equipped to disciple and/or witness to others.

CONTENT OF EDUCATION:

All of life is studied in submission to the Word of God and its precepts as absolute truth.

CONTROL OF EDUCATION:

The school functions in *loco parentis*, reinforcing and supporting parental values through a Biblical worldview.

SCIENCE:

God is the Creator and Sustainer of all things. Science involves knowing God through knowing His world.

Secular Schools

HISTORY:

Controlled either by autonomous man or by an impersonal process.

MATHEMATICS:

A tool that is useful because it seems to work in manipulating the natural world.

ENGLISH:

Literature must be representative of all cultures, which are seen as having equal value, and has no inherent meaning.

Christian Schools

HISTORY:

Controlled by an omnipotent God who knows the end from the beginning.

MATHEMATICS:

A reflection of the mind of an orderly God who has made us in His image to understand His world.

ENGLISH:

Students are exposed to a variety of quality literature, which is appreciated as a demonstration of common grace and interpreted in the light of God's Word.

Secular Schools

TEACHERS:

Varied backgrounds - Christianity or some other religion, humanism, atheism, etc.

RULES:

Determined by state.

PEERS:

Varied religious backgrounds, often receiving little moral instruction; values at home often antagonistic towards moral belief.

Christian Schools

TEACHERS:

Born-again, committed believers seeking to model Christ before their students.

RULES:

Determined by God's Word and His moral standards.

PEERS:

Students from Christian homes because their parents support Christian values; living amongst students of like-minded character.

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