

**APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT
2010-2011**

**“Academic Discipleship:
Fostering a Love of Learning with a Passion for Jesus Christ”**

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THE CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL OF DALLAS
A Christ-Centered, College Preparatory, Classical School

Application Process and Checklist

Application Process

1. Schedule a student visit (Although not mandatory, it is highly recommended that the student visit the school prior to applying, if possible).
2. Complete the Application for Enrollment (pages 1-7).
3. Mail completed Application for Enrollment and the Application Fee of **\$125.00** (Application is *not* complete until the fee is submitted) to

The Cambridge School of Dallas
Office of Admissions
3877 Walnut Hill Lane
Dallas, Texas 75229

4. Register to take the ISEE Test (Online at www.erbtest.org or call 1-800-446-0320) and make sure The Cambridge School of Dallas is registered to receive the test score. **Cambridge School's ISEE Code is 447544.**
5. Submit:
 - ◆ Current school information:
 - _____ Official transcript for the past two years
 - _____ Recommendation Form to current English teacher
 - _____ Recommendation Form to current Math teacher
 - ◆ Copy of student's birth certificate
(If the student was not born in the United States, please provide proof of legal resident status).

Family Interview (student and one or both parents) – This will be scheduled by the school once all the above documents are on file.

Important Deadlines

- ◆ January 29, 2010 (Completed application due with \$125.00 fee)
- ◆ February 12, 2010 (Recommendations & Official Transcript due)
- ◆ February 6, 2010 (ISEE Test to be taken by this date)
- ◆ Applications received after January 29, 2010 will be reviewed after March 26, 2010, if space is available.

Notification of Decision

Applicant will be notified in writing on March 5, 2010 (if all the application requirements have been met).

Check list

- ___ Schedule student visit
- ___ Complete and submit application with fee
- ___ Register for ISEE test
- ___ Request Official Transcript from current school
- ___ Submit recommendation forms to current English and Math teachers
- ___ Submit copy of birth certificate

Non-Discrimination Policy

The Cambridge School of Dallas does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, or national or ethnic origin in administration of educational or admissions policies, scholarship, or other school-administered programs.

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(To be completed by Prospective Parent/s and Student)

Church Membership

Church Affiliation	Father	Mother
Name of Church:	_____	_____
Are you a Member:	_____	_____
Involvement in Special Activities:	_____	_____

Statement of Personal Christian Experience and Faith

In order to fulfill the mission of The Cambridge School of Dallas, it is essential that at least one parent and the applicant is an apprentice of Jesus Christ. In the space below, please provide a statement of personal Christian experience and subsequent growth in faith. (Use back if needed).

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Student: _____

Please state why you are seeking admission for your child/children to The Cambridge School.

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Doctrinal Statement

The Doctrinal Statement is the foundation on which The Cambridge School of Dallas is based. It represents the key elements of Christianity that will be unapologetically taught at all grade levels. These statements are considered *primary doctrine* at The Cambridge School of Dallas. Secondary doctrines and issues will not be presented as *primary doctrine*. When other doctrines or theological issues arise, the student(s) will be referred back to the family and their church for final authority.

We believe in the verbal, plenary inspiration of both the Old and New Testament in the original documents, both of which are infallible and inerrant and that they are our final and absolute authority in every area of life and knowledge.

We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. He is omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent.

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and His personal return in power and glory.

We believe that God the Holy Spirit is a personal being who convicts the world of sin, regenerates, indwells, empowers, guides, bestows spiritual gifts on believers, and seals them eternally for God. We believe that for the salvation of lost and sinful men, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely necessary.

We believe that man was created by a direct act of God in His image, not from previously existing life, that all men sinned in Adam (the historical father of the entire human race) and thus incurred both physical and spiritual death and inherited a sinful nature.

We believe that salvation is by grace alone through faith in Christ alone.

We believe that faith without works is dead.

We believe in the bodily resurrection of both the just and the unjust: the everlasting blessedness of the saved and the everlasting punishment of the lost.

We believe in the spiritual unity of all believers in our Lord Jesus and that all are under the mandate to make disciples of all nations.

Acknowledged by:

Father's signature

Date

Mother's signature

Date

Student's signature

Date

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(To be completed by Prospective Student)

Athletics, Interests, and Awards

Athletic Participation: (Check the sports in which you have participated.)

Lacrosse	_____	Soccer	_____
Track	_____	Cross Country	_____
Volleyball	_____	Basketball	_____
Tennis	_____	Golf	_____
Crew	_____	Fencing	_____

Extra Curricular Interests: (Check your areas of interest.)

Music	_____	Chess	_____
Drama	_____	Computers	_____
Art	_____	Debate	_____
Band	_____	Film	_____
Journalism	_____	Other (detail)	_____

Church/Community Involvement: (Check activities in which you have participated.)

Mission Trips	_____	Bible Class	_____
Choir	_____	Camps	_____
Boy Scouts	_____	Girls Scouts	_____
Service Projects	_____	Other (detail)	_____

Honors and Awards: (Check honors and awards which you have received.)

Citizenship	_____	Attendance	_____
National Honors	_____	Academic Awards	_____
Math	_____	Science	_____
Athletic	_____	Art	_____
Drama	_____	Music	_____
Dance	_____	Other (detail)	_____

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Application for Enrollment (To be completed by Prospective Parent/s)

Questionnaire

1. How should parents participate in the education and school life of their children?

2. How do you incorporate your faith in your family's daily activities?

3. How are you demonstrating that you are a life-long learner?

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Pledge

We/I agree that The Cambridge School of Dallas will hold the applying family to be:

1. Solely responsible for all financial obligations incurred by the applicant. Yes No

2. Supportive of The Cambridge School of Dallas's Mission and Distinctives Yes No

3. The only person(s) authorized to remove the applicant's child(ren) from the school premises without pre-approved, written permission. Yes No

4. The authorized recipient of all school notices. Yes No

Tuition alone does not cover the entire cost of your student's education. By conducting Annual and Capital Campaigns, The Cambridge School of Dallas keeps tuition at an affordable level while providing parents the opportunity to subsidize their children's education with tax-deductible contributions. The Annual Campaign raises money for the operating budget as well as special school projects, such as new athletic uniforms and computers. The Capital Campaign raises money to provide major capital assets for the school, such as land, buildings, or building improvements. While no parent at The Cambridge School of Dallas is required to contribute to these campaigns, every parent is encouraged to prayerfully consider doing so.

We/I certify that the information given on this application is factual and true and based on our/my agreement with the mission and educational philosophy of The Cambridge School of Dallas.

Signed: Mr. _____ Date: _____

Mrs. _____ Date: _____

THE CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL OF DALLAS

Math Teacher Recommendation Form

Name of Applicant _____ Applying to Grade _____

My son/daughter is applying for admission to The Cambridge School of Dallas. I would appreciate your completing this form and returning it directly to the Director of Admission at The Cambridge School. I hereby authorize the release of my child's academic records and evaluative information to The Cambridge School of Dallas. I understand this information is confidential and further acknowledge that there is no further liability for The Cambridge School of Dallas in the handling of this information.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

Name of School _____ Completed by _____

Address of School _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Length of time acquainted with student _____

Do you section students according to ability? _____

If so, in what subject(s) is the candidate in the most advanced section? _____

Does the candidate have any significant limitations (physical, social, or emotional)? _____

Is the candidate's record with you a true index of ability, or have outside circumstances interfered with academic achievement? _____
 (For example: illness, excessive involvement in extracurricular activities, difficult home situation) If it is not a true index, please explain.

This student has had discipline problems: _____ often _____ seldom _____ never

This student has been suspended _____ times.

If you had the opportunity, would you like to have this student in your class again? _____ Yes _____ No

Use the back of the form for additional comments.

**Please indicate your rating by numbers in the right-hand column.
 Use a question mark where you have insufficient evidence.**

Rating	5	4	3	2	1	#
Integrity	Exceptionally Upright	Noticeably Upright	Upright, No Cause to Question	Weak or Questionable	Record of Dishonesty	
Conduct	Outstanding in Every Respect	Generally Excellent	Good or Acceptable	Marginal	Poor or Reprehensible	
Leadership and Responsibility	Outstanding, Top Positions, Contributes Most	Commendable, Top or Next to Top Positions	Capable, Minor Positions	No Sign of Leadership or Involvement	Record of Irresponsibility	
Non-Academic Activities	Outstanding	Commendable, Top or Next to Top Activities	Active	Minor Participation	No Participation	
Respect for Authority	Works Very Well with Those in Authority	Works Well with Those in Authority	Mild Resistance to Authority	Periodic Rebelliousness to Authority	Unsupportive, Critical of School	
Parental Support	Exceptional	Quite Good	Average	Sometimes Unsupportive	Unsupportive, Critical of School	
Summary	Outstanding	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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English Teacher Recommendation Form

Name of Applicant _____ Applying to Grade _____

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Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

Name of School _____ Completed by _____

Address of School _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Length of time acquainted with student _____

Do you section students according to ability? _____

If so, in what subject(s) is the candidate in the most advanced section? _____

Does the candidate have any significant limitations (physical, social, or emotional)? _____

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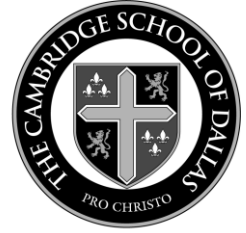
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<i>Summary</i>	Outstanding	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	

Signature: _____ Date: _____

The Cambridge School of Dallas

3877 Walnut Hill
Dallas, Texas 75229
(214) 357-2995
(214) 357-0880 (fax)
www.Cambridgedallas.org



Authority to Release School Records

Parent/Guardian: I hereby authorize

School Name _____

Address _____
Number and Street

Address _____
City State Zip Code

Phone Number _____
Office Number Fax Number

To release the school records of:

Student's Name _____

Present Grade _____ Date of birth _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

To the former school: Please send the following information for the above student as soon as it is available.

- Current official academic transcript
- Most current academic report card (for mid-year transfers)
- Standardized test scores
- Immunization records
- Attendance and conduct reports
- Diagnostic test results (if applicable)

Signature of School Official _____ Date _____

Please return this form and the materials requested to:

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