

Berean Christian School

Initial Application Packet

Family Information Sheet

Doctrinal Questionnaire

Family Life Questionnaire

Please complete the following Family Information Sheet, Doctrinal Questionnaire, and Family Life Questionnaire as thoroughly and frankly as possible, and return to the BCS office. After review and acceptance, the Student Application will be sent.

Family Information Sheet

Name and current address of the Head of the Household:

Telephone #: _____

Email Address: _____

Name of Spouse (and address if different from above):

Telephone # (if different from above): _____

Children in Family of School Age Applying to Berean:

Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____

Children in Family of School Age Not Applying to Berean:

Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____

Current Church Name and Address:

Phone #: _____

Pastor: _____

"DOCTRINAL QUESTIONNAIRE"

DIRECTIONS: Questions should be answered as completely as possible on this Questionnaire by the Head of Household.

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

1. In your opinion, who was ultimately responsible for the content and wording of the Bible? _____

2. Do you feel there were any errors, misstatements, overstatements, or mistakes in the original drafts of the Scriptures? Yes / No. If "yes", please explain. _____

3. Do you feel the Bible is applicable to life today? Yes / No. If so, how? _____

4. Other than the Old and New Testaments, are there any other groups of writings that should be considered Scripture? Yes / No. If so, what would they be? _____

GOD

1. To the best of your ability, briefly explain who God is. _____

2. How interested is God in you and how you live? Please explain. _____

3. Do you believe there are any other names that would be exact synonyms for "God?" Yes / No. _____

JESUS CHRIST

1. Was Jesus Christ a literal, historical person? _____

2. Do you believe He is literally alive today in a real body? _____

3. Was there anything unusual about His birth? _____

4. Was there anything significant about His death? _____

5. Did Jesus Christ promise to return to earth? Yes I No. If so, how will he come? _____

6. Is Jesus Christ God? _____

THE HOLY SPIRIT

1. Is the Holy Spirit a person? _____

2. What does the Holy Spirit do? _____

3. Can the Holy Spirit help individuals? _____ How? _____

4. Is the Holy Spirit God? _____

MANKIND

1. Are all men conceived and born as innately good and sinless? _____

2. To what would you attribute the evil actions of men? _____

3. What is the origin of the human race? _____

4. Is man God? _____

SALVATION

1. Is there a literal place called heaven? _____

2. Can anyone know for sure that they are going to heaven? _____

3. How can you know for sure that you are going to heaven? _____

4. Do you, personally, know for sure that you are going to heaven? Yes / No.
If "yes", briefly relate your salvation experience. _____

5. Are there other members of your family who affirm that they know for sure they are going heaven? If "yes", how many? _____
6. In your opinion, are there any outward manifestations that are essential evidences of salvation? If "yes", what might they be (please be specific)? _____

7. Is there a literal place called Hell? Yes / No. _____
8. Who might you expect to occupy Hell? _____

9. Can salvation be taken away or lost? Yes / No. If so, how? _____

"FAMILY LIFE QUESTIONNAIRE"

DIRECTIONS: Questions should be answered as completely as possible on this Questionnaire by the Head of Household.

THE HOME

1. What is a family? _____

2. From where did "the family" as an institution come? _____

3. Who do you feel has the responsibility of authority in your home? _____

4. What do you think constitutes discipline in your home? _____

5. In your opinion, what is the purpose of discipline? _____

6. Is there agreement or disagreement in your family on the issues of authority and discipline in your home? Please explain. _____

7. On a scale of 0 to 5, with 0 being never and 5 being daily, how often do all or most of the resident members of your family come together to focus their attention on God and His Word? Who leads devotion time? _____

8. On a scale of 0 to 5, with 0 being none and 5 being extremely important, what role does music play in your home? _____
What style of music do you like best? _____
What style of music does your child/children like best? _____

9. On a scale of 0 to 5, with 0 being never and 5 being weekly, how often do all or most of the resident members of your family participate together in a planned activity? _____

10. What do you feel are the major problems confronting today's family? Please be specific. _____

THE CHURCH

1. What is a church? _____

2. From where did "the church" as an institution come from? _____

3. How many of the resident members of your family attend church? _____

4. Of those in your family who attend church, on a scale of 0 to 5, with 0 being never and 5 being all regularly scheduled services, how often does your family attend church? Do you all attend together? _____

5. What do you expect from your church? Be specific. _____

6. What should your church expect from you? Be specific. _____

7. How important is the church? Why? _____

THE SCHOOL

1. Who do you feel is primarily responsible for the education of your child/children? Why? _____

2. Why are you considering private, Christian education for your child/children when tax funded Public education is available? _____

3. Specifically, what would you expect from our school? _____

4. Specifically, what should our school expect from you? _____

5. In your opinion, what should constitute discipline in a Christian school? _____

6. Is there agreement among those legally and morally responsible for the child/children regarding the need and/or desirability of private Christian education? If not, please explain. _____
