

## 2015-2016 Enrollment Information for Returning Families

Application Fee \$100.00 per family due with admissions application. All application fees are nonrefundable. The application (i.e. "re-enrollment") fee will be waived for returning families who submit their re-enrollment forms by March 1.

Tuition	Pre-Kindergarten	\$4130 (5 days/week)	\$2200 (2 days/week)
	Kindergarten	\$4130 (5 days/week)	\$3000 (3 days/week)
	1 <sup>st</sup> –6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$6014	
	7 <sup>th</sup> –12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$6845	

- Tuition Assistance Veritas Academy offers need-based financial assistance to families on a first-come, first-served basis as funds are available. Levels of tuition assistance offered will depend on a number of factors including total (gross) family income, number of family members, and the number of children enrolled at Veritas. If you are applying for financial assistance to help with tuition expenses, you must complete a FACTS application online (see www.veritassavannah.org/admissions/financial-aid) and submit all required documentation to FACTS BEFORE MARCH 1. It is expected that families will pursue every other available means of financial assistance (family, other scholarship funds, etc.) prior to applying for aid directly from Veritas.
- **Enrollment Deposit** Families whose children have been accepted to Veritas will receive an enrollment contract that must be signed and returned to the school. This signed enrollment contract must be accompanied by an enrollment deposit totaling one-twelfth (1/12) of the family's total tuition obligation. Payment of the enrollment deposit will guarantee your child's placement in the classroom.
- **Payment Plans** The remaining tuition balance after payment of the one-twelfth deposit may be paid using one of the following payment plans:

**1-Pay Plan:** One (1) lump sum payment due on June 1. There is no discount for this early lump sum payment.

**12-Pay Plan:** Twelve (12) equal payments due on or before the first day of each month beginning with June 1, with the final payment due on or before May 1. If the one-twelfth enrollment deposit payment is paid prior to May 1, eleven monthly payments will begin July 1 and continue through May 1.

Payments on the 12-Pay Plan must be made through FACTS and will incur a one-time processing fee from FACTS. You must set up automatic bank payments from your checking or savings account at least two weeks before your first payment is due. For instructions see www.veritassavannah.org/admissions/financial-aid.

### **RETURNING FAMILIES Timeline:**

- January 1 Formal enrollment season begins. Applications may be submitted earlier, if desired.
- January-March Enrollment Assessment Testing for new applicants (new siblings of returning students). The school will notify applicants when they are to be tested.
- March 1 If returning families sign and submit the re-enrollment form by March 1, the \$100 re-enrollment (application) fee is waived. If the re-enrollment (application) form is submitted *after* March 1, families must pay the re-enrollment (application) fee of \$100.
- March 1 If you are applying for financial assistance to help with tuition expenses, you must complete a financial aid application (see www.veritassavannah.org/admissions/financial-aid.) and submit all required documentation to FACTS by March 1 in order to receive priority consideration for assistance.

Applications for admission WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE ABOVE DATES and will be considered as the school has openings.

Applications for financial assistance WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE ABOVE DATES and will be considered as the school has available funds.

- March 10 Enrollment contracts and acceptance letters will be issued by March 10. Notifications of financial assistance will be included in the contracts.
- March 25 Enrollment contracts and deposits must be returned to the school. Returning families who do not submit their contract by this date will not be given priority in filling available spaces or priority in financial aid awards. Veritas will guarantee classroom placement and financial aid awards only if the contract and deposit are received by March 25.

One-twelfth (1/12) of the total tuition due must be paid as a deposit with signed contract. Families who are currently making monthly payments may sign their contract and request a deferral on the one-twelfth deposit until May 1.

**AFTER March 25** applications for admission and financial aid for returning and new families will be processed and considered as they are submitted and as the school has openings and as financial aid funds are available.



# Application for Admission

(for RE-enrollment of RETURNING FAMILIES)

PLEASE NOTE: A non-refundable application fee (\$100 per family) is due with this application. This payment, along with your application, is required to begin the admissions process for your child. Receipt of these items, however, does not guarantee the enrollment of your child. Please note that the application fee will be waived for applications for students from returning families submitted by March 1.

Date of Application:	S	chool year for v	vhich you are applying:			
Do you intend to apply for fi	inancial assistance to	help with your t	tuition expenses at Verita	as? Yes	N	10
I. Names of Children App	lying For Admissio	n. Please begin	with the oldest child to th	ie youngest. Please	e use full le	egal names.
If you are applying for Pr	e-Kindergarten, pleas	se indicate 2-day	or 5-day. If applying for	Kindergarten, plea	se indicat	e 3-day or 5-day.
Full Legal Name			Preferred Name	Date of Birth	Sex	Grade Entering
1.						
2.			<u> </u>			
3.			<u> </u>			
4. (If additional space is nee						
II. Family Information: The	ink you for providing A	ALL information f	or BOTH parents.			
Street Address:						
City:	State:	Zip:	Home Pho	ne:		
Father's Name:		Father's Email:				
Street Address: (if different th	nan student)					
City:	State:	e: Zip: Mobile Phone:				
Father's Employer:			Work Pho	ne:		
Mother's Name:		Mother's Email:				
Street Address: (if different th	nan student)					
City:		Zip:	Mobile Pho			
Mother's Employer:			Work Pho	ne:		
Family's Preferred Email Addr	'ess:					

If the child's parents are not married, please give the name and address of the non-custodial parent on a separate sheet of paper and indicate whether the non-custodial parent should receive information about the child's progress. Also include information regarding living arrangements for the child and who will have responsibility for payment of tuition.

Are you a member of a local church? Name of your church:

Do you attend your church regularly (at least three Sunday mornings per month)?

Veritas Academy does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in any employment practice, educational program, or any other Academy-administered program, activity or service, nor does it discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and financial aid programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

#### **III. Student Health Information**

1. Is your child currently under a physician's care or receiving medication for any reason? If yes, please explain:

2. Please describe any medical or health issues (*heart, hearing difficulties, speech impediments, asthma, etc.*) and any significant illnesses, diseases, conditions, allergies, injuries or hospitalizations.

### **IV. Family Commitments**

- 1. Have you read the current Veritas Academy Parent/Student Handbook (available on our website or from the school office)? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Are there any points in our policies, mission, philosophy, or approach to education which are inconsistent with your beliefs? YES\_\_\_\_\_NO\_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain:
- Do you understand that the Westminster Confession of Faith, with its Larger and Shorter Catechism (linked on our website), is the doctrinal foundation of Veritas Academy and that classical Protestantism provides the perspective from which the entire curriculum will be taught?
  YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Do you understand that as parents of full-curriculum students, you are expected to provide 10-15 minutes of daily home chapel/family devotions and Bible instruction for your children and agree to fulfill this requirement? YES\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_
- 5. Do you understand that as parents of full-curriculum students, you are expected to read aloud to your child(ren) 15-30 minutes/day from the book-lists and schedules provided by Veritas Academy and agree to fulfill this requirement? YES NO
- Do you understand that as parents of full-curriculum students you are expected to set aside a reading hour each day devoted exclusively to your child's reading and agree to fulfill this requirement? YES NO
- 7. Do you understand that Veritas is a home school learning center that operates on a condensed day schedule and that parents of all students enrolled at Veritas (K-12) are required by law to register as a homeschooler and submit a Declaration of Intent form to the Georgia State Department of Education by September 1 of each school year? YES NO

My signature below herein evidences that the information in this application is correct to the best of my understanding. I also state that I have read and understand the foundational documents of Veritas Academy (Mission, Philosophy, Approach, Goals, and Statement of Faith) and that I agree to have my children taught in accordance with these. My signature below also evidences that I have read the current Parent/Student Handbook and, if my child is re-admitted to Veritas Academy, agree to faithfully and fully abide by the policies of the school as stated therein.

Father's Signature:	I	Date:
Mother's Signature:	I	Date:

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