



**Student Admissions Application  
Registration Packet for New Families  
2010-2011**

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**CORNERSTONE SCHOOLS OF ALABAMA**  
*“Laying a Foundation of Excellence in Academics and Character”*

**Our Vision**

To develop a Christ-centered, world-class learning institute in the inner city.

**Our Beliefs**

A commitment to values, decisions, and actions that are:

- Christ-centered
- Best for children
- Committed to excellence

**Mission**

The mission of Cornerstone Schools is to provide Birmingham's inner-city children a Christ-centered environment of excellence in learning, character development, fine arts, and service to community. Cornerstone recognizes the unique challenges facing today's urban families and provides the tools and resources necessary for children to develop to their fullest potential while supporting parents in nurturing their child's personal and spiritual growth, enhancing self-esteem, and teaching personal responsibility.

**Cornerstone Proclamation**

I am a child of God. A member of God's great universe and a student at Cornerstone School. Because I am God's beloved, I am wonderfully and fearfully made. By His son's death, God proved that He loves me. Because Christ died for me, I will live for Him by doing my best in all things and by loving and caring for others. The heritage that He leaves for me is one of love.

It does not matter what I look like, what I have or what I don't have. It does not matter who loves me, or who does not love me, what happened to me, or what will happen in this world. I will always be secure in the love of Christ; and so, He expects great things from me. I must therefore expect great things from myself.

I will obey those in authority at my school, my teachers, my principal, and those in charge of my care, because they are helping me to be who they know I can be.

I will treat others the way I want to be treated; this means not uttering from my mouth things that are hurtful, or doing things that are harmful to any person.

I will take care of my school because all that I have comes from God. I will obey God and put Him first in all things. He is the foundation of my life, He is and always will be my Cornerstone.

## Cornerstone Schools of Alabama

### **Application Procedure**

To apply to Cornerstone Schools of Alabama, please submit the following materials:

**Step 1:** Complete and return application with the following:

- A copy of the last report card
- Transcript
- Test Scores (if available)
- Attendance Record

**Step 2:** Once application for admission is received, an appointment will be made for appropriate testing and interview.

**Step 3:** After testing is complete, the admissions committee, along with the Executive Director, reviews each application and the Executive Director then informs the applicant's family of the school's decision.

**Step 4:** Once a student's family has signed an enrollment contract and the enrollment deposit of \$60 per student or \$100 per family has been paid, a student account is established. The tuition coordinator will contact you to arrange an appointment for your tuition evaluation.



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### **Registration Notes**

- Early Registration will begin on February 1<sup>st</sup> and end March 31<sup>st</sup>.
- Spots in classes that are not on “hold” will go to the first person that turns in all registration forms and pays registration for the next year.
- Preschool and Kindergarten Preferences will be filled according to the order in which people turn in all registration forms and pay registration for the next year.

### **Application Notes**

- You must fill out an application for each student you plan to enroll.
- Each student who enters 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade will be evaluated by the Cornerstone admissions committee. Once the application is in our hands, we will schedule an evaluation for you.
- You will be notified within two business days of your child’s evaluation concerning your student’s acceptance into our school.

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**Student Application- Page 1**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Goes By: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade to Enter: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent or Guardian 1:** Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Married  Divorced  Separated  Widow(er)

**Parent or Guardian 2:** Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Married  Divorced  Separated  Widow(er)

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**Student Application- Page 2**

**Family Status**

With whom does the student reside? \_\_\_\_\_

Who has custody of the student? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there a parent of the child who the court system has forbidden from picking-up the child from school or seeing the child at school? \_\_\_\_\_ If so please list and include details: \_\_\_\_\_

Are there unusual factors in the student's life such as absence of father or mother; grandparents or others living in home; serious accidents or illnesses; physical handicaps of which the school should be aware? If so please list: \_\_\_\_\_

**Scholastic Information**

Please list the schools that the student has attended. If home-schooled, please indicate. Put the last school the student attended first.

**School 1:** \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (s) Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**School 2:** \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (s) Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**School 3:** \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (s) Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Student Application- Page 3**

What is the student's greatest academic strength? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the student's greatest academic weakness? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your student struggled academically or been identified as needing additional help in the classroom: \_\_\_ If so please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been contacted in the previous year concerning your student's behavior in school? \_\_\_ If so please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

**Agreement**

I agree that the information provided in this application is correct. I understand that any falsification or information may result in my child's dismissal from Cornerstone Schools of Alabama. I also agree to support all Cornerstone Schools of Alabama policies and procedures, outlines in the Student Handbook and other governing documents.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Request for Student Records**

Cornerstone Schools of Alabama  
135 54<sup>th</sup> Street North  
Birmingham, AL 35212  
Phone: 205-591-7600  
Fax: 205-591-7656

Name of Releasing School: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give permission for all of my student (s) listed below to be sent to:

Cornerstone Schools of Alabama  
135 54<sup>th</sup> Street North  
Birmingham, AL 35212

<b>Student's Name (Last, First, Middle)</b>	<b>Grade Level</b>

I have been notified of my right to receive a copy of my student's records, to review the records and to have a hearing to remove or correct any information that is inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise violates my student's rights or privacy, or other rights.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Personal Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Emergency Contacts/Authorized Pick-Up:

Circle: Emergency Contact or Authorized Pick-Up Name: _____ Relationship to Child: _____ Address: _____ _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Driver's License No: _____ Tag #: _____	Circle: Emergency Contact or Authorized Pick-Up Name: _____ Relationship to Child: _____ Address: _____ _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Driver's License No: _____ Tag #: _____
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**Yearly Income**

**Annual Household Income (please circle):**

Under 25,000	25,000-39,999	40,000-59,999
60,000-79,999	80,000-99,999	100,000 +

**\*Current proof of income will need to be provided**

Number of members in household: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of students applying to Cornerstone: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have an outstanding tuition balance? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, how much? \_\_\_\_\_ Amount? \_\_\_\_\_

I have read all the policies that Cornerstone Schools of Alabama has set forth, and I affirm that the above information is truthful to the best of my knowledge. I understand that Cornerstone Schools of Alabama reserves the right to modify its curriculum, fees, and schedule. I further understand that Cornerstone Schools of Alabama also reserves the right to verify my information and that I may be asked for additional information during the enrollment process.

Father's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_