



Employment Application

Your interest in Agape Christi Academy is much appreciated. Leadership on the part of teachers is essential for Agape Christi to carry out its mission. We seek and are grateful for teachers who by the pattern of their lives in and out of the classroom exemplify Christ; who love and know children, and who are equipped to teach. We look forward to receiving your application soon. If it appears that you may be qualified for one of our openings, a personal interview will be arranged.

PLEASE NOTE: The following materials should be submitted with this application:

1. A résumé listing all prior relevant work experience.
2. A one-two page typed evaluation of [The Lost Tools of Learning](http://agapechristi.com/about/recommended-resources/the-lost-tools-of-learning/).
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3. A copy of your complete college transcript.
4. A copy of any written references, confidential or public.
5. Separate, typed responses as indicated within this application.

I. Personal Information

Date of submission of application: _____

Your full name: _____

Current address: _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____ Blog: _____

Position applying for: Teacher _____ Office Staff _____ Other (specify) _____

For any position; are you interested in full-time or part-time work? _____

Are you eligible to work in the United States? _____

Have you ever been arrested or convicted for any criminal act? _____ If so, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.



II. Christian Background / Training

At Agape Christi Academy, the love of Christ compels us to teach God's truth with intentionality, bridling the power of knowledge with humility and discipline in light of Christ's total authority. Therefore, teachers at Agape Christi need to have a firm understanding of the biblical worldview, particularly as it pertains to education. In no more than two total pages, please give responses for the following:

- Christ's saving work in your life.
- The authority the Scriptures have in the world and in your life.
- What is meant by "all truth is God's truth."
- The unique function of a classical Christian school.
- Your reasons for seeking a position at Agape Christi Academy.

Have you been baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit? _____

What church do you attend now? (It is a policy of Agape Christi that all staff members regularly attend a local Christian church.)

NAME

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Are you a member in good standing at this church? _____

Have you read the entire Bible? _____ If not, why not? _____

How well do you know the Bible? For example, could you give a summary of each book of the Bible if asked?

How do you respond to the warning in James 3:1?



III. Professional Qualifications

A. Work Experience

What is the reason for leaving your current position? _____

Have you ever been fired or asked to resign from a position for any reason? _____

B. Teaching Experience

What are your strongest and weakest academic subject areas?

Are you particularly interested, gifted, or qualified in (check all that apply, or explain on a separate sheet).

_____ Art _____ Languages _____ Music (Instrumental) _____ Athletics

C. References

Please give four names of individuals who can attest to your character and clerical and/or organizational abilities. Include a pastor and at least one supervisor from a previous job. **Be sure at least one of these references was an immediate supervisor overseeing your work, in whatever capacity.**

NAME

POSITION

PHONE NUMBER

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____



IV. Individual Education

Please describe any experiences or training you have had that you believe would enhance your ability to work at Agape Christi Academy: _____

Please list your hobbies, interests, and clubs (skip this section if on résumé): _____

Approximately how much time do you spend per week reading for pleasure (vs. required): _____

Please list the titles of any five books you have selected to read in the past year: _____

Have you had any military and/or travel experiences? If so, please briefly describe how it influenced your teaching style:

In what areas do you seek to grow in your knowledge of the Lord and his creation in the next five years? Why?



V. Statement of Faith

The statement of faith adopted by Agape Christi Academy is limited to primary Christian doctrine, which is considered to be central to all Christian denominations, and which sets Protestant Christianity apart from other faiths. The following statement of faith is taken directly from Agape Christi Academy By-Laws:

With the whole Church, we confess the Apostles' Creed and the Nicene Creed. In addition, we profess the following Evangelical Confession:

1. We believe the Bible to be the only inerrant Word of God. It is our only ultimate and infallible authority for faith and practice, and is contained in the 66 books of the Old and New Testaments.
2. We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three Persons; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. He is omnipotent, that is, He is all-powerful. He is omnipresent, that is, He is present throughout all Creation but not limited by it. He is omniscient; that is, He knows all things. He readily exercises His power which is present everywhere, and to Him there is nothing that is impossible or unknown, that is, He knows what has been from eternity, what now takes place everywhere, and what will be to all eternity.
3. We believe the God we serve is holy, righteous, good, severe, loving and full of mercy. He created the heavens and earth, and everything in them, in the space of six ordinary days, and all very good. He is the Creator, Sustainer, and Governor of everything that has been made.
4. We believe in the true deity and full humanity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father and in His personal return in power and glory.
5. We believe in the full deity of the Holy Spirit, acknowledging Him together with the Father and the Son in the works of creation and redemption.
6. We believe that because of Adam's sin all mankind is in rebellion against God. For the salvation of such lost and sinful men, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely necessary.
7. We believe that salvation is by grace through faith alone, and that faith without works is dead.
8. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life.
9. We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and lost; those who are saved to the resurrection of life, and those who are lost to the resurrection of damnation.
10. We believe in the spiritual unity of all believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

Additional Statements

We are in agreement with the Confession of Faith adopted by the Association of Classical Christian Schools.

On Creation: Concerning the teaching of origins, we affirm that God created everything out of nothing and that He created it good. Christians have differed as to the age of the earth based upon the Genesis 1 account of creation. Various interpretations which affirm the inerrant character of Genesis 1 can be held by faithful Christians. Nonetheless, at Agape Christi Academy, we teach that God created the world in the space of six ordinary days and that God rested on the seventh.

On Life: We believe that all human life is sacred and created by God. Human life at all stages – including pre-born and end of life – should be valued and respected, (Psalm 139).

On Marriage and Sexuality: We believe that the term “marriage” has only one meaning, and that is marriage sanctioned by God, which joins one man and one woman in a single, exclusive, covenantal union, as delineated in Scripture.

We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to only occur between a man and a woman who are married to each other. We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman.

We believe that any form of sexual immorality, such as adultery, fornication, homosexual conduct, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, any use of pornography or any attempt to change one's sex, or disagreement with one's biological sex, is sinful and offensive to God.



The above is a statement of doctrines Agape Christi Academy embraces and teaches. If it is the statement of your basic Christian convictions also, please indicate this by your signature below. If at any point you disagree or have questions, please state your view or questions on the back of this page.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

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