



CALVARY  
DAY SCHOOL

## 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Frequently Asked Questions

### What is your student capacity in each class section?

The maximum number of students in each class section in 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades is 24, although most classes are smaller.

### What curriculum do you use?

The biblically integrated curriculum is selected by Calvary teachers from a variety of Christian and secular publishers, based on how well they fit the curriculum that we have developed. Currently we are using texts from a variety of publishers. [See the High School Profile page for a complete listing of courses.]

### What is your discipline plan?

The **STUDENT CODE OF HONOR** is the heart of the discipline plan: *"I pledge on my honor as a Calvary Day School student to be honorable in conduct, honest in word and deed, dutiful in study and service and respectful of the rights of others."* Teachers diligently, consistently, equitably, and lovingly explain and train students in expected behaviors and then hold them accountable. A child is never physically or emotionally punished. No student has the right to behave in a manner that disrupts or interferes with the teacher's right to teach or another child's right to learn. Grace and mercy are granted when a student demonstrates a repentant heart and a change in behavior. CDS reserves the right to set discipline at whatever level is deemed proportionate to the offense including, but not limited to, admonition, counseling, probation, suspension, and expulsion.

### What is the dress code? Do the students wear uniforms?

CDS's school culture is one of modesty and a desire not to offend others.

- Dress and hair should not be distracting to teachers and students, and modesty is expected in all clothing choices.
- All clothing should be clean and in good repair.
- Clothing and accessories must not have inappropriate or controversial messages, logos, or marketing as defined by the mission of Calvary Day School and the administration.
- Students may wear long pants, jeans, or knee-length shorts. Girls may wear knee-length skirts or dresses. Jeggings and leggings may only be worn with dresses and skirts that are knee length or longer. (Knee-length is defined as *no more than 3 inches above the knee*.)
- Sleeveless dresses and shirts must be at least three-finger-width wide at the shoulders. No undergarments should be visible at any time. Clothing must not reveal cleavage, backs, or midriffs. Form-fitting or sheer clothing is not appropriate for school (unless clothing underneath meets dress code).
- Athletic pants such as nylon shorts, sweatpants, yoga pants, etc., are not appropriate for classroom attire. All students must wear footwear.
- No body piercing jewelry is to be worn at school or school related events, only earrings.
- Hats and head coverings are not to be worn inside the building during school hours.

### Do you have a cafeteria?

Yes. We have a cafeteria that serves lunch each day. All students eat in the designated areas only (whether they bring or buy lunch). Current lunch cost is \$6.00. Seniors are allowed to leave campus for lunch.

### What sports do you offer?

The 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades have teams in girls' and boys' soccer, basketball, and tennis; boys' baseball and golf; girls' softball and cheerleading; co-ed swimming, track and cross-country. The teams offered each year are subject to demand and a qualified coaching staff.

### What about other extra-curricular activities?

See "Student Activities" on the Profile sheet.