

CrossPointe Preparatory

Acknowledgement of Statements and Positions

I acknowledge that CrossPointe Preparatory is committed to providing its students and parents with a Christian environment that is conducive to the Christian growth and maturity of the student and support of the family. I understand that the following statements define CrossPointe Preparatory, its staff, and their purpose and core beliefs. I agree with this position for the purpose of unity and fairness to each student and understand that other doctrinal issues will be referred back to the Bible and family for final authority. As a part of CrossPointe Preparatory, I desire to remain united in the salvation and love of Christ, avoiding any dissension that may be caused by denominational distinctions.

Vision Statement

The vision of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. is to help parents prepare college-worthy, character witnesses of Christ for the next generation.

Mission Statement/Purpose

CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. exists:

- to love and glorify God
- to foster parental involvement in the educational and spiritual discipleship of their children
- to inculcate students with a biblical worldview
- to educate with excellence
- to prepare students for the rigors of a lifetime of learning, to train students in the articulation and defense of their faith in Christ, to intentionally empower and build Christian families thus laying the foundation for stronger communities
- to encourage the start-up of other Christian-based schools wherever parents and educators demonstrate interest.

Spiritual Objectives General

1. The Spiritual Objective of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. is to encourage its students, families, and staff members to live and work whole-heartedly for the Lord and for the building of His body, the Church.
2. We further wish to encourage all associated with CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. to live in ever increasing obedience to Him by bringing all facets of their lives under His control and authority (Matthew 22:37-40).
3. Parents, staff, and board members, therefore, must be in agreement with the by-laws' Philosophy Statement, the Statement of Non-Affiliation, and the Denominationally Unbiased Position.

Philosophy/Statement of Faith

1. The guiding philosophy of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. centers on the belief that God delivered the Holy Scriptures by the inspiration of His Holy Spirit.
2. We believe this was done for the purpose of proving His wisdom through the sacrifice of His only begotten son, Jesus of Nazareth.
3. We further believe this Jesus is the proven Christ by His resurrection from the dead a. according to fulfilled prophecies contained in the Scriptures and b. that this wisdom is evidenced to the principalities and powers in heavenly places by the Church, c. which consists of those saved to eternal salvation according to the will of God as expressed in the Scriptures (2nd Timothy 3:16-17; Acts 2:30-31; Ephesians 3:10).
4. CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. accepts the following writings as the authoritative, inerrant, and complete Word of God on all matters pertaining to life and godliness (2nd Peter 1:3):

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, 1st & 2nd Samuel, 1st & 2nd Kings, 1st & 2nd Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, Acts, Romans, 1st & 2nd Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1st & 2nd Thessalonians, 1st & 2nd Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Hebrews, James, 1st & 2nd Peter, 1st & 2nd & 3rd John, Jude, and Revelation. 12
5. Finally, we believe it is the divinely appointed role of the parent to spiritually raise the children entrusted them by God. a. While teachers are given the freedom to cite passages as relates to matters outside the topic of doctrine (e.g., science, mathematics, social studies, character development, etc.), the function of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. in answering any questions of faith students may pose is to encourage students to search the Scriptures with their parents for answers.

Denominationally Unbiased Position

1. The Philosophy Statement of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. is fundamental to basic Christian tenets and contains those concepts to which we unreservedly adhere and teach.
2. It is our desire to maintain this position and to do so in all fairness to each family.
3. In honoring this desire concerning the outreach of CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. there shall be no attempt made by parents, staff, or school board members to promote or disparage any doctrinal or denominational beliefs, practices, or positions regarding issues upon which CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. itself has assumed no official stance.
4. We desire to remain united in the salvation and love of Christ, avoiding the dissension that may be caused by denominational distinctions.

Non-Discriminatory Policy

CrossPointe Preparatory, Inc. admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions, policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

Public Release

I agree to allow CrossPointe Preparatory to publish the following information for school purposes only: home phone, mailing address, email address, teacher photo/video.

Christian Conciliation Service Requirement

All staff members at CrossPointe Preparatory are required to sign a statement indicating that they agree to the following Christian arbitration agreement: 13 The parties to the agreement are Christians and believe that the Bible commands them to make every effort to live in peace and to resolve disputes with each other in private or within the Christian community in conformity with the Biblical injunctions of 1Corintians 6:1-8, Matthew 5:23-24, and Matthew 18:15-20. Therefore, the parties agree that any claim or dispute arising out of, or related to, this agreement or to any aspect of the school relationship, including any claim or statutory claims, shall be settled by Biblically-based mediation. If resolution of the dispute and reconciliation do not result from mediation, the matter shall then be submitted to an independent and objective arbitrator for binding arbitration. The parties agree that the mediation and arbitration process will be conducted in accordance with the “Rules of Procedure for Christian Conciliation” (“Rules”) contained in the Peacemaker Ministries booklet Guidelines for Christian Conciliation. Consistent of these “Rules,” each party to the agreement shall agree to the selection of the arbitrator. The parties agree that if there is an impasse in the selection of the arbitrator, the Institute of Christian Conciliation division of Peacemaker Ministries in Billings, Montana (406-256-1583), shall be asked to provide the name of a qualified person who will serve in that capacity. Consistent with the “Rules,” the arbitrator shall issue a written opinion within a reasonable time.

THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THESE METHODS SHALL BE THE SOLE REMEDY FOR ANY CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF THE SCHOOL RELATIONSHIP OR THIS AGREEMENT AND EXPRESSLY WAIVE THEIR RIGHT TO FILE A LAWSUIT AGAINST ONE ANOTHER IN ANY CIVIL COURT FOR SUCH DISPUTES, EXCEPT TO ENFORCE A LEGALLY BINDING ARBITRATION DECISION.

AGREEMENT TO STATEMENTS AND POSITIONS

Parents, staff, and school board members must be in agreement with the above statements. Please sign below if you are in agreement with all statements and positions included in this document.

Signature of applicant

Date