

Dear Perspective MCA Parents,

Thank you for your interest in Christian education and Mintz Christian Academy. It is our desire to work with parents, within the Christian community, teaching and equipping their children to know and serve Christ. We encourage application from all students regardless of race or ethnicity, who seriously want to pursue spiritual and academic excellence.

God has commissioned each of you as parents to teach your children the Truth of Scripture. (Deut. 6:7-9) You have done this at home and through your local church. Now that it is time to consider where to send your children to school, we believe you should also carefully select a place that best reflects your beliefs and values. Someone once said, "Children are God's homework assignment to parents". When we face our Heavenly Father one day, we want Him to be able to say *...well done my faithful servant*, particularly about the decisions we made as parents

Christian education *is* a "life-long, Bible-based, Christ-centered process of leading a child to Christ, building a child up in Christ, and equipping a child to serve Christ"! The logo for Mintz Christian Academy is "created by God to be used by God." Therefore, it is our desire that each child come to a saving knowledge of Christ, be continually transformed into His image and be equipped to serve Him every day. Students will be encouraged to choose character instead of career, wisdom instead of scholarship, and service instead of self. When the academics are taught, issues are addressed, and when discipline/correction is administered, Jesus will be preeminent. All instruction will be based on the absolute truth of Scripture and this is necessary because the standards of scripture establish the boundaries of our lives.

A complete application packet should be turned in to the Mintz Christian Academy office before an interview with the Principal can be scheduled. Please note that older students will need to include grades and possible test scores. It is our desire to place each child in a classroom in which he will be successful. The more complete the data provided the more accurately we can make that placement. Each of the items listed on the checklist should be completed and returned.

We look forward to working together as together we partner with God in "training up our children". If you have additional questions, please call at (910) 564-6221, or email jmcdowell@mcanc.com. The school office is open Monday through Friday from 8:00-4:00. My door is always open to you as we strive to fulfill God command to teach the next generation.

Serving Him,

Joy McDowell

Principal Mintz Christian Academy