



MIDDLE SCHOOL APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

We at The Master's School are committed to the integration of faith and learning within a framework of a Christian worldview. We challenge our students to strive for spiritual maturity and academic excellence in a supportive community that emphasizes education from the inside out.

APPLICATION PROCESS

The following items are required:

1. A completed application, including the Student Essay and Parent Response on the last page;
2. A non-refundable application fee of \$50;
3. A copy of the applicant's most recent report card, including standardized test scores, and special education records. A release of records is included and should be given to your child's current school.
4. Two teacher recommendations (Math and English)
5. All students applying for grades 6-12 must take the SSAT test if they have not already taken the test. Please log on to www.ssat.com for registration information or call the Admissions Office.

Completing the paperwork in a thorough and timely fashion is the first step in the admissions process. Building healthy relationships with families is key to our work with students; therefore, we want to meet with each family. We require that each Middle or Upper School applicant spend one full day at the School. With all of these pieces in place, The Master's School will be well positioned to make a responsible decision regarding whether or not we are a good match for your child and family. Throughout this process it is also important that you feel you are having your questions answered. We anticipate that you prayerfully consider the match between your son or daughter and the programs we have to offer.

FINANCIAL AID

We are committed to making The Master's School education financially feasible for those families God would bring to us.

The following steps must be completed to be considered for need-based financial aid:

1. Application for admission
2. Financial aid applications can be completed online with FACTS at www.factstuitionaid.com. Neither the Office of Admissions nor the Business Office will accept financial aid applications or tax returns.

Financial aid is granted on a first come, first served basis and will not be considered until all required paperwork has been filed with FACTS. Current students will be given priority consideration until February 15th provided all paperwork has been filed.

FAMILY GRANTS

Parents with more than one child in grades 1-12 will receive grants of \$1,000 for each child other than the oldest. These grants are automatic and do not require an application.

Student Information

We would like our child to enroll in The Master's School in _____ in 6th 7th 8th
Month Year

Last Name First Name Middle Name First Name Preferences

Current Mailing Address:

Permanent Address (if different):

Street Address

Street Address

City State Zip

City State Zip

Birthday: _____ Gender: _____ Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Church: _____
Name Address City State Zip

Pastor: _____ Telephone: _____ Are you a member? Yes No

Educational Background

Present School: _____ Present Grade: _____

Address: _____ Telephone: _____
City State Zip

Principal's Name: _____ Current Teacher: _____

Previous Schools:

School / School Address City State Zip Dates of Attendance

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Have teachers recommended that your child be tested for a LD and/or ADD? Yes No

Has your child been evaluated for the possibility of a Learning Disability? Yes No

Has your child been diagnosed as having a Learning Disability? Yes No

Have you had P.P.T. or I.E.P. conferences for your child? Yes No

Has your child participated in a Gifted and Talented Program? Yes No

Does he/she have any health conditions or physical disabilities that require special attention or may limit full participation in the school's program(s)? Yes No

If you have answered "yes" to any of the above questions or your child has had any specialized tests or participated in special programs, please briefly describe below the situation, program, needs and submit copies of pertinent reports.

Family Information

Father (or Guardian)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone: _____
Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

E-mail: _____

Employer: _____

Position: _____

Mother (or Guardian)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone: _____
Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

E-mail: _____

Employer: _____

Position: _____

Name and address of person(s) financially responsible if other than signer below:

Name	Address	City, State, Zip	Telephone
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Please list any siblings of applicant:

Name: _____

Age/Grade: _____

School: _____

Please list any siblings who are current or former Master's School students:

Name: _____

Year(s) Attended: _____

Personal Information

How did you first learn of The Master's School? _____

Please provide us with a name and phone number of two references, other than relatives, who know your child well.

Are you seeking financial aid? Yes No

If yes, you must have a child who will be entering grades 1-12 at The Master's School. Financial aid applications must be completed online with FACTS at www.factstuitionaid.com. Neither the Office of Admissions nor the Business Office will accept financial aid application or tax returns. Student assistance is granted on a first come, first served basis and will not be considered until all required paperwork has been filed with FACTS.

The Master's School is a fully accredited member of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges and the Connecticut Association of Independent Schools. It is, moreover, a Christ-centered school with Christian educational goals and objectives. These are to encourage and enable students to receive all that God has for them physically, intellectually, and spiritually. We recognize this to be a primary responsibility of parents and, to this end, believe the close cooperation of school and family to be essential. We understand, therefore, that your signature below affirms your support of our goals and purposes as a Christian school as they relate to the instruction of your child.

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

This section provides an opportunity for you, the student, to give us additional information about yourself and your activities. You are unique, and we are eager to know more about you. Please write your responses below in narrative form. Do not provide lists. Use additional paper if the space provided is not adequate.

Rank these items in order of how important they are in your life right now (1 = most important; 9 = least important).

_____ Church	_____ Homework	_____ Job: _____
_____ Family	_____ Music/Dance/Art/Drama	_____ Clubs: _____
_____ Friends	_____ Sports	_____ Other: _____

Describe the school and/or community activities you have enjoyed the most (sports, music, drama, scouting, church, jobs, etc.). Share what you gained from them and what kind of contributions you feel you make.

How would you describe your present relationship with God?

What are your favorite academic areas and why? What are your current thoughts about college and career preparation, whether you are undecided or firmly committed to a specific college or field?

ESSAYS

In an effort to know the student better, we ask BOTH the applicant and his/her parents to take the time to write approximately one page each answering the following questions:

Student Essay: The Master's School is a Christian, college preparatory school. It is academically demanding. Its faculty, staff and students also care about one another and, in particular, encourage each other to live a meaningful Christian life. How do you feel about such a school and what are your reasons for being interested in attending The Master's School?

Parent Response: Briefly describe your child's personality and the relationship you have with him or her. What are the primary gifts and talents that you hope to see him or her develop further? Why do you want to see your child attend The Master's School?