

GRACE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Binding Arbitration

Section 1 – Submission to Arbitration

Believing that lawsuits between Christians are prohibited by the Scripture, all parents and/or guardians of students agree to submit to binding arbitration any matters which cannot otherwise be resolved, and expressly waive any and all rights in law and equity to bringing any civil disagreement before a court of law, except that judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof.

Section 2 – Notice of Arbitration

In the event of any dispute, claim, question, or disagreement arising out of or relating to any school matter, the parties shall use their best efforts to settle such disputes, claims, questions, or disagreements as befits Christians. To this effect, they shall consult and negotiate with each other in good faith and, recognizing their mutual interests not to disgrace the name of Christ, seek to reach a just and equitable solution. If they do not reach such solution within a period of sixty (60) days, then upon notice by either party to the other, disputes, claims, questions, or differences shall be finally settled by arbitration as described in Section 1, above, and such Procedures for Arbitration as are adopted pursuant to Section 3 below.

Section 3 – Arbitration Procedures

The Procedures for Arbitration shall be adopted by the principal and the School Board. These procedures will be available for review.

I have read the Binding Arbitration and agree to the terms stated therein.

I am a Christian and as Grace Christian School is a Christian ministry organization, both parties agree that they would never make demands, threaten to sue, or actually litigate any matter whatsoever relating to or resulting from this agreement. To do otherwise would be in clear violation of Biblical teaching and practice.

Accordingly, I agree to resolve all potential claims, disputes or causes of action through binding arbitration using the procedures outlined in the Binding Arbitration information above.

This Binding Arbitration will be in effect for as long as my children listed below or others to be enrolled, attend Grace Christian School, whether in elementary, middle, or high school.

Printed Name of Child(ren) (Oldest to Youngest)	Grade

Father's (Guardian's) Signature

Date

Mother's (Guardian's) Signature

Date