



**TEACHER APPLICATION**  
**Cornerstone Christian Academy**  
**355 North Cross Street**  
**Sycamore, IL 60178**

**Your interest in Cornerstone Christian Academy is appreciated. We invite you to fill out the following application and return it to our school office as soon as possible. If an opening occurs for which it appears you are qualified, a personal interview will be arranged.**

**Leadership is essential for the Cornerstone Christian Academy students. We are grateful for teachers who are professionally qualified, who love and know children, and who by the pattern of their lives in the classroom exemplify Christ.**

**We look forward to receiving your application.**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name in full: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: (please check)

Married \_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_\_\_ Widow(er) \_\_\_\_\_

If married, spouse's full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children: \_\_\_\_\_ Names of children: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in enrolling your children in CCA? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested or convicted for any criminal act? If so, explain:

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**EDUCATION**

**List degree(s) held:**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Institution:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Degree:** \_\_\_\_\_

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What was your major field of study? \_\_\_\_\_

What were your minors? \_\_\_\_\_

**Experience: (List all teaching experience.)**

Place	Grade	Months of teaching
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List any other experiences you have had which contribute to making you a better teacher:

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What grade levels do you prefer to teach (in order of preference)?

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What Christian education courses have you had?

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List any undergraduate or graduate level courses in biblical studies that you have taken.

Institution:	Course Title/Description	Final Grade
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Briefly describe your position in the area of Creation vs. Evolution:

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**CHRISTIAN BACKGROUND**

How long have you known Christ as your Lord and Savior?

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What is your denominational preference?

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What is your local church affiliation?

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Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you active in your church, and if so, in what capacity?

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Do you believe the Bible to be the inspired and infallible Word of God, the final authority in all matters of faith, conduct, and truth?

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Give your own definition of a Christian:

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Give a brief account of your Christian experience:

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## **TEACHING CREDENTIALS OR CERTIFICATES**

Do you have a valid teaching credential? If so, what type and from what state was it given?

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If you do not have an Illinois teaching credential, would you be interested in securing one?

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What was your last position?

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Name, address and phone number of the person under whom you served:

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List any other educational advantage you have had including opportunities for travel:

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Are you certified by the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, would you be willing to pursue certification standards? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any academic or athletic honors:

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**REFERENCES**

List three references who can testify as to your character and teaching ability. Include a pastor, principal, or superintendent, if possible.

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**SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS/INTERESTS**

Do you play the piano or an instrument?

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Circle any of the following for which you have special training, experience or interest:

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| Art      | Nature Study      | Science         | Chalk Talk       |
| P.E.     | Story Telling     | School Programs | School Newspaper |
| Coaching | Foreign Languages | Drama           |                  |

Briefly describe your involvement in any of the above circled items.

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List interests or hobbies other than those listed above.

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**STATEMENT OF FAITH**

You have read the statement of faith of our school. If it is the statement of your basic Christian convictions also, please indicate this by your signature. If at any point you disagree, please state your viewpoint.

Signature

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|------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Resume     | Teaching Certificate           | Board Approval | Credentials        | Physical        |
| Transcript | Statement of Faith from Church | Fingerprinting | Personal Interview | Drivers License |



## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

### **Welcome to Cornerstone Christian Academy**

Cornerstone Christian Academy was founded with the goal of providing a Bible-centered, academically sound education. Cornerstone Christian Academy (grades K-12) is governed by an independent board and is affiliated and accredited with the Association of Christian Schools, International. C.C.A. is registered with the State of Illinois and complies with equal to or more than adequate days and/or hours of instruction per year.

C.C.A. has no official denominational affiliation. The school believes in the literal interpretation of the Bible and is conservative and biblical in its outlook and standards. C.C.A. is built upon a solid Christian foundation, with faith in Jesus Christ as the chief cornerstone, the Bible as the only authority, and dedicated Christian teachers as “living curriculum”. C.C.A. offers an atmosphere of loving concern, structure, and discipline, small classes and individual attention, and an excellent curriculum. Our goal is to help each child in leading a joyful Christian life developing his character and acquiring the academic skills fundamental to future success.

## **STATEMENT OF FAITH**

There is only one God eternally existing in three persons - the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The Holy Scriptures are inspired by God and are our only infallible rule of faith and practice. Jesus Christ died, shedding his blood for our sins, and was bodily raised from the dead for our justification. He will return visibly and bodily with power in accordance with prophetic Scripture. Man is by nature and practice a sinner separated from God and can become God's child only by faith in Jesus Christ as personal Lord and Savior. Those who are thus born into God's family have eternal life in the presence of God, and those who are not remain eternally separated from God in spiritual death. The Holy Spirit lives in the believer and enables him to walk in purity of life and submission to the will of God. All believers are united in the body of Christ.