



Chapelgate Christian Academy

Assisting parents in the education of their children
about life in the Light of God's Word

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

Sometimes families ask:

- **Is financial aid available for students applying to Chapelgate Christian Academy?**

Answer: Some need-based financial aid is available.

- **How do we apply for financial aid?**

Answer: Families wishing to be considered for financial aid awards for the upcoming school year must complete an application, which is available on-line at www.factstuitionaid.com. After submitting the on-line application families need to complete their applications by mailing required documents to:

FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment
P.O. Box 82524
Lincoln, Nebraska 68501-2524

- **What information will we need to complete our financial aid application?**

Answer: Generally speaking, families will need copies of their 2008 or 2009 IRS Federal Forms, W-2 Wage and Tax Statements, and supporting documentation for other types of income. The FACTS website and application packets provide more information about required documentation.

- **Do we have to apply on-line?**

Answer: No. Although on-line applications are strongly recommended, families can request a Facts Grant & Aid Assessment packet from Mrs. Cassell in our Admissions Office. She can be reached by telephone at 410-442-5888 or by sending an email message to lcassell@chapelgateacademy.org.

- **Is there a deadline for submitting an application for financial aid?**

Answer: **Yes!** Families wishing to be considered for financial aid awards for the following school year must complete and submit their application and all required documentation by **no later than May 1st of each year.**

- **It was after May 1st when we applied for admission to CCA. Is there any way we could still be considered for financial aid for the upcoming school year?**

Answer: Families who have applied for admission to CCA after the May 1st financial aid application deadline, but hope to be considered for aid if possible, should submit applications on-line at www.factstuitionaid.com and follow up by sending required documentation as quickly as possible. Having a completed application on file makes it possible for the Financial Aid Committee to consider your family for aid if funds become available for re-allocation.

- **How does the Academy decide who will receive financial aid?**

Answer: FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment sends the CCA Financial Aid Committee a summary of the data submitted by all the applicants. After using this data to understand the relative levels of need among all applicants, the committee determines how the available funds will be allocated.

- **When will we know if we are going to receive any financial aid?**

Answer: CCA tries to notify families in June about aid allocations for the upcoming school year.

- **Once we qualify will we continue to receive financial aid in future years?**

Answer: Once awarded, financial aid is not guaranteed to continue. Families receiving aid in any given school year must re-apply by May 1st to be considered for aid during the following year.

Additional questions can be directed to Mrs. Cassell by email at lcassell@chapelgateacademy.org or phone at 410-442-5888, ext. 122. She will be happy to help you.