



Southside Christian School

*“Excellence through Absolute Truth in Christian Education”*

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**Dear Kindergarten Parent or Guardian:**

Thank you for your interest in Southside Christian School's kindergarten program. We understand that choosing a school is a big decision for your family, and we are eager to help by answering any questions you have. SCS exists to support Christian families by providing a Christ-centered learning environment which challenges students to pursue spiritual and academic excellence.

The first step in the enrollment process is to schedule an interview with you and your family. You may call our school to schedule this interview. The following requirements must be met and completed before your child's file is reviewed for acceptance.

1. Your child must turn 5 years old on or before **August 31<sup>st</sup>** of the kindergarten enrollment year.
2. **Schedule an Interview/Tour and Readiness Assessment** – Call the school to schedule these. This will help to determine if SCS is a good fit for your family. The readiness assessment gives us a look at your child's acquisition of language, social, emotional, and physical skills. Don't stress. We know child development is fluid and variable which is a natural part of the development process.
3. **Application for Admission** – Complete the application on the SCS website under the Admissions tab and submit payment for \$225. You will be asked to upload a copy of your child's birth certificate, immunization records, and Kindergarten Health Assessment form. If you have a medical or religious exemption, please submit that as well.
4. **Pastor Reference** – As a discipleship school, SCS seeks to partner with families of like faith. This form is sent to your pastor during the online application process.
5. **Parent Questionnaire** – This form is for you! It is completed online during the application process.
6. **Teacher Questionnaire** – This form is to be completed by the preschool or current teacher. A digital copy is sent to the teacher during the application process.

Once all of the items are completed, the application and assessment will be reviewed and a decision letter will be emailed to your family. Upon receiving the decision letter, the registration fee of \$425/family will be required to secure your child's enrollment.

Thank you for your interest in Southside Christian School. We seek to prepare students to make a positive impact for Christ on the next generation. If you have any questions, please give us a call at 919-553-7652.

Fulfill the Vision,

Mrs. Davis

*Do justly. Love mercy. Walk humbly. Micah 6:8*