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Mission Statement

Desiring to honor God and partner with Christian families, East Richland Christian Schools exist to educate and disciple students in a strong academic environment, equipping them to function as committed followers of Christ in the world.

East Richland Christian Schools is a ministry of East Richland Evangelical Friends Church and is the result of the merger of the former New Covenant Academy and Faith Community Christian High School. These two schools have provided an excellent source of Christian education for students in the Ohio Valley for a combined total of 35+ years. In the fall of 2009, we opened our doors as a merged pre-k through 12th grade program that provides a strong continuous educational opportunity for our students.

Beginning March 1, 2026, we will be accepting applications, grades pre-k through 12th for the 2026-2027 school year. To request an application packet or more information, contact the school at the address and phone number listed above.

Faith Walk Entertainment Schedule 2026

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|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| 10:15 AM | East Richland Christian Schools Preschool |
| 10:30 AM | East Richland Christian Schools Kindergarten |
| 11:00 AM | East Richland Christian Schools 1st & 2nd Grade |
| 11:15 AM | East Richland Christian Schools 3rd & 4th Grades |

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Both 3-year old and 4-year old preschool programs are available. Students learn pre-kindergarten skills through instruction, creative play, discovery centers, field trips, and social interaction with peers. Students share in Bible stories and prayer and learn scripture through music, which helps their memorization skills and aids in future spiritual growth. They also learn to have compassion for others through a variety of mission projects.

To learn more about our preschool program, contact the school at the address and phone number listed below:

**67888 Friends Church Road
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Non-discrimination Policy - East Richland Christian Schools recruits and admits students of any race, color, gender, or ethnic origin to all its rights, privileges, programs, and activities. In addition, the school will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, or ethnic origin in the administration of its educational programs and athletics/extracurricular activities. Furthermore, the school is not intended to be an alternative to court or administrative agency ordered, or public school district initiated desegregation. East Richland Christian School will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, or ethnic origin in the hiring of its certified or non-certified personnel.

East Richland Christian Schools Open Enrollment Now in Progress

Beginning March 1, we will be accepting applications for grades pre-k through 12 for the 2026-2027 school year.
Call: 740.695.2005(Main Office) or 740.695.2279 (H.S. Office)
to request a packet.

Online Enrollment

Go to our website www.eastrichland.org
Choose Admissions and Prospective Students

EdChoice Scholarships

The Ohio Educational Choice Scholarship (EdChoice) Program provides students the opportunity to attend participating private schools. The EdChoice Expansion Program is an income-based program. It provides scholarships to students in grades K-12 based on household income level. The amount awarded depends on family income, but all Ohio students can get some scholarship amount towards tuition.

If you live in Ohio, desire a Christian Education for your family, and meet enrollment requirements, you can receive a scholarship to cover your tuition. Ohio has expanded the EdChoice Scholarship Program to now include every K-12 student in the state.



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COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS CONTINUED

Q. What is the length of a Kindergarten day?

A. Our Kindergarten class attends school for a full day.

Q. Do you offer a variety of high school course tracts?

A. Yes. The High School offers college and general tract courses, online courses and College Credit Plus classes for college credit. In addition, Advanced Placement classes (AP) are offered online, as needed, to meet the needs of our students. Every student is required to achieve his or her own "individual best" in every subject area. Individual levels of accomplishment are measured and students are challenged to work at their potential every day!

Q. Do your high school students have the opportunity to receive scholarships for their college education?

A. Yes. Our graduating classes are typically awarded scholarships that average \$150,000 over a four-year period. The average senior class size is six. A local business sponsors a college scholarship exclusively for East Richland Christian Schools graduates.

Q. What type of Achievement Tests do students take?

A. The Iowa Assessment Test is administered to students in grades K-12. Students in grades 10-12 are highly encouraged to take the PSAT, ACT, and SAT college placement tests.

Q. What are some of the colleges and universities that your graduates attend/attended?

A. Malone College, Taylor University, Cedarville University, Ohio University Eastern, Ohio Northern University, Waynesburg University, Wheaton College, West Liberty University, Geneva College, University of Cincinnati, Belmont College, Wyotech, Wheeling Jesuit University, Muskingum College, Mt. Vernon Nazarene University, Illinois Institute of Technology, Columbus College of Art & Design, Scott School of Cosmetology, Grove City, University of Akron, Liberty University.

COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q. Where is East Richland Christian Schools located?

A. East Richland Christian Schools (67888 Friends Church Rd.) is on State Route 40, just minutes west of St. Clairsville, Ohio and is located on the campus of East Richland Evangelical Friends Church.

Q. Is your school chartered?

A. Yes. East Richland Christian Schools is chartered through the Ohio Department of Education and meets all of Ohio's requirements. In addition, East Richland Christian Schools is a member of the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI).

Q. Is there bus transportation available to East Richland Christian Schools?

A. Yes. Because we are state chartered, our students may participate in public school busing.

Q. Do your seniors receive a diploma when they graduate?

A. Yes. Because we are state chartered, our seniors receive a diploma recognized by the Ohio Department of Education. Our diplomas are the same as any public school students' diploma.

Q. Are your teachers certified?

A. Yes. Our teachers and staff are dedicated professionals who seek to help young people see all of life through God's eyes. In maintaining an excellent standard of education, all teachers are certified through the Ohio Department of Education. Many of our teachers have certificates issued by the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) and several have or are working towards their master's degree.

Q. What curriculum do you use?

A. We use a combination of Christian curriculum plus some carefully screened secular material including Abeka, Bob Jones, Skitt Kits, Christian Schools International Science textbooks, Saxon Math, and various Ohio History textbooks.

Q. Do students participate in a graduation ceremony?

A. Yes. There is a graduation ceremony for Kindergarten, 8th grade and High School Seniors.



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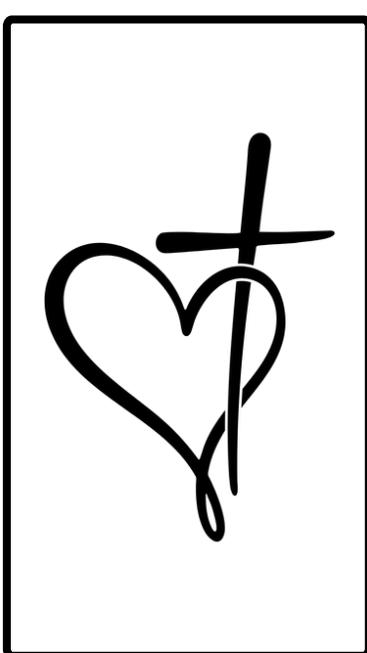
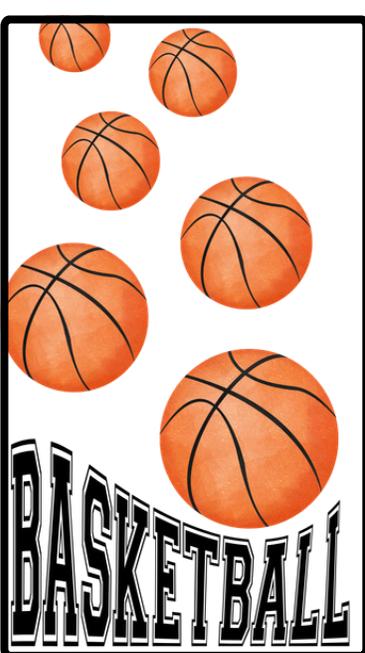
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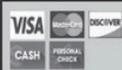
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