

BIBLE

Vision Statement

It is the vision of the Bible Department that every student who attends MCS will be reconciled to God and spends eternity in heaven. It is also the vision that each student's life on earth will be abundant and lived in service to God and to his fellow man.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Bible Department is to teach the truth concerning God's love, man's sinful state and God's plan to redeem man through the life, death and resurrection of His Son, Jesus Christ. The mission of the Bible Department coincides with the mission of Mobile Christian School to help students grow in the ways in which Jesus grew (Luke 2:52):

- Mentally - By stimulating their minds with challenging Bible instruction (II Timothy 2:15)
- Morally - By affirming to them that there is an infallible guide, the Bible (II Timothy 3:16-17)
- Physically - By instilling biblical principles in their minds concerning the care of their bodies (I Corinthians 6:19-20)
- Spiritually - By teaching God's word, for "faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God" (Romans 10:17)

Curriculum

- **PK3- PK4** – Bible Characters of the Old and New Testament
- **Kindergarten**- God Created the Perfect World
- **Grade 1**- God's Covenant with Abraham's Family
- **Grade 2**- God Frees His People
- **Grade 3**- Kingly Choices in the New Land
- **Grade 4**- God's Leaders Act in History
- **Grade 5**- Instructions for God's Faithful People
- **Grade 6**- A journey through the Bible seeking to answer two major questions: "How do I get along?" and "Who am I?"
- **Grade 7**- A journey through the Bible seeking to answer two major questions: "What do I believe?" and "Who am I?"
- **Grade 8**- A journey through the Bible seeking to answer two major questions: "What do I believe?" and "Where do I fit in?"

Second Semester

- Jesus Is Our Example
- Jesus Does the Impossible
- Jesus Sets Us Free to Serve
- The Young Church Tells the Good News
- Paul's Mission to Spread Good News
- Knowing the Basis of Your Faith

High School:

- Year 1- Practical lessons related to "Who am I?" First semester- New life at the creation of our universe found in the book of Genesis. Second semester – New life available as a disciple of Jesus (Matthew-John)
- Year 2- "What do I believe?" First semester deals with Israel as they developed their beliefs in God's Law (Ezekiel through Judges) - Second semester is concerned with how the young church clarified its beliefs. (Acts, Romans, and Galatians)
- Year 3- A study of Israel and the growing new church reveals God's word regarding the question – "How do I get along?" First semester- (I Samuel through I Kings) - Second semester- I&II Corinthians, Ephesians, II Thessalonians
- Year 4- We answer "Where do I fit in?" as we study Israel and the maturing church First semester- (II Kings through Nehemiah) - Second semester - I Timothy through Revelation

HIGH SCHOOL

MCS Honors Track

8th Grade

Career Preparedness A
Honors Algebra I

9th Grade

Honors English
Honors World History
Honors Biology
Honors Geometry
Bible
Health/Career Preparedness B
Elective

10th Grade

Honors English
Dual Enrollment American History 1301/1302
Honors Physics
Honors Algebra II
Spanish I
Bible
Elective-2

11th Grade

Honors English
Dual Enrollment Western Civilization 2301/ 2302
Honors Chemistry
Honors Pre-Calculus or Algebra III Stats
Spanish II
Bible
Elective-2

12th Grade

Dual Enrollment English Composition 101&102
Honors Government & Economics
Anatomy & Physiology or ADV Physics
Dual Enrollment Pre-Cal/Cal or Pre-Calculus
Bible
Life Skills/Personal Finance
Elective

ELECTIVES GRADES 9-12

Music Theory
Physical Education
Concert & Marching Band
Art Media
Strength and Conditioning
Library Science
Broadcast Journalism

Independent Study Course – college courses available through select universities

College Prep Track

8th Grade

Career Preparedness A

9th Grade

English
World History
Biology
Algebra I
Bible
Health/Career Preparedness B
Elective

10th Grade

English
US History I
Physics
Geometry
Spanish I
Bible
Elective- 2

11th Grade

English
US History II
Chemistry
Algebra II
Spanish II
Bible
Elective-2

12th Grade

English
Government & Economics
Anatomy & Physiology
Algebra III/Stats or Pre-Calculus
Bible
Life Skills/Personal Finance
Elective

Chorus
Fitness
Yearbook Journalism I/II
Office Practice
Drama
Athletic Training
Psychology

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

GRADES 9-12

| <u>SUBJECT</u> | <u>REQUIRED UNITS</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| ENGLISH | 4 |
| HISTORY | 4 |
| SCIENCE* | 4 |
| MATH** | 4 |
| BIBLE | 4 |
| FOREIGN LANGUAGE | 2 |
| PHYSICAL EDUCATION | 1 |
| CAREER PREPAREDNESS A & B | 1 |
| ARTS EDUCATION /CTE | 1 |
| HEALTH | 1/2 |
| ELECTIVES | 2 1/2 |
| ----- | ----- |
| TOTAL: | 28 |

One-half credit is earned for each semester's work in grades 9 through 12. Required courses and electives are listed above.

*The four years of science must include Biology I and Chemistry.

** The four years of Math (taken in 9-12) must include Geometry and Algebra II.

10 community service hours per year in grades 9-12.

Twenty-eight credits are required for graduation unless a student has transferred from another high school where they could not take at least 7 credits per year. In these cases, the administration may make exceptions. All students must enroll in 7 classes every semester.

♦ CURRICULUM FOR HONORS DIPLOMA:

An **HONORS DIPLOMA** will be awarded to students who:

(1) Have a cumulative grade point average of at least **B+**.

(2) Math: **Must** include Pre-Calculus

(3) **ONE** of the following courses: Calculus, ADV Physics, one AP class or one year of college dual enrollment

(4) **20 community service hours per year in grades 9-12.**

Students must achieve a final average of 87.5 or greater in the subject the prior year to be considered for honors placement or a weighted course. Students already in a weighted course must receive a passing grade to continue taking weighted courses in that subject area.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

6th Grade

Bible 6
English 6
Modern U. S. History
Math 6
Earth/Space Science
Physical Education
Elective

7th Grade

Bible 7
English 7
Civics/World Geography
Math 7 or Pre-Algebra
Life Science
Physical Education
Elective

8th Grade

Bible 8
English 8
Ancient World History
Pre-Algebra or Hon. Algebra I
Physical Science
Physical Education
Elective

Electives: Yearbook, Chorus, Band, Art Media, Creative Communications, Drama, Leopard Live (Broadcast Journalism)

Middle School Extra Curricular Opportunities: Band, Junior SGA, Junior National Honor Society (7-9), Key/Service Club, Fellowship of Christian Standards, Art Club, Outdoor Adventure Club, Bass Fishing, Spelling Bee, BEST (Robotics Program)

Athletics: Middle school students at MCS have the opportunity to participate in interscholastic sports beginning in the 7th grade. Sports offered to boys include Football, Cross Country, Basketball, Baseball, Track, Golf and Soccer. Sports offered to the girls include Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Softball, Track, Golf, Cheerleading, and Soccer.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PRESCHOOL (PreK3)

DAILY BIBLE STORIES and CHAPEL
SCHOOL READINESS

- Listening Skills
- Visual and Auditory Perception
- Social Skills – Communication & Sharing

LANGUAGE ARTS

- *Handwriting Without Tears*
- Letters and Sounds
- Story Time

MATH and SCIENCE (High Reach Learning)

MUSIC

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

SPANISH

COMPUTER

LIBRARY

FIELD TRIPS

KINDERGARTEN (K5)

DAILY BIBLE CLASSES and CHAPEL

- *Biblical Choices*
Fall Semester: Genesis 1-10
Spring Semester: Jesus is our Example (Matthew-John)

LANGUAGE ARTS

- Saxon Phonics
- Reading
- *Handwriting Without Tears*

MATHEMATICS

- Go Math

ENVIRONMENT

- Social Studies
- Science
- Spanish
- Music
- Computer
- Physical Education
- Art
- Library
- Field Trips

PRESCHOOL (PreK4)

DAILY BIBLE STORIES and CHAPEL
LANGUAGE ARTS

- Saxon Phonics
- Letters and Sounds
- Reading Readiness
- *Handwriting Without Tears*

VISUAL PERCEPTION

MATH READINESS

- Numbers, Counting, Calendar

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

SPANISH

MUSIC

COMPUTER

LIBRARY

FIELD TRIPS

ELEMENTARY (GRADES 1-5)

DAILY BIBLE and CHAPEL

- *Biblical Choices* – a sequential study of the Bible in each grade -Old Testament in Fall, New Testament in Spring.

LANGUAGE ARTS

- Saxon Phonics (Grades 1-2)
- Reading Wonders (1-5)
- Spelling and Vocabulary
- *Handwriting Without Tears*

MATHEMATICS

- Saxon Math (Grades 1-5)

CONTENT AREAS

- Spanish
- Science
- Social Studies
- Music
- Computer (*Keyboarding Without Tears*)
- Physical Education
- Recorders (4th Grade) & Beginner Band (5th Grade)
- Art
- Library
- Field Trips

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

TUITION 2019-20-IF PAID BY JULY 1, 2019

| | First Oldest | *12 month | Second Oldest | Third+ Oldest |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| Grades PreK3-K4 | \$5,843 | \$505.52 | \$5,114 | \$3,644 |
| Grades K5-5 | \$5,948 | \$514.53 | \$5,954 | \$3,749 |
| Grades 6-8 | \$6,794 | \$587.15 | \$5,954 | \$4,326 |
| Grades 9-12 | \$6,972 | \$602.43 | \$5,975 | \$4,347 |

Payment

*Families who pay on a monthly bank draft plan are assessed a 3% installment fee plus \$4.00 per month service fee.

**This fee does not include devices. All 4-12th grade students are required to have an iPad that runs the latest Apple operating system, wi-fi only, with a protective case

FEES 2019-2020

| Registration Fee (one student) | Family Maximum |
|--|----------------|
| Paid January – Feb \$200 | \$350 |
| Paid March-April 30 \$250 | \$450 |
| Paid after April 30 \$300 | \$550 |
| New Family Processing Fee | \$50 |
| International Student Fee | \$1,000 |
| Class Supply Fees (Due April 1st, 2019) (Includes but not limited to art, paper, supplies, etc.) | |
| K-3 to K-5 | \$250 |
| Class Material Fees (Due April 1st, 2019) (Includes but not limited to text book/E-Book rental, testing fees, etc.) | |
| Grades (1-12) | \$250 |
| Technology Fee (Due April 1st, 2019)** | |
| Grades (1-12) | \$150 |
| Before School Care (6:30-7:30 a.m.) Per Child | Hourly \$5 |
| After School Care (3:00-6:00) | Weekly \$60 |

NOTICE: Upon acceptance of registration and payment of fees your child will be pre-registered for 2019-2020 school year. You are then responsible for paying the tuition fees and related expenses for the entire academic year. Even so, withdrawal prior to May 15 may be approved without penalty, upon the mutual consent of both parties. However, applicable fees are non-refundable. Withdrawal from May 16-July 1 may be approved with an early withdrawal assessment of \$300 and upon consent of the Board of Trustees. After July 1, 2019, no portion of fees paid will be refunded nor outstanding accounts will be canceled in the event of absence, withdrawal, or dismissal of your child, except in the event of extenuating circumstances as approved by the Board of Trustees (in such event an early withdrawal fee equal to at least one month's tuition will apply).

ATHLETICS

Students at Mobile Christian School have extensive opportunities to compete in interscholastic athletics. MCS fields teams for boys in Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track, Cross-Country, Soccer, Swim and Golf. Sports offered to girls include Volleyball, Basketball, Softball, Track, Cross-Country, Golf, Soccer, Swim, and Cheerleading. MCS athletic and physical education facilities include a gymnasium, a fully equipped weight room, and recently renovated football, baseball and softball complexes.

Mobile Christian School has been a member of the Alabama High School Athletic Association (AHSAA) since the Fall of 2006.

Awarded the Star Sportsmanship Award in 2008, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2018

Football team advanced to the playoffs seven out of eight years

Advanced to quarter finals 2012, 2013, 2015, 2017 Region 1 Champion 2016, 2018

State Runner-Up 2016

Volleyball advanced to the Elite 8 seven out of last twelve years

Area Champs 2009, 2012, 2013

Cross-Country team has had runners in the state meet every year

Boys Basketball were regular season Area Champs 2007, 2017, 2018

Advanced to sub-state in 2008, 2009, 2010, 2016, 2017, 2018 Advanced to regionals 2017, 2018

Girls Basketball won the Area, sub-state and advanced to Regional Tournament in 2009

Area Runner-Up 2010, 2011

Softball State Runner Up 2007, 2013 State Elite 8 seventeen years in a row

Boys Track team has been State Champs 5 of the last 11 years

State Runners-Up 2008, 2013 Regional Champs 2011, 2013-2016

and Regional Runners Up 2012

Girls Track team 3rd in state in 2007, 2009, 2010, 4th in 2008, 2014, 2015

Baseball team State Champs 2015 and 2016, 2018

ACCREDITATION / TECHNOLOGY/ CLUBS

Accreditation

- AdvancED / Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
- National Christian School Association (NCSA)

Extra-Curricular

Band
Spelling Bee
Robotics Team
Speech, Math, Writing Contests
Athletics

Organizations and Clubs

Student Government (Jr. / Sr.)
Key/Service Club
Mu Alpha Theta (Math Club)
Yearbook
National Honor Society – High School, Middle School & Elementary
Girls for Christ/Young Men's Leadership (Girls & Boys Devotional Groups)
Fellowship for Christian Standards
SALT (Student Action Leadership Team)
Bass Fishing
Leopard Live (Broadcast Journalism)
Outdoor and Adventure Club

Parent Support Organization

Booster Club (Athletics/Band)
PTFA (Parents, Teachers, Friends Association)
Capital Funds Committee

Technology

- Smart (Interactive) Boards in all classrooms
- 2 new computer labs / Filtered campus-wide wireless and wired network
- BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) Grades 4-12 with digital textbooks. All 4-12th grade students are required to have an iPad that runs the latest Apple operating system, wi-fi only, with a protective case that has the student's name.
- University of South Alabama School of Computing CFITS Partner School
- Chromebook Labs