

# SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF BELIEFS



## 1. The Being Of God

There is one Holy God, infinite, eternal and unchangeable in whom are three inseparable Persons, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. This One God is revealed in the Scriptures as Sovereign Creator and Redeemer.

## 2. The Holy Bible

The Bible, also known as the Scriptures and made up of the Old and New Testaments, is the divinely inspired written word of God and is without error. God, through His Spirit, uses the Bible to draw us to the Truth, the Lord Jesus Christ, who is the eternal and living Word of God. The Bible is essential and complete for our knowledge of God, of ourselves and the rest of creation and for our complete education.

## 3. Creation

God created all things in six days and all of it was good. Man was created in God's image. It is by God's action, power and care, that all created things are preserved and controlled.

## 4. Man

Man was made in the image of God to glorify God and have fellowship with Him. By breaking God's command, man fell out of fellowship with Him and his nature became corrupt. As a consequence, all men are spiritually dead, ie naturally out of fellowship with God.

## 5. Redemption Through Jesus Christ

God so loved the World that He sent His only Son, Jesus Christ, conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary, to live, suffer and die on this Earth. Jesus, Himself, was without sin but, by His death on the Cross He gave up His life as a sin sacrifice for God's people. He made a full and sufficient atonement for the sins of all who believe in Him, pardoning them without regard to their works or merit. Through this action, Jesus became the only mediator between God and man.

## 6. The Work Of The Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit, the third person of the Trinity, is the source of faith in Jesus Christ, of true spiritual knowledge and of a new sanctified life in obedience to God's will. God's Spirit in our hearts daily convicts us of sin, empowers us to live in obedience to Him and reveals more of God's grace to us.

**7. God’s Covenant Relationship With Man**

God has covenanted to be a Father to all those who truly repent of their sins and receive Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour. We thus become His children. Being in close fellowship with God, the Christian is required to be obedient to Him in a bond of loving care for, and service to, other Christians. This leads them to teach, encourage and correct one another in all wisdom. We have Christ’s comforting assurance that He will bless our children when we bring them to Him and obey His commandment to bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. Hence we have the responsibility for their education, both inside and outside our homes.

**8. Christian Education**

God’s grace in the heart of man is the indispensable foundation of all knowledge and wisdom. Christian education is therefore only really possible where there is proper recognition of, and respect for, God.

Heritage Christian School has been established to assist in the work of Christian nurture and education, this being our duty and privilege. HCS is a place where children are educated from God-honouring, God-centred curricula so we might cater for the spiritual, ethical and practical needs of our children. The School is an extension of the Christian home and the teachers at the School stand in the parents’ place (in locum parentis). The School both supports and reinforces the Christian upbringing in the home - it is not intended to be a substitute for it.

We declare that we support the Statement of Beliefs of Heritage Christian School as outlined above and understand that our child/ren’s education will be within these biblical principles.

Fathers Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>
Mothers Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>



**A. FAMILY DETAILS**

**1. Parents**

	Mother	Father
First name	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Second name	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Surname	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Title (Mr, Mrs, etc)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Mobile phone	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Home address**

A post office box is not acceptable as a home address.

Provide one address only if Mother's and Father's addresses are the same.

	Mother	Father
Street address	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Suburb	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Postcode	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Phone	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Fax	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

The student lives at this address:

- All the time   
  Part of the time   
  All the time   
  Part of the time

**Medicare Number**  **(In case of emergency)**

**Mailing address**

Provide a mailing address if it is different from the home address; otherwise, write "As above" in the first line below.

Provide one address only if Mother's and Father's addresses are the same, or if you only require correspondence mailed to one address.

	Mother	Father
Street address	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Suburb	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
State	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Postcode	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**Emergency Contacts (if we cannot contact parents)**

	1 <sup>st</sup> Contact	2 <sup>nd</sup> Contact
Name	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Relationship	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
H/Phone & Mobile	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>



**2. Siblings**

Name	Age	Current school (if applicable)	Year or Grade	House (if at this School)

**3. Family members educated at this School (other than siblings)**

Name	Relationship to the applying student	Year of leaving	House

**4. Special family circumstances**

Please advise us of any special circumstances such as illnesses or family separation (include copies of any Court Orders)

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**5 Church**

Are you involved in church activities?       No       Yes      Church Attended \_\_\_\_\_  
 Years Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please give details:

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## GENERAL CONSENT

This is a declaration by parents or a guardian responsible for fees.

We:

1. Apply to have the above-named student considered for admission to Heritage Christian School
2. Declare that the enrolment information provided to Heritage Christian School is full and correct to the best of our/my knowledge.
3. Agree to provide, when requested, any information concerning the student's education or medical history.
4. Enclose with this Application a Registration Fee of \$50.00 (which includes 10% GST), which we understand is non-refundable and does not guarantee the offer of a place.
5. Enclose:
  - evidence of date of birth (such as a copy of a birth certificate or passport)
  - Latest school report;
  - Year 3, 5, 7 or 9 benchmark test results (where applicable);
  - Signed Statement of Beliefs;
  - Other necessary documents or reports; (**includes any Court Orders, Psychologist or Doctors Reports**)
  - Non-refundable registration fee of \$50 per family.
6. Undertake to conform to the rules, procedures and regulations made from time to time by the School.
7. Have read and will support Heritage Christian School's Statement of Belief and acknowledge that the education of our child will be within these biblical principles.

Father's signature

Date

Mother's signature

Date



## B. STUDENT'S DETAILS

To be completed by parents.

Please complete all information.

Surname	<input type="text"/>	Gender	<input type="text"/>
First name	<input type="text"/>	Date of birth	<input type="text"/>
Second name	<input type="text"/>		
Preferred name	<input type="text"/>		
Present school	<input type="text"/>	Class	<input type="text"/>
Years of attendance	<input type="text"/>		
Previous school	<input type="text"/>	Years attended	<input type="text"/>
Previous school	<input type="text"/>	Years attended	<input type="text"/>

(Attach more information if necessary.)

Country of Birth - Australia  Other – please specify

Does the student speak a language other than English *at home*?

No English Only  Yes, Other – please specify

Is the student of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?

(For persons of both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin, mark both 'Yes' boxes)

No  Yes, Aboriginal  Yes, Torres Strait Islander

I give permission for my child's photograph to be used for promotional purposes e.g. website, newspaper, Heritage Herald.

Yes  No





6. What music have you been involved in over the last two years?

Instrument (including voice)	Group	Band or Orchestra	How many years played?

7. List any prizes or special awards you have received, either at school or elsewhere

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8. Do you do any extra activities at school?

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9. Do you do any extra activities outside of school?

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**D. EDUCATIONAL AND MEDICAL INFORMATION**

Student Medicare Number :

(required in case of emergency)

1. Does your child suffer from any of the following?

- Asthma       Hearing disorder       Diabetes       Epilepsy

- Allergy       Eye defects       Other:

2. Does your child take medication for any of the above?

- Yes       No

If yes, please list the medication.

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3. Does this condition prevent or restrict your child from participating in any activity?

- Yes       No

If yes, please describe the circumstances.

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4. Has your child ever encountered learning difficulties?

- Yes       No

If yes, please describe the circumstances.

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5. Is there any further information about the child's needs or aptitudes which we should know?"

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Please provide any other details that may be helpful. You may wish to emphasise particular interests, character traits, achievements or other issues you believe are relevant to the application. Please attach extra information if necessary.