



OUR MISSION

Vacaville Christian Schools exists to provide, in partnership with home and church, a distinctive, Christ-centered education in a nurturing environment that equips young people to excel in life and in service to Jesus Christ.

ACCREDITATION

Dual Accreditation through Association of Christian Schools International & Western Association of Schools and Colleges. VCMS also holds an active charter in the National Junior Honor Society.

OUR CAMPUS

We enjoy a lovely, 26-acre campus in Vacaville, CA. Our middle school facilities include 16 beautiful classrooms equipped with SMART Boards, two well-equipped science labs, a 28-unit computer lab, media technology center, radio/TV station, multi-purpose facility, a band rehearsal room with 3 practice studios, Mission's garden, and a fully staffed kitchen with a hot lunch program. Our athletic facilities include football and soccer fields, baseball and softball fields, a full-court basketball gymnasium, a second full-size basketball court, a weight room, and spacious locker rooms.

OUR FACULTY

Our faculty is comprised of highly qualified and dedicated Christian educators, 50% having advanced degrees, who are committed to VCS's written philosophy, mission, vision, and core values. They engage in ongoing professional development that promotes sustained growth for themselves, their students, and for VCS's academic programs as a whole.

SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS

We integrate biblical truths into every subject area. Daily, our students are taught a Biblical world-view with the Bible being the authority on morality. All students have daily Bible classes, weekly chapels, and weekly small-group Bible studies led by teachers supplement the Christian growth experience. Our Chapel Leadership band leads worship during chapels, and local pastors share the speaking schedule. Annually, we have a fun-filled, themed, Spiritual Retreat held at Koinonia Conference Grounds. This event provides a strong spiritual and relational impact and is the highlight of the year for many students.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

VCMS offers an extremely well-rounded academic program designed to prepare students to excel in high school and beyond. Advanced courses are offered in math and English, and an after-school tutoring program is available, at no charge, to all middle school students. We offer 12 different electives, and all of our middle school students use iPads daily. Students use Moodle, a learning-management system, to access uploaded coursework, PowerPoint presentations, and videos. We use PowerSchool, a web-based program that enables parents and students to check assignments, grades, and attendance online. Students are evaluated annually with national standardized tests and regularly perform three to four years above national norms.

STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES

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| 6th 1.7 years* | *Performance beyond national grade-level norms |
| 7th 3.5 years* | |
| 8th 4.1 years* | |

ATHLETICS / CLUBS / AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT CLASSES

- Volleyball
- Cross Country
- Tae Kwon Do
- Painting/Drawing
- Culinary Arts
- Robotics
- Cheerleading
- Bible Studies
- Sewing
- Beginning French
- Gardening
- Football
- Basketball
- Track
- National Junior Honor Society
- Student Council
- Pottery
- Painting & Sketching
- Yoga
- Beginning Spanish
- Science Class
- Beginning Woodshop



VCMS Average TerraNova Test Scores: National vs. VCMS Grade Equivalent

| Grade | National (GE) | VCMS Reading (GE) | VCMS Language (GE) | VCMS Math (GE) | *Avg. VCMS Grade Equivalency |
|-------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| 6 | 6.7 | 9.0 | 9.0 | 7.1 | 8.4 |
| 7 | 7.7 | 10.5 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 11.2 |
| 8 | 8.7 | 12.5 | 13.0 | 11.3 | 12.8 |

(GE) Grade Equivalent- indicates the year and month of school for which a student’s level of performance is typical.

(*) This is an average of all 5 subject areas reported.