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# **Application for Entry to Jireh Christian School**

Please sign and return this along with Section A to Jireh Christian School.

## **Parents' Covenant**

- We, having become familiar with the vision and objectives of Jireh School, commit ourselves to support the ethos, principles and the staff of the school.
- We hold ourselves responsible for our child's behaviour and will willingly be available to discuss any problems that may arise and to support the school in the discipline process.
- We realise that the Word of God and school policy, require parental involvement in education. We undertake to fulfil all our responsibilities in monitoring our child's education. We will continually familiarise ourselves with school activities through reading correspondence from the school and will respond to special requests when able. We will also offer ourselves, where able, and when requested, to assist with school activities.
- We shall be represented at Parent Meetings arranged by Jireh Christian School. NB. All families must be represented at the Term 1 meeting and a representative must attend the meetings in Terms 2, 3, and 4 as they relate to your child's year level.
- We will attend Parent Teacher Conferences as requested.
- In case of disagreement we commit to act at all times within the spirit of the 'Matthew 18 Principle'. We will go directly to the person(s) involved to bring about a peaceful resolution as much as it lies within our power. If this can not be reached we will then approach the Head of School or Principal.
- We will encourage our child to the best of our ability to live by Christian standards and to develop a personal relationship with God.
- We commit ourselves to making full payment of school fees as detailed in the school information booklet, regularly and promptly and in line with the conditions of enrolment.
- We accept that our child's continued attendance at Jireh Christian School is subject to us fulfilling the commitment we have made. We, therefore, sign with the full intention of meeting these obligations and responsibilities.

### **Declaration**

I/We have read the above Parents' Covenant, Parents' Declaration of Partnership, Conditions of Enrolment, Fees Information and Privacy Act and agree to abide by these conditions. I/We hereby submit an application for a place at Jireh Christian School.

SIGNED		
Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian	
Date	Date	



SECTION E	
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# **Parents' Declaration of Partnership**

We see parental involvement in the life of the school as imperative in the learning process of the students. Parents will be expected to use their gifts and abilities to serve the school family and so model the servant leadership that we wish to nurture in the lives of our students.

You may have professional expertise, skills or contacts that will enable us to enhance our academic, sporting or cultural programmes. You may have cultural or artistic talents or sporting skills that could be employed in coaching teams. We often need help transporting students to activities.

Please indicate below ways in which you are prepared to help at Jireh Christian School.

#### General:

#### Sports:

#### Cultural:

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## **REFERENCE FROM CHURCH PASTOR / MINISTER**

#### **Confidential Document**

Jireh Christian School is a state-integrated school with a defined 'special character'. The special character of our school is decidedly Christian, broadly evangelical and traditional in its Biblical ethics and morality. Preferential applicants must be verified as being committed and practising Christians. The Private Schools' Conditional Integration Act (1975) defines 'preferential applicants' as those who have established a particular connection with the school through a demonstrated commitment to its special character.

# This document must be completed by a Pastor/Minister or senior leader of the church congregation at which the applicant and his/her family attend and worship. Your response will be treated with the utmost confidentiality.

#### Name of person giving a reference: \_\_\_\_\_\_

#### Position of person giving reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of applicant family	
Name of student	
Name and address of church	
Denomination	

#### **Please tick the appropriate box regarding applicant(s) church attendance:**

Husband	Wife	Child(ren)	
Regular	Regular	Regular	
Irregular	Irregular	Irregular	
Seldom	Seldom	Seldom	
Never	Never	Never	

How would you describe their Christian walk?

#### Position of service (if any):

#### Comments

Pastor/Minister/Senior Leader's signature \_\_\_\_

\_ Date \_\_\_\_

When completed please post to:

The Enrolment Officer Jireh Christian School 63 St. Georges Road, Avondale 0600

Thank you for taking the time to do this for us.

