



## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT ALETHEIA**

**What is Christian Education?** Christian Education is simply education from a biblical perspective. Our goal at Aletheia is to train children spiritually, mentally, physically, and socially (Luke 2:52).

**What distinguishes Aletheia's ministry?** Aletheia Christian Academy was founded in 1992 to assist Christian parents to "train up a child in the way he should go" (Prov. 22:6). Our role is to support the Christian family and form a partnership in the training of children. Students are challenged to seek Christ-likeness and to be "equipped for every good work." (II Timothy 3:17). As Christ is the cornerstone of the church, we believe He is also the formation of the educational process. ACA endeavors to accomplish this goal by providing a balanced program designed to meet the needs of the "whole" child. Students receive excellent academic instruction from Christian-based curriculum taught by degreed faculty who are certified by the Association of Christian Schools International (ASCI). Aletheia has been fully accredited by ACSI since 1999.

**Where are you located? What are your facilities like?** Nestled in a peaceful, tree-lined neighborhood off I-10 and Spanish Trail, our campus is conveniently located to serve Escambia and Santa Rosa county families. Our 8 acres are ideal for current needs and future growth. Our 26,000 square foot facility includes an air-conditioned gym, two science labs and a library/computer lab. Our spacious classrooms provide an ideal environment for learning. The concession area is stocked for lunch and sporting events.

**What are our academic standards?** The curriculum is designed to prepare students for college by solidly grounding them in the disciplines of math, science, history, English, and Bible. Our program has achieved excellent academic results, with Aletheia students scoring well above state and national averages in annual standardized testing. ACA provides a complete, high quality college prep program (honors and AP English courses available), enriched with Spanish, computer, and multimedia courses. Students in 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade are required to maintain a "C" or above in all subjects to be eligible for sports and/or major leadership positions. Our elementary students may qualify for honor roll levels each grading period, providing incentive for academic success.

**What are some of the extra-curricular activities and enrichment programs available to students?** In addition to the exceptional academic training a child receives at ACA, students have a variety of areas in which to become involved. Our sports program includes soccer, basketball, baseball, volleyball, softball, and cheerleading. Drama classes and Worship Team accent our Fine Arts, while Student Government and additional clubs provide students the opportunity to develop leadership skills and potential. Our elementary program is enhanced with library and computer classes, art, Spanish, elementary chorus (4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade girls), and physical education classes.

**Are there ways for parents to become involved?** Yes! Parent participation is valued at ACA and our thriving Parents Association is a vital part of what makes Aletheia so special. Whether you prefer to work up front or behind the scenes, there is always a chance for a parent to be more involved in a child's education.