

Elementary and Middle School, K-8th Grade

"At Calvary Academy we have created a dynamic learning atmosphere...We simultaneously provide an education in the teachings and values of Jesus Christ and prepare our students for college and beyond." ~D. Dolan, elementary teacher

Accreditation and Affiliation

- ◆ Accredited through **Middle States Association (MSA)** and **ACSI**.
- ◆ Calvary Academy is a **multi-denominational Christian school** and a ministry of Calvary Lighthouse serving pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Visit our website to read our Statement of Faith.
- ◆ **Committed to diversity and excellence:** Calvary Academy is authorized to enroll non-immigrant students.

Academics

- ◆ **Curriculum:** A balance of Christian educational materials (Abeka, BJU Press) and current instructional resources (Pearson, Macmillan/McGraw-Hill). Calvary Academy's instructional program meets or exceeds the NJ Department of Education core standards and prepares elementary and middle school students **to think critically, interact socially**, and be prepared for **continued leadership** and **Christian maturity** in all aspects of life disciplines as they progress to high school. Art, music, technology, and gym are included in the class schedule. **Middle school** math classes are split for college prep and honors tracks; Spanish begins.
- ◆ **Core Values:** We partner with parents' endeavors to **make students' faith real** through interweaving the Bible and Christian values in the classroom, social interaction, on field trips, on the playground and athletic field, and while serving the community.
- ◆ **Instructors:** All faculty have an active relationship with Jesus Christ and fellowship in many churches throughout New Jersey. Minimum requirements are a bachelor's degree, ACSI certification, and attend professional development events throughout the year to continue in Calvary Academy's mission.
- ◆ **Exceptional Learners:** Calvary Academy seeks to teach **all levels of learners** with care and compassion in a safe environment that fosters **a joy for learning**. Enrichment for high academic performers is integrated within the classroom. Supplemental instruction and speech services are available.
- ◆ **Enrollment Specifics:** Kindergarten is a full-day program and students must be age five by October 1. Kindergarten through 4th grade classrooms are at capacity at 24 students. Upper elementary and middle school (6th through 8th) class sizes can accommodate 28 students per class. **Before school and after school care available.**
- ◆ **Safety and Health Services:** Video cameras are installed throughout the campus, doors are locked during school hours, and lockdown procedures are practiced throughout the year. A full-time nurse is on duty during school hours.
- ◆ **Facilities:** Large, wooded, fenced playground and athletic standardized field in back of campus. Buildings are separated for elementary and middle/high school. Basketball games are hosted at Calvary Academy. Hot lunch is available.

Athletics, Activities, and Fun!

- ◆ **Competitive while maintaining integrity:** **Middle School** options: baseball, basketball, softball, soccer, and cheerleading.
- ◆ **Clubs and Activities:** Calendar of activities change periodically based on interest and availability. Recent clubs and activities offered include dance, art programs, instrumental instruction, Mad Science program, creative writing, technology camps, sports camps, track club (**MS**), theater arts (**MS**), and homework study halls.



Reasonable Tuition

Elementary: under \$7,000

Middle School: mid-\$7,000

Tuition assistance available.

Pre-payment discounts.

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