



Redwood Christian Schools Homeschool Program

PRIVATE SATELLITE PROGRAM (PSP)

- Enrollment in RCS Homeschool Program **and** RCS PSP is required.
- Birth certificate and **current immunization records or waivers are required** for each child to be enrolled in the RCS Homeschool Program.
- Families enrolling in RCS' Private Satellite Program (PSP) are required to create a FACTS account where all fees will be posted.
- Parents are responsible for choosing and obtaining curriculum, setting goals, evaluating their child's progress, using the assessments that come with their curriculum.
- All courses must be taught using approved curricula. The campus principal will review curricula for approval. Curricula not approved will not be accepted for credit.
- Parents will submit a Course of Study for each child at the Orientation Meeting in August.
- Parents will turn in attendance records, report cards, and assessment logs at each of the quarterly meetings.
- Parents and students may meet monthly with the Homeschool Director to go over work accomplished and monthly goals.
- Parents are required to attend five Support Meetings.
- Testing opportunities are available for a fee:
 - 1st-11th grade: MAP Growth Testing
 - 8th-11th grade: PSAT
 - 11th-12th grade: SAT
- RCS will maintain Educational Records and provide transcripts as needed.
- RCS will provide resources to assist parents.

HIGH SCHOOL PSP REQUIREMENTS

- In order to meet RCS specific graduation requirements, all courses must be taught using approved curricula. The high school principal will review curricula for approval. Curricula not approved will not be accepted for credit.
- The Homeschool Director will meet with the family at specified times to review curriculum, course descriptions, goal sheets, attendance records, etc., and assist parent-teachers with resources to help them meet their educational goals for their child.
- Community colleges, private teachers, other PSP courses, or any course taught outside the home shall not be used without special, prior approval of the Homeschool Director.

ON-CAMPUS CLASSES

- Students may take academic or supplemental on-campus classes with RCS students.
- RCS teachers will provide attendance records and grades for students.
- Participation in classes and fees will be per semester/year.
- Participation for Homeschool students will be on a space-available basis.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

RCS Homeschool students may attend the Back-to-school BBQ, use the school library, have their picture taken on picture day, receive a school ID card, and attend chapel/other programs on campus.

When specific criteria are met, those who are in RCS PSP may play on RCS sports teams, attend 6th grade Outdoor Ed, the 8th grade Washington D.C. trip, Homecoming, Senior Banquet, and participate in graduations with RCS students and be part of the RCS Community.

HOMESCHOOL PURPOSE AND PHILOSOPHY

Redwood Christian Schools Homeschool Program has been established to partner with families who have accepted the challenge of providing a Christ-centered home education for their children. The Private Satellite Program provides support, assistance, guidance, encouragement and accountability to these families.

Homeschooling is one way to meet the biblical mandate to train up children. It takes into account the gifting of the parent-teacher, the lifestyle of the family, and the needs of the individual student.

To help parents realize their Christian educational goals within their homes, RCS will provide the parent-teacher and the individual student with as many services and opportunities as possible to aid in the fulfillment of the biblical mandate of training a child with a solid Christian education.

Parents can choose to enroll in PSP and/or On-campus Classes allowing RCS to partner with them in achieving their goals.

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2024-25 HOMESCHOOL PROGRAM FEES

Application Fee	Fee 1st Year	On-Campus Classes	Fee per Sem.
Per Student	\$175	<u>K-5th Grade</u>	
		Band or Royal Choir (2 days/week)	\$390
		Art (1 day/week)	\$230
		P.E. (5 days/week)	\$870
		Classroom Music (1 day/week)	\$230
		<u>6th-8th Grade</u>	
		5 days/week Classes	\$1,145
		1 Elective Class ("A" or "B")	\$570
		2 Elective Classes ("A" and "B")	\$1,145
		<u>9th-12th Grade</u>	
		5 days/week Classes (First Only)	\$1,310
		Additional Classes	\$1,245
		<u>Any Grade</u>	
		Lunch or Study Hall	\$120

* *Late enrollees, transfers, and early withdrawals will be billed on the same prorated basis as tuition.*

* *Pay-in-full and Multi-child Discounts are applicable to On-campus Fees only.*

* *Sports are available to PSP students for an additional cost.*