



Admission Policy Statement (2025-2026)

At **Christian LIFE Academy Stuttgart (CLAS)**, we are dedicated to providing a **Christ-centered, biblically holistic, and academically excellent education**. Our admissions policies ensure that all families clearly understand the **school's expectations, mission, and commitment to academic and spiritual growth**. We welcome students from all backgrounds who **align with our values and demonstrate a readiness for our hybrid learning model**.

Admission Criteria

CLAS is an **inclusive Christian school** that accepts students of all faiths. We admit students of any **race, nationality, or ethnic origin**, granting them full access to the **rights, privileges, programs, and activities** offered by the school. We do not discriminate based on **gender, race, color, or ethnic background** in the administration of educational policies and school programs.

General Admission Requirements

- ✓ **Agreement with the CLAS Statement of Faith** – Parents/guardians must read and acknowledge our **Statement of Faith** as part of the admissions process.
- ✓ **Commitment to Christian Education** – CLAS exists to provide **Christian education in a Christ-centered environment**. Families should be committed to working in partnership with the school in fostering **academic excellence and biblical character development**.
- ✓ **Academic Readiness** – Students should demonstrate the ability to **succeed in our rigorous academic environment**, as evidenced by:
 - School records (last two years, translated into English if applicable).
 - Standardized test scores and assessment results.
 - A personal interview with the **Administrator, parents, and student**.
 - Recommendations regarding **character, attitude, and general promise**.
- ✓ **Age Requirements** – Students entering **Grade 1 must be six years old by September 30th**. Participation in a **Kindergarten program** that includes **basic reading, numeracy, and writing skills in the child's native language** is a prerequisite.
- ✓ **Health & Immunization Compliance** – CLAS follows the **Masernschutzgesetz (Measles Protection Law)**. Proof of immunization is **mandatory** prior to enrollment.
- ✓ **Special Needs Consideration** – While CLAS is **not fully equipped to accommodate all special education needs**, we will review each case individually. Acceptance will depend on **available resources and staffing capabilities**. Special needs students will be monitored and **periodically re-evaluated**.

Enrollment Procedure

Families interested in enrolling at CLAS must complete the following process:

1. **Submit Application & Required Documents:**

- **Completed Application Form** (including student photo).
- **Signed CLAS School Contract.**
- **€2,500 Registration Fee** (*€1,250 due immediately, balance added to first invoice*).
- **School reports (last two years, translated into English if applicable).**
- **Copy of immunization records** (as required by German health regulations).
- **Certified copy of the child's birth certificate.**

2. **Student Assessment & Family Interview:**

- The **Administrator will conduct a family interview** to discuss the school's mission, expectations, and student readiness.
- If needed, **student testing** will determine academic placement and emotional maturity.

3. **Decision & Notification:**

- Families will be informed of **acceptance or non-acceptance** via email after the review process.
- Once accepted, families will receive **further orientation materials.**

Health & Safety Compliance

CLAS is committed to maintaining a **safe and healthy school environment**. All students must:

- ✓ **Submit a complete medical history and emergency contact details** before attending school.
- ✓ **Provide proof of required immunizations** in accordance with German health laws.
- ✓ **Adhere to school-wide health policies** (see the **CLAS Health Policies & Procedures** for full details).

Failure to provide **proof of immunization** will result in **denial of enrollment** as per German regulations.

Parent Orientation & Involvement

CLAS values **strong parent-school collaboration**. As part of the school community, parents are expected to:

- ✓ Attend the **annual Back-to-School Night** in September.
- ✓ Read and acknowledge the **Parent Handbook**.
- ✓ Ensure **timely tuition payments** and financial commitments.
- ✓ Participate in **major school fundraising events**.
- ✓ Attend **Parent-Teacher Conferences** and engage in their child's academic progress.

Statement of Non-Discrimination

CLAS does not discriminate in violation of applicable laws based on **race, religion, creed, color, age, physical ability, nationality, gender, or other legally protected characteristics**. Our **admissions decisions** are based on **academic readiness, character evaluation, and alignment with the school's mission**.

By applying to CLAS, families commit to working **in partnership with the school** to provide students with a **Christ-centered, academically challenging, and biblically holistic education** that equips them to be **servant leaders in the world**