



A Preschool – 12th Grade Kingdom School

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Northland Christian School Receives Accreditation

Two Accrediting Agencies Give Seal of Approval

KANSAS CITY, MO—Northland Christian School announced last week that it has received accreditation through two organizations. The school, which includes preschool through 12th grade, is now accredited by the Association of Christian Schools International and AdvancED (formerly North Central Accreditation).

“We are pleased to have reached this milestone,” said Richard Rice, principal. “The process has made us stronger as we have evaluated literally every aspect of our school.”

A team of staff members, parents, students and administration worked together through the extensive evaluation process. A six-member team of educators from throughout the region came onsite in early April to review documentation and observe the school. Final approval came at an ACSI meeting in June.

Accreditation will benefit Northland Christian in a number of areas. Updated policies, procedures and documentation will provide increased operational efficiency. In addition, grants are often available only to accredited institutions so the school will be able to pursue additional funding sources. Northland is also adding dual credit college courses in the coming school year, and accreditation provides the option to expand university partnerships in the future.

Northland Christian formed a high school in 2006 and then later merged with Life Christian Academy to become a preschool through 12th grade school system. Students at Northland Christian represent more than 50 area churches. The school and is now accepting applications for the 2011-2012 school year. For more information contact the school office at 816-464-0555 or www.NorthlandChristianEd.com. Northland Christian holds classes on the campus of The River, 4214 NW Cookingham Road, Kansas City, MO.

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