

Expected Student Outcomes

The leadership, faculty, and staff of Maryville Christian School commit to an approach of education that impacts students' lives: spiritually, academically, socially, and physically. It is expected that graduates of Maryville Christian School will:

1. Have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ that impacts their personal worldview and character.

- a. Students will demonstrate an understanding of God's plan of redemption and be able to explain salvation with God's Word.
- b. Students will investigate other belief systems and defend the Christian faith with Scripture and other evidences.
- c. Students will exhibit integrity and high moral character in their decisions and interactions with others.
- d. Students will demonstrate a command of biblical literacy and develop the needed skills for a lifetime of personal Bible study.
- e. Students will respond to the Great Commission locally and globally in a culturally sensitive manner.
- f. Students will regularly attend and participate in a church community, serving God and others.

2. Be well prepared in all academic disciplines and possess the academic skills to be successful that the next level.

- a. Students will develop a Christian worldview through exposure to a Biblically-integrated curriculum.
- b. Students will apply skills in reasoning, academic investigation, creative thinking, and critical thinking skills in a variety of situations.
- c. Students will establish themselves as life-long learners.
- d. Students will apply a comprehensive command of the fundamental processes used in communicating with others (speaking, listening, writing, and reading).
- e. Students will interpret human history and current events in light of Scripture and an understanding of God's plan for mankind.
- f. Students will engage technology and employ it appropriately, preparing them to function and contribute in a technologically advanced society.
- g. Students will identify and discuss artistic expression through fine arts and apply this in expressing themselves more creatively.
- h. Students will participate in open and honest exchanges of ideas.

3. Honor God's design for personal relationships, interactions, and citizenship.

- a. Students will review and practice accountability to God and established authorities.
- b. Students will develop and demonstrate concern for others.

- c. Students will express respect for the property of others.
- d. Students will investigate and review cultures of other people groups, rejecting prejudice and promoting interethnic harmony.

4. Demonstrate good stewardship of the abilities and resources entrusted to them by God.

- a. Students will improve their coordination, muscle tone, and endurance.
- b. Students will employ personal care of their body as a temple of the Holy Spirit, avoiding activities and substances that are harmful to the body, mind, or spirit.
- c. Students will practice responsible stewardship of God's creation.
- d. Students will investigate management of finances, time, and other resources, and apply those skills personally.