

REFERENCES: Please give four references with phone numbers and email addresses. Include at least two professional references and one reference who can comment on your Christian faith. Unless noted otherwise, we will assume permission to contact these people.

NAME	PHONE AND EMAIL	RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT	# YEARS KNOWN
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
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Please note that a background check will be performed on all applicants. If you have ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.

Live Oak Classical School Motto:

Fides quaerens intellectum • Faith seeking understanding

Live Oak Classical School Mission Statement

Live Oak Classical School strives to equip students to love God with all their hearts, souls, and minds (*Matt. 22:37*). We draw on the classical tools of learning to prepare students to reason clearly, communicate effectively, and act responsibly in the world – all for the glory of God.

Live Oak Classical School Statement of Faith

Live Oak’s educational mission is rooted in the tenets of historical Christianity.

We believe in God almighty, maker of heaven and earth. Therefore we approach all truth as edifying for those who believe in God, and we strive to understand every aspect of the world as part of God’s creation.

We believe God’s creation – including human thought and culture – is good, yet fallen from its proper relation to God. Therefore we approach the best of human culture as an expression of creation yearning to be reunited to God, and we recognize that our own understanding of God and creation is limited.

We believe that God acted decisively in history through the person and work of Jesus Christ to reconcile the world unto himself. Therefore the story of God’s saving work in history is essential to our understanding of the world.

We believe God continues to work in history through his Holy Spirit to restore the image of God in us. Therefore we trust in God’s indwelling presence to empower us to discern truth, excellence, and beauty, and to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly before God.

We believe Holy Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness.

In response to the goodness and grace of God made manifest in creation, Christ, and the Holy Spirit, we develop our minds and our hearts that we may be good stewards of God’s creation and faithful bearers of Christ’s image in love and service to one another.

PHILOSOPHY QUESTIONS

Please read the information about Live Oak Classical School (available on our website at www.liveoakclassical.com or by mail). On a separate sheet, please answer the following questions succinctly:

RELIGIOUS VIEWS AND EXPERIENCE

1. Describe how you came to faith in Jesus Christ.
 2. How does your Christianity affect the way you go about work?
 3. Can you unreservedly subscribe to the mission and faith statement of Live Oak Classical School?
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