

# 2012-2013 School Year

APPLICATION FORM  
FOR GRADE  
6 7 8  
(Circle Grade)  
Year of Admission \_\_\_\_\_



**For Office Use Only**  
App. Fee \_\_\_\_\_  
Reg. Fee \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Initial deadline for consideration for enrollment requests for the 2012-2013 school year is  
Friday, February 10, 2012.**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN**

\$50 application fee must accompany this application form      Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name
First Name
Middle Name

Gender:  Male  Female      Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street
City
State
Zip

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
City
State
Country

Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Practicing?   Place of worship \_\_\_\_\_

**Father's Name in Full**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last
First
Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Status (Please circle): Married   Divorced   Deceased   Single

Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Religion \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen:  Yes  No

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Wk Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse (if not mother) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Wk Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Wk Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Work E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother's Name in Full**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last
First
Maiden

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Status (Please circle): Married   Divorced   Deceased   Single

Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Religion \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Citizen:  Yes  No

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Wk Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse (if not father) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Wk Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Wk Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Work E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY INFORMATION:**

Siblings: (Please print or type)

Name	M/F	Age	Current Grade	Current School	Applying to VCES in '12	Applying to VCHS in '12
_____	___	___	___	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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_____	___	___	___	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Is the applicant the child of an alum? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, which school? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, mother's maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year graduated \_\_\_\_\_

Is the applicant the child of an employee of SSMO Ministries Corporation or its affiliates? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please circle one: VCS VCELS Maryville SSMO Ministries Foundation

**TO THE STUDENT APPLICANT:**

Write a paragraph in your own words and in your own handwriting. Tell us about yourself, your activities, youth groups, sports teams or extracurricular activities. Do you take private lessons (musical instrument, dance, martial arts)? What are your hobbies/interests? \_\_\_\_\_

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Is the decision to apply to Valley Catholic your own? \_\_\_\_\_ Did your parents encourage you to apply? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe how you would feel if you were accepted and enrolled at VCMS next year? \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you know anyone currently attending or who has attended VCMS? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, list name and year attended.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN**

If parents are separated or divorced, who has legal custody of applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

With whom does the applicant live? \_\_\_\_\_

If different from the front page, list address and phone number:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Phone

Who is responsible for all tuition and fees? \_\_\_\_\_

Who should receive all school correspondence?

\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardians with whom student lives  
\_\_\_\_ Other Please list \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever had counseling? \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ Yes If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

The following information is used in the annual Archdiocesan Department of Catholic Schools Report

**Please check one box for ethnicity and one for race:**

**Ethnicity:** Are you of Hispanic/Latino Heritage? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**Race:** \_\_\_\_ Asian \_\_\_\_ Multi-Racial \_\_\_\_ American Indian/Native Alaskan  
\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_ Black/African American \_\_\_\_ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander  
\_\_\_\_ Other, Please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s) spoken by the student(s) \_\_\_\_\_

(Is the applicant a U.S. citizen? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_)

To Parent/Guardian: Please write a brief paragraph indicating why you want your child to attend Valley Catholic Middle School.

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YOUR SIGNATURE WILL ATTEST TO THE FACT THAT YOU HAVE READ THE MISSION STATEMENT, THE PHILOSOPHY, AND BELIEF STATEMENTS OF THE SCHOOL AND WILL SUPPORT THEM (PRINTED ON BACK OF THIS FORM.)

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**TO COMPLETE YOUR APPLICATION TO VALLEY CATHOLIC MIDDLE SCHOOL YOU MUST ARRANGE TO SUBMIT:**

- \* Teacher recommendation forms
- \* Health information form
- \* A copy of student's 2010-2011 report card and fall 2011 semester/trimester report card
- \* A copy of behavioral records for the 2010-2011 school year and fall 2011 semester/trimester (if this information is not listed on the student's report card)
- \* Arrange for a visitation day and placement exam or parent/student interview
- \* Include the \$50 application fee with this form. After notification of admission, a \$200 non-refundable registration fee will be required to reserve a position in the class.

PLEASE DROP OFF OR MAIL THIS APPLICATION TO: **Valley Catholic Middle School**  
**4420 SW St. Mary's Drive**  
**Beaverton, OR 97007**

PLEASE NOTIFY THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT 503-718-6500 OF ANY CHANGES (ADDRESS, PHONE, SIBLINGS)

# Valley Catholic Middle School

## *Mission Statement*

Valley Catholic School, sharing in the mission of the Sisters of St. Mary of Oregon, fosters a faith-filled community of lifelong learners and compassionate leaders committed to living out Catholic values and following Jesus' example through prayer, service, and love.

## *Philosophy*

The college preparatory education at Valley Catholic School develops the whole person—physically, intellectually, emotionally, spiritually, and aesthetically. Valley Catholic School provides a Christian community in which the body, mind, and spirit of each student can develop to full maturity and responsibility. By challenging students to think critically and discern prayerfully, a Valley Catholic education not only provides students with fundamental knowledge, but encourages students to develop the understanding and wisdom to participate fully and positively in life.

## *Belief Statements*

1. Students can nurture a personal relationship with God.
2. Students can learn to respect themselves and others as valued gifts from God.
3. Students can develop a well-formed moral and social conscience.
4. Students can prepare for any college or university through the academic and college counseling program.
5. Students can develop creative expression, critical thinking, intellectual curiosity, active social responsibility and positive methods of communication.
6. Students can become life-long learners and can adapt to a rapidly changing world.
7. Students can develop the knowledge, attitudes, and skills to make positive choices throughout their lives.
8. Students can interact in a spirit of cooperation and collaboration.
9. Students can contribute to and participate within a safe physical environment.

## *Non-Discrimination Policy*

Valley Catholic School welcomes students of all national and ethnic origins. It does not discriminate on the basis of national or ethnic origin in its admissions, educational policies, athletics, and other school activities, or in granting scholarships or financial assistance.