

International Students

Vail Christian High School provides a well-rounded education and a loving environment for international students to thrive. We believe that international students enhance our global perspective and mirror the ethnically and culturally diverse world that God created. We offer students a challenging, college-preparatory curriculum, including 15 AP courses, a variety of university credit courses, and Project Lead the Way courses (engineering, biomedical and computer science) that complement their AP counterparts with more experiential, project-based learning.

Students benefit from the high academic standards, college counseling and college application support which results in our students being accepted into some of the most prestigious U.S. colleges and universities. Our program is rich in academic rigor and requires that all students who participate are proficient in English. We provide impressive support to international students through our Student Success Center and tutoring, ensuring students are supported in their new school environment and meet their highest academic potential.

International students are fully integrated into life as an American high school student. Through our small class sizes, strong sense of camaraderie between students, classes centered on discussion and participation, and after-school activities and athletics, international students are supported in every way including living with a host family. We value the entire experience of our international students, not just the academic school day. Students are placed in loving, supportive, Christian homes and become a member of the family.

Vail Christian High School is nestled in the highly sought after Vail Valley with views of the majestic Gore and Sawatch mountain ranges. Students study, live and play where others travel from around the world to experience Vail mountain's one-of-a-kind terrain with more than 5000 skiable acres. With breathtaking ski resorts such as Vail and Beaver Creek, stunning world class golf courses, epic mountain bike and hiking trails, the phrase "Like nothing on Earth" comes to life before your very eyes. Vail Christian High School is only a 1½ hour drive to Denver, a metropolitan area with a population of 3 million with a major U.S. international airport.

If you are an international student, parent or agent and are interested in applying to Vail Christian High School, please contact Stacia Brasington, International Student Program Director, at sbrasington@vchsweb.org for more information.

ADMISSIONS PROCESS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Please submit all forms to the International Student Program Director, Stacia Brasington, at sbrasington@vchsweb.org

1) Complete All Application Requirement

Complete Vail Christian High School Online Application.

PARENTS: First, click below to create your RenWeb Account (Renweb is a web-based school management software). Create an account under the student's name, NOT THE PARENT'S NAME. Please ([Click Here](#)) to create a Renweb Account. After you have created an account, then click on the next link to log in to your account and "Create A New Student Application" for your child. You will then have the flexibility to log in and out of your account and access your open application. To complete the online application, the application must be completely filled out (with green checks next to each item area on the left side). A green check appears in the left tab area when you have successfully answered each question in that designated section. Please submit your \$75 non-refundable application fee via our online payment configuration at the end of the application. If you are not able to create a Renweb account from your country please email sbrasington@vchsweb.org to send you an application through email.

1. Submit complete set of school records/transcripts (two years, translated to English)
2. Submit TOEFL or iTEP Score
3. Submit Recommendation Forms (translated to English)
 - **Administrator Recommendation Form** ([Click Here](#))
 - **English Teacher Recommendation Form** ([Click Here](#))
 - **Math Teacher Recommendation Form** ([Click Here](#))

2) Family Interview

The family interview is one of the ways we are able to learn more about you – the applicant, but it also provides your family with another opportunity to get to know us better, as well. Interviews are conducted by our Principal and our International Student Program Director and can take place through Skype, WhatsApp or WeChat.

Skype: sbrasington_2

WhatsApp: +1 970-471-0894

WeChat ID: sbrasington

WeChat QR:



3) Finalize Enrollment

1. Once student is accepted, an I-20 will be issued. Student's family is responsible for securing appointment with U.S. Consulate for interview and issuing of F1 Visa.
2. Submit copy of Immunization Record
3. Submit copy of Visa and Passport
4. Submit copy of birth certificate (translated to English)
5. Payment of tuition in full prior to arrival

INTERNATIONAL TUITION International student tuition is \$40,000 which includes tuition, homestay fee, sports and activity fees. The Student Success Center provides individualized attention and academic support and is free of charge to all international students. Health Insurance must be purchased through ISM [here](#). Please purchase the Gold or Silver Plan for your student prior to U.S. arrival.