



# ARCHWAY CLASSICAL ACADEMY | VERITAS

## A Great Hearts Academy

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WELCOME TO THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR  
PLEASE READ THE PACKET CAREFULLY



**Homeroom class lists will be posted on the front doors on August 2nd**



**Stay Connected:** The printable school year calendar can be found on our website by [following the link here](#). Don't forget to read our Headmaster Newsletters for important information! You can also find us on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#)!

**Uniforms:** Archway Veritas is proud to partner with Dennis Uniforms and Anton Uniforms. We encourage families to purchase uniform items from these vendors to ensure that the color and fit match our student body. Our uniform policy and link to Dennis Uniform and Anton Uniforms can be found on our [website by following the link here](#).

*If the cost of the uniform presents a financial hardship for your family, please contact the AVPSO for information on used uniform sales.*

**Edukit:** Archway Veritas offers the [EduKit](#) program as a convenient option for families to order school supplies. These kits are custom-made for our school and contain exactly what students need to start the year off right! If you choose to purchase supplies separately, you can access the school supply lists by following the link [here](#). [EduKit](#) is the preferred option. Order by June 17<sup>th</sup> for the best pricing and **FREE** shipping.

### **Extracurricular Clubs:**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Semester 1 clubs</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Semester 2 clubs</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Registration: August 5<sup>th</sup> – August 8<sup>th</sup></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Registration: December 16<sup>th</sup> – January 2<sup>nd</sup></li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Clubs will begin the week of August 12<sup>th</sup></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Clubs will begin the week of January 6<sup>th</sup></li></ul>

**Traffic Flow:** Please follow the [traffic flow map](#), parking lot signs for correct pick-up lanes, and directions of the faculty and staff on duty in the parking lot. Our goal is to have all cars in and out by 3:35 pm. Please be patient, the first few weeks of school are hectic & inevitably pick-up takes longer.

**Health Office:** Please visit the website [by following the link here](#) for information regarding the health office. Feel free to contact the nurse if you have any questions regarding the medication administration procedure or to discuss any other health concerns you may have.

**Volunteering:** If you would like to be approved to volunteer, [please follow the link here](#). The approval process is done annually and should take approximately 10 minutes. You will receive an answer within 48 hours. The cost is \$5.00. All volunteers must be approved through this process, with no exceptions. Please note, when selecting the school, the system will not separate Archway and Prep. Do NOT do this until July.

**Special Events:** Your \$10 helps offset the cost of our special events such as Field Trips, Arizona Ballet, and Phoenix Symphony. The school is asking for \$10 per student per school year. Follow the link [here](#) to purchase.



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### CONSUMABLE BOOK LISTS & SUPPLIES

*Your child's class will utilize workbooks and/or classic works of literature during the upcoming school year. Parents are encouraged to purchase these materials so that their students will be able to write in them and develop their own impressive library of classics over the course of their academic career with Great Hearts. If the cost of these consumable materials presents a financial hardship for your family, please contact the school for assistance.*

So that all students use the text aligned with the class and curriculum, parents **must** purchase texts with the exact ISBN provided. Each grade level book list below provides a link to each individual book through Amazon and other vendors.

[Kindergarten Consumable Literature Book List](#)

[First Grade Consumable Literature Book List](#)

[Second Grade Consumable Literature Book List](#)

[Third Grade Consumable Literature Book List](#)

[Fourth Grade Consumable Literature Book List](#)

[Fifth Grade Consumable Literature Book List](#)

### ACADEMY GIVING

Our academy flourishes because of parent philanthropy. Every gift to Community Investment and each Tax Credit designation supports a private school caliber education in a public-school setting. All funds from these campaigns stay at Archway Veritas and directly benefit your child's education.

#### COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

Your gift to Community Investment helps to cover the gap between what it costs to deliver the education that your children deserve and what we receive from public funding. This includes:

- Two teachers in every classroom
- Art, music, foreign language, and physical education on a daily basis

We ask each family to contribute \$1,500 per student, per year (or \$125 per student, per month) to cover the gap. Every family's participation, at any level, is vital to supporting our teachers and the educational priorities of Archway Veritas.

#### TAX CREDIT

The Arizona Public School Tax Credit (Statute 43-1089.01) allows all Arizona taxpayers to contribute to the public school of their choice and receive a dollar-for-dollar credit on their state income tax liability. We use Tax Credit contributions to:

- Bring Ballet Arizona and Phoenix Symphony to perform for our scholars 8 times a year
- Pay for fun (and educational) field trips



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- Keep after-school club fees low

Married couples can contribute \$400 and single filers can contribute \$200. Whatever you contribute you receive back from the Arizona Department of Revenue as either an increase in your refund or a reduction in your overall tax liability once you file your return.

Please connect with David Lins ([dlins@archwayveritas.org](mailto:dlins@archwayveritas.org)), our Family Giving Officer, before June 1<sup>st</sup> to confirm your 24-25 giving intentions. THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ARCHWAY VERITAS!

For more information or to set up monthly giving, please follow the link [HERE](#).

#### WELCOME TO THE ARCHWAY VERITAS PARENT SERVICE ORGANIZATION (AVPSO)

*All parents and guardians of students currently enrolled at Archway Veritas are members of the school's Parent Service Organization. We are a community of parent volunteers that provides a support system to enrich our students' academic experience. We volunteer our time in service, facilitate communication, and administer social activities to benefit and support the faculty and administration that are working to provide the best educational experience for our children.*

Part of a successful school experience is the support that families can provide each other. We hope you take advantage of the family events planned for this year.

#### **Stay Connected:** [Membership Tool Kit](#)

The Membership Tool Kit portal will give you access to the school directory so that you can plan activities for your kid(s) or call another parent to get a copy of your child's forgotten homework. The invitation code: AVPSO56

#### **Volunteer Opportunities:**

Volunteering time is one of the best ways to connect with other parents and to learn more about the inner workings of the school and its events. To see what volunteer opportunities, you would like to sign up for, [please follow the link here](#).

#### **Events:**

[Click here](#) for a brief overview of the major events sponsored by the PSO and the school.

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time, they have the heart! ~ Elizabeth Andrew