

Donation Card

Arizona Christian School Tuition Organization, Inc. (ACSTO)

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Donor's Name: _____
Last Name First Name (M.I.)

Last Four Digits of Social Security #: _____
(FOR TAX RECORDS ONLY)

Address: _____
City State Zip

Telephone: _____

Donor's Email: _____

Student Name(s): _____
(RECOMMENDATION)

Schools: **Cornerstone & Pusch Ridge Christian Academies**

Donation Amount Enclosed: _____

Check (payable to ACSTO) Check #: _____
 VISA MC Discover American Express
CARD # _____ / _____ EXPIRES _____

Credit Card Billing Address, if Different:

Signature: _____

NOTICE: A school tuition organization cannot award, restrict or reserve scholarships solely on the basis of a donor's recommendation. A taxpayer may not claim a tax credit if the taxpayer agrees to swap donations with another taxpayer to benefit either taxpayer's own dependent. A.R.S. 43-1503 (C)

Maximums & Deadline: The maximum Arizona state income tax credit for 2010 is \$1000 for married persons filing jointly and \$500 for a single taxpayer, or the actual tax, whichever is less. To claim this credit for 2010, the donation must be postmarked or delivered to ACSTO by April 15, 2011.

About Recommendations: To recommend a specific student to receive a tuition grant/scholarship (hereafter referred to as a scholarship) enter the name of the student and the school attended. To have the award go to students at a specific school, enter the name of the school. The Arizona statute prohibits any designation of your own dependent as a potential recipient. At least ninety percent of the donated funds received will be used for scholarships.

About Scholarships: Actual scholarships are subject to the absolute discretion of ACSTO through its selection committees. Scholarships will be awarded without regard to the student's race, color, handicap, familial status or national origin. Scholarships will be used for K-12 students attending Christian schools in Arizona.

Mail check and/or completed Donation Card to ACSTO.

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Catalina Foothills Church Schools System

Cornerstone Christian Academy and Pusch Ridge Christian Academy are a part of the Catalina Foothills Church Schools system. We serve over 620 students in grades kindergarten through twelve.

Our schools exist to glorify God and to partner with the Christian home in discipling young men and women in their relationship with Christ and the Scriptures, unfolding to them a unified and Biblical world and life view, equipping them with the tools necessary to pursue a lifestyle and love of learning, exposing them to the classical ideas from our Western cultural heritage, and challenging them to pursue academic excellence.

Please visit our website:
cfcsmain.com



CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Grades K-6
520.529.7080
6450 N Camino Miraval, Tucson, AZ 85718



PUSCH RIDGE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Grades 6-12
520.797.0107
9500 N Oracle Rd, Tucson, AZ 85704



Arizona Private School Tuition Tax Credit

Donation Brochure



Please help make Christian education affordable for students attending Cornerstone Christian Academy and Pusch Ridge Christian Academy

How May I Help?

Dear Potential Donors,

Thank you for reading this brochure to better understand how you may help a friend, relative, co-worker, fellow church member—or a Christian family you may not even know—fulfill their dreams of a Christian education for their children.

Your tax credit donation to Arizona Christian School Tuition Organization (ACSTO) may result in a scholarship for a student you recommend on the Donation Card. If you do not recommend a student, your contribution will still be awarded by ACSTO to students at Cornerstone and Pusch Ridge Christian Academies in Tucson.

You can receive a full, dollar-for-dollar Arizona income tax credit. This is truly a blessing and a win-win for all!

If you have any questions about how this tax credit program works, please contact **Glen Shepherd, PRCA Director of Admissions**, at **520.797.0107 ext 502** or glen.shepherd@prca-tucson.org.

Thank you for your consideration.



How Does This Work?

A.R.S. Section 43-1089, signed into law in 1997, entitles Arizona taxpayers to receive a full, dollar-for-dollar tax credit for a contribution made to a Student Tuition Organization (ours is ACSTO).

Where can we donate?

Complete the Donation Card, enclose your donation, and mail to ACSTO. Or you may donate online at acsto.org.

How much can I give?

Up to \$1,000 if you file jointly or \$500 if you file individually, or up to your personal state tax liability, whichever is less.

What do I do if I have already paid all my state taxes through my payroll deductions?

You may still give. You will receive a refund of up to \$1,000 if you file jointly, or \$500 if you file individually.

May I also claim a federal tax deduction?

Yes, this may be possible. Consult your tax advisor.

How much of my donation goes to scholarship and how much to ACSTO?

By law, at least 90% must go to scholarships. ACSTO also awards all interest earned as additional funds.

May we also make a public school extra-curricular activities donation?

Yes, you may do both. You may give up to \$400 if you file jointly, and \$200 if you file individually. These donations are made directly to the public or charter school of your choice.

Why ACSTO?

Our schools have chosen to work with Arizona Christian School Tuition Organization, Inc. (ACSTO) as our primary Student Tuition Organization (STO). We have confidence in their management under the leadership of Steven Yarbrough. We have worked with Arizona Christian School Tuition Organization since 2000.

With ACSTO you may recommend a child at Cornerstone or Pusch Ridge who you know needs financial assistance. However, if you do not know a specific child who needs assistance, we encourage you to simply identify Cornerstone and Pusch Ridge Christian Academies. By naming CCA/PRCA, ACSTO will have the critical funds to award to students who would not otherwise be able to attend our schools.

Since it began in 1998, ACSTO has awarded scholarships to more than 17,600 students attending 140 Arizona Christian schools. More than 44,000 visionary Arizona taxpayers have made this possible by donating to ACSTO, taking advantage of Arizona's unique opportunity to receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit against their Arizona state income tax.

ACSTO is a tax-exempt, charitable organization pursuant to federal tax law, Section 501(c)(3).

To learn more about ACSTO and the tax credit program, please visit acsto.org.

We desire to see our young men and women “increase in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and men” in order to live out their faith as servant leaders in every area of life. (Luke 2:52)

