Expected Student Outcomes

"And Jesus Grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and Man."
Luke 2:52

1. Intellectual Growth (Continued Learning)

Proverbs 1:5 "Let the wise listen and add to their learning, and let the discerning get guidance..."

OCSI will equip students to become lifelong learners in service to God and to discern His truth in all disciplines. As fully equipped servants of God, students will demonstrate proficiency in the following areas:

A. Literacy Skills:

1. **Reading** - Applies comprehension strategies, demonstrates understanding of, and responds to written material represented by periodicals, reference materials, poetry, and every genre of prose.
2. **Writing** - Applies understanding of grammatical conventions, phonemic awareness, and appropriate vocabulary to create original compositions
3. **Speaking** - Confidently expresses opinions and facts for the purposes of persuasion, information, debate, and performance for an audience
4. **Listening** - Applies comprehension strategies to and demonstrates the ability to appropriately respond to oral communication

B. Background Knowledge:

1. **Mathematics** - Demonstrates computation and problem solving skills
2. **Science** - Utilizes the scientific method to gather and apply knowledge; identifies fundamental units, basic principles and theories that govern God's creation, and demonstrates stewardship of His world.
3. **History and Geography** -Applies knowledge of people groups, movements, places, and events to the understanding of cultures both modern and ancient
4. **Technology** - Utilizes the latest technology to research, prepare, organize, and create a variety of media
5. **Literature** - Identifies and distinguishes authors, genres, and point of views common to cultures and movements throughout history, comparing and contrasting the author's message with scripture.
6. **Arts** - Distinguish quality in all forms of music and visual arts; recognizing how they shape and reflect our views, beliefs and

values; identifying artists and movements throughout history and cultures.

C. Thinking Skills:

1. **Critical Thinking** - Questions, compares, and evaluates choices to solve problems and act decisively
2. **Study and Organizational Skills** - Appropriately prepares for and meets daily challenges by demonstrating time management, note taking, and study skills
3. **Information Literacy Skills** - Utilizes resources including, but not limited to, IT technology to find, analyze, and evaluate information

2. Physical Growth (Continued healthy living)

I Cor. 6:19-20 and 2 Cor. 7:1 "Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore, honor God with your body... Since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God."

OCSI will prepare students to maintain a continued healthy lifestyle. Students will

A. **Identify the principles of wellness**

B. **Develop and practice a daily fitness routine**

C. **Apply concepts of Biblical purity**

3. Spiritual Growth (Continued spiritual growth)

I Thes. 4:1 "Finally brothers, we instructed you how to live in order to please God, as in fact you are living. Now we ask you and urge you in the Lord Jesus to do this more and more."

OCSI will prepare students for an abundant and continuously growing spiritual life in Christ. Students will:

A. **Recognize the necessity of a personal relationship with**

Jesus Christ

B. **Regularly practice the Spiritual Disciplines of prayer, Bible**

study, and Christian fellowship

C. **Actively participate in discipling others**

D. **Articulate and defend a Christian worldview while**

demonstrating knowledge and understanding of opposing
worldviews

E. **Pursue his or her God-given calling in life**

4. Social Growth (Continued love and service of others)

Romans 13:8 (NIV) "Let no debt remain outstanding, except in the continuing debt to love one another, for he who loves his fellowman has fulfilled the law."

OCSI will equip students with social skills that will enable them to develop a loving lifestyle of relating to and investing in the lives of others:

A. Moral Character and Responsibility:

1. Demonstrates honesty and trustworthiness in all communications
2. Demonstrates appropriate stewardship of time and money
3. Responsibly completes tasks
4. Recognizes offenses and makes amends with others regardless of blame

B. Relationship Towards Others:

1. Respects authority
2. Influences others towards positive behavior
3. Demonstrates caring, politeness, and respect towards others
4. Respects the property of others

5. Interacts with unfamiliar people in a positive manner
6. Values persons of differing cultures, ethnic groups, and religions

C. Adaptability:

1. Adjusts to changing environments and cultures with ease
2. Demonstrates joy in the face of challenges or disappointment

D. Service:

1. Actively participates in serving both the local and global community
2. Participates actively in school life