



# BLACK HILLS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

By God's grace, Black Hills Christian Academy exists to provide excellent Christian education from preschool-12<sup>th</sup> grade for children in the northern Black Hills of South Dakota.

*Every student equipped to impact the world for Christ.*

**Founded:** 1992

**Type of School:** Private, Non-Denominational Preschool-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Christian School

**Accreditation:** Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)

**Location:** 630 S. 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, Spearfish, South Dakota

**Where Current Families Live:** Spearfish, Belle Fourche, Lead, Deadwood, Whitewood, Sturgis, Vale, Sundance

**Number of Churches Represented by Families and Staff:** over 30

**Academic Year:** 4 quarters, August-May

**Academic Week:** 4-day school week, Monday-Thursday

**Academic Day:** 8am-3:15pm

**Average Enrollment:** 160 students in preschool-12<sup>th</sup> grade

**Target Class Size:** 12-16 students

**School Colors:** Blue, Graphite, and Gold

## **Unique Educational Value**

- Bible Class daily at every grade level
- Schoolwide Chapel every month
- Honors Algebra 1 and Honors Spanish 1 included in 8<sup>th</sup> grade curriculum
- Senior Capstone projects and presentations
- Rhetoric
- Apologetics

## **Enrichment Opportunities**

*Elementary School* – encore enrichment classes weekly in PE, music, art, and technology

*Secondary School* – elective offerings including art, photography, drama, yearbook, Spanish, life skills, and a diverse set of options through Monarch Online. Many of our high school student also pursue dual-credit opportunities with Black Hills State University and other universities.