

## **Maranatha Christian Schools International Student Application Checklist**

Thank you for your interest in Maranatha Christian Schools. We hope you find the following information helpful with the admissions process. If you have any questions regarding the process, please contact the International Director, Mrs. Suzi Rodgers via email at [suzi.rodgers@maranathachristianschools.org](mailto:suzi.rodgers@maranathachristianschools.org).

### **Please complete the following:**

- Online Application**
  - o <http://www.maranathachristianschools.org/admissions/international.cfm>.

**From the online application, print the following forms. Email completed forms to Mrs. Rodgers.**

- Immunization Form - **translated into English**
- Affidavit of Support – Required by Homeland Security
- Guardianship Agreement and Copy of ID - ***All students must have a US Guardian (25 years or older. Guardian must reside no more than 4 hours from MCS. If you do not have a US guardian, MCS partners with agencies that will be guardian).***
- Parental Medication Release Form
- Request for student permanent records - **(Current US Students Only)** Complete student portion—parent/guardian signature required
- Letters of recommendation – Current US students only** two (2) Academic Recommendations & one (1) Administrator’s Recommendation. Print from online application and give to current teachers. They will return directly to Mrs. Rodgers.

### **English Proficiency Tests**

#### **6th—8th Grade - Choose one of the tests**

SLATE-Plus: 4 or Higher <https://www.itepexam.com/test-takers/test-takers/>

TOEFL Jr.: 725 or higher

IELTS – 5.5 or higher

#### **9th—11th Grade - Choose one of the tests**

SLATE-Plus: 3.5 or Higher <https://www.itepexam.com/test-takers/test-takers/>

TOEFL: 48 or higher

IELTS – 5.5 or higher

**After completing the online application:**

- Pay the \$400.00 Application Fee – Western Union Link, US Check or Credit Card Payment (See Credit Card Authorization Form).
  - o <https://student.globalpay.wu.com/geo-buyer/maranathachristianschools#!/>

**Please submit the following copies to Mrs. Rodgers via email:**

- Transcript/Report Card in native language and translated into English for all **current** coursework and grades in progress and (2) previous years
- Clear *copy* of passport
- Copy of I-20 from transferring school and copy of F1 Visa **(Current US Students Only)**
- Bank statement or Letter showing funds available to student - Required by Homeland Security
  - Junior High** - Must show at least \$32,000
  - High School** - Must show at least \$40,000