

# *What Sets Engleside Christian School Apart?*

## ***Consider Our Teachers***

- Godliness ~ our faculty are Christians serving as active members in the local church.
- Training ~ the majority of our faculty have received degrees from Christian colleges.
- Experience ~ several teachers enjoyed successful teaching careers prior to joining ECS.
- Recognition
  - Several ECS staff members have been included in *Who's Who Among America's Teachers*.
  - One current teacher has been recognized by a nationally acclaimed Christian college as its *Out-of-State Teacher of the Year*.

## ***Consider Our Student Body***

- Ministry
  - Community ~ our students participate in annual community enrichment efforts.
  - Church ~ many of our students are active in their local church ministries (AWANA workers, children's church workers, church choir members, etc.).
  - Special Events ~ our handbell choir ministers annually in churches both in and out of state.
- Academics
  - Grades ~ over half of our student body maintains an A or B average (no Ds or Fs) on a quarterly basis.
  - Test Scores ~ ECS students on average test about two grade levels above their actual class level on the Stanford 10 Achievement Test battery.
- Fine Arts
  - State Festivals ~ our qualified instrumentalists participate in the annual State Band Festival sponsored by ODACS.
  - Regional Competitions ~ ECS received "Percentage" awards (points awarded compared with student enrollment) on the elementary and secondary levels from last year's ODACS Bible, Academics, and Fine Arts regional and state competitions.
  - National Competitions ~ the ECS class A handbell choir has won national recognition in each of the past 15 years at the national Bible, Academics and Fine Arts competition sponsored by AACS.

## ***Consider Our Graduates***

- Post-ECS Education
  - Eighty-five percent of our recent graduates have entered a college setting within one semester of completing their work at Engleside Christian School.
  - Sixty percent of our graduates in the last five years have enrolled in Christian colleges around the United States.
  - Two recent graduates are fulfilling appointments to military institutes.
  - The majority of our recent graduates are currently tracking toward college graduation "on schedule."
- Post-College Activities
  - "Full-time Christian Ministry" ~ many of our graduates currently serve the Lord as pastors, missionaries, or Christian school teachers.
  - Other Graduates ~ many of our graduates leading successful career jobs are actively involved in local church ministries.