

HOW TO WRITE A STUDENT NARRATIVE FOR THE ACSTO APPLICATION

We want to make this step in the application process easy for you. Below are some **helpful suggestions** to get you started.

KEEP IN MIND

- We do take the **age of the child** into consideration.
- **Two to three paragraphs** are sufficient.
- Each year when you reapply to ACSTO, you will need to rewrite the Narrative. For this reason, we recommend that you type and **save it in a Word document**, then copy and paste it into the online application. Having a saved copy will make it easier when you apply the following year.

TALKING POINTS

These are just suggestions — you do not have to include all of this information.

- **Brag about your child.** Provide a snapshot of your child so we have an opportunity to “know” him/her.
- **Share why you want your child to attend a Christian School.** How have you seen it impact them? What do you hope they will gain from a Christian Education? Consider sharing how it has impacted your family.
- **Discuss your student’s character traits and how you see your child demonstrate them.** What does your child like to do? What are their hobbies? Are they involved in any extracurricular activities? What household chores are they responsible for?
- **Discuss your child’s involvement at church.** Are they involved in a student program or Bible study program? Do they volunteer? Have they made the decision to accept Jesus Christ as their personal savior?
- **What are their favorite subjects at school and why?** Are they on the honor roll? Have they made improvements in their grades? What type of awards have they received at school?

Still have questions? Don’t hesitate to contact us at 480.820.0403 or social@acsto.

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