



**Faith Bible College**  
**6330 Newtown Road, Suite 211**  
**Norfolk, VA 23502**

**STATEMENT OF ACCREDITATION:**

Faith Bible College holds candidate status with the Association for Biblical Higher Education Commission on Accreditation (COA). The institution was last reviewed by the COA in February 2016. The next comprehensive team visit is anticipated for the fall of 2019, followed by a COA review for initial accreditation in February 2020. The institution's current status expires February 28, 2021.

The institution was granted candidate status at its last COA review on the basis that it evidences satisfactory compliance with ABHE's Institutional Accreditation Standards, including documentation of the appropriateness, rigor, and achievement of its stated student learning outcomes and all other Title IV eligibility requirements sufficient to warrant candidate (pre-accredited) status. In the COA's judgment, the institution is making satisfactory progress toward accreditation and shows promise of achieving accreditation within a maximum of five years. There were no significant deficiencies in satisfying the Institutional Accreditation Standards or the related Essential Elements within the Standards to suggest that the institution will not achieve accreditation within the five-year time limit for candidate status. The institution is currently in good standing with the ABHE Commission on Accreditation, and no sanctions (warning, probation, show cause why accreditation should be continued) are in effect.

Candidate status applies to the institution as a whole and includes all educational programs offered by the institution.

**SANCTIONS:**

**NONE**

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| <b>ACCREDITATION TYPE</b>       | Institutional |
| <b>CANDIDATE STATUS GRANTED</b> | 2016          |
| <b>LAST COMMISSION REVIEW</b>   | 2016          |
| <b>NEXT COMMISSION REVIEW</b>   | 2020          |

*The Association for Biblical Higher Education Commission on Accreditation is a national faith-related accrediting organization and is recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA). The ABHE Commission on Accreditation is an institutional and programmatic accreditor. Institutions that are institutionally accredited have been examined as a whole. Institutions that are programmatically accredited have specific programs that*

*have been reviewed in light of ABHE standards. This statement of accreditation information is the Commission's official statement of an institution's accredited status.*