



Cumberland Academy

“Where Every Child Can Succeed”

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Cumberland Academy of Georgia, Inc. Opens Doors to Special Needs Children

New Atlanta School to Provide Tailored Learning Experience for Students with High Functioning Asperger’s Syndrome and ADD/ADHD

Accepting enrollment applications now for the upcoming 2008-2009 school year

Cumberland Academy of Georgia, Inc., (www.cumberlandacademy.org), a new, private, non-profit independent school dedicated to students with special needs, opened its inaugural class in September 2007.

The inaugural year kicked off in many exciting ways. From rope courses, CPR/First Aid certification, social skills classes to “best practices” teaching methods; Cumberland Academy of Georgia is serving the needs of the special learner. Events this year included a trip to Space Camp in Huntsville, Alabama and cooking classes with local chefs. Cumberland Academy of Georgia has a philosophy of providing each child the instruction and opportunity to reach their full potential. Our pledge is to help each student discover their talents and discipline themselves to maximize their potential.

At Cumberland, we want to take the stress out of academic learning; therefore, our classes are taught with each individual student in mind. We strive to teach each student Georgia Academic Standards, utilizing their preferred learning style. Our ultimate goal is for our students to become independent, successful young adults. To reach this goal, we are teaching our students to demonstrate appropriate interpersonal skills while working collaboratively in groups.

Cumberland Academy of Georgia provides a tailored learning experience for students with high functioning Asperger’s Syndrome, learning disabilities, NVLD and ADD/ADHD. With a low student-to-teacher ratio of 8 to 1, Cumberland Academy of Georgia is designed for the needs of many students who do not learn well in traditional settings. Cumberland Academy of Georgia is fully accredited and addresses the student’s academic, emotional and social concerns through nurturing, innovative and challenging programs.

Cumberland Academy of Georgia is currently taking applications for grades 4 through 12. We are located at 650 Mt. Vernon Hwy NE, Atlanta, GA 30328. For more information please contact Floyd Bushey, Director of Operations, at 404.835.9000 or email floyd.bushey@cumberlandacademy.org.

OPEN HOUSE

Come visit Cumberland Academy of Georgia! Cumberland Academy of Georgia welcomes visitors every Wednesday night from 6:00-7:30 pm during the school year. Give us a call to hear about special open house dates scheduled on Saturday mornings/afternoons throughout the year.

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