Why Choose Grace

Relationships

Our low teacher-to-student ratio allows for personal relationships between teachers, students, and parents. GCS teachers give students individual attention, and they are well-equipped to identify students who need additional support, as well as those who can handle more advanced work. Teachers are in contact with parents and are invested in the success of their students.

We believe in intergrade mentoring through our Reading Buddies program, in which students from higher and lower grades come together on a regular basis. Older and younger students make friendships and become engaged in each other's lives, bringing unity to our student body. This unity is reinforced weekly at our full school Chapel program, and daily when all the students join together for lunch and recess.

Support

Learning support professionals are available for students who require additional help in reading and math. Because of our small class sizes, teachers quickly recognize individual student needs and take action to address them as appropriate.

GCS also welcomes several volunteers, many of them retired teachers, who enjoy visiting with students one on one to recover minor setbacks.

For students who require additional aids to facilitate learning, GCS will work with parents and case workers to help locate and obtain the proper equipment.

Development

It is our desire that each student at GCS will develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Along with academics, we teach the application of Biblical principles and how they relate to every aspect of life. Our students are individuals with God-given talents and abilities, and we strive to help them develop these so that they may serve and bring glory to the Lord.

In the GCS environment, students are taught to take responsibility for themselves, and to work both independently and cooperatively. Our goal is that every student will emerge from GCS confident in his or her worth as a child of Christ and prepared for the realities of living in a fallen world.

We encourage students to obey God's word through positive reinforcement, and they are taught to take ownership of their actions. We recognize that every child is in a different place in his or her walk with the Lord, and we administer love and grace as we lead students in their growing process.