

Dear Prospective Parents,

## Welcome to Heritage Academy!

Thank you for considering Heritage. Please schedule a tour so that we can meet you and share more with you and your student(s). We would love for you to become a part of the Heritage family.

When I attended Heritage, I loved the education, fine arts, sports programs, and environment. When I went to college, I was well prepared, and made money tutoring to help many who did not receive a quality high school education and needed help. After over 27 years as a teacher, coach, administrator, and principal in other schools I was very excited to come back 3 years ago to serve at what I believe is and has been one of the top schools in the tri-state area.

Heritage has dual accreditation with ASCI (Christian Accreditation) and Middle States (Secular Accreditation) for 4-year-old through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. We are also a Maryland State Approved school that meets or exceeds all state requirements. We have quality teachers and a friendly family environment. Our curriculum is designed to support the values that you are trying to instill at home. Our students are not perfect, but we have a friendly and welcoming environment that does not expose your students to many of the concerns that you would have in public school.

Our goal is to develop well-rounded students. Luke 2:52 tells us that Jesus grew academically (Knowledge), socially (Patriotism), physically, and spiritually (Bible Truth). We strive to have an environment that encourages students to develop in all areas. The foundation of Heritage Academy is to prepare the next generation through patriotism, Bible truth, and knowledge forged in faith.

## Why choose a Christian education when public schools are free?

- 1. Environment HA offers traditional education in a Christ-centered environment. The focus is on developing character in a safe setting where students can concentrate on learning.
- 2. Love HA offers qualified staff members who love and care for your children and are genuinely invested in helping them succeed.
- Academic Excellence With a firm academic foundation that exceeds public school standards,
  HA students have a track record of performing very well on the SAT and being accepted to the
  college of their choice.

- 4. Family HA partners with parents/guardians to help students reach their full God-given potential and fosters a family friendly environment where parents are encouraged to be active and involved.
- 5. Bible The Bible is the foundation of an HA education. HA strives to help develop a close relationship with the Lord and gain a Biblical world view.

Your question is, "Why should I send my children to HA?" My question is, "Why wouldn't you?" Your children are your most important treasured gift. Why not put them in an environment where they will be loved and cared for, a place that will help mold their character in a positive way and help them grow into the person God created them to be?

We hope that you will consider the Heritage family. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

In Christ,

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