

GIGGLE MAGAZINE'S 2022

# **EDUCATION GUIDE**

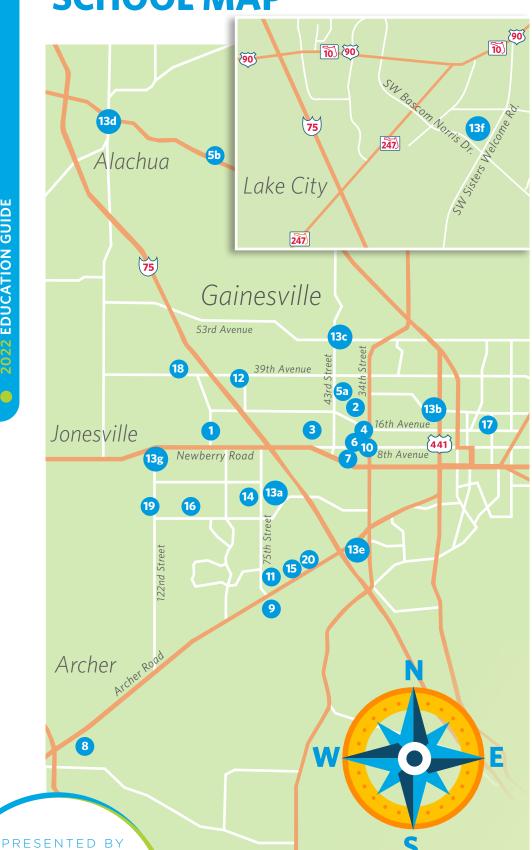
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Your guide to early childhood education, private schools, charter schools, homeschooling and afterschool programs in Alachua County.

GREATER GAINESVILLE CHAMBER

### **SCHOOL MAP**



#### 1. Abiding Savior Lutheran Preschool

9700 W Newberry Rd. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 331-7770 abidingsavior.info

#### 2. B'nai Israel

Community Day School 3830 NW 16th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 376-1508 bnaiisraelcds.org

#### 3. Brentwood School

1111 NW 55th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 373-3222 gobrentwoodschool.com

#### 4. Cornerstone Academy

1520 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 378-9337 cornerstoneacademy.school

#### 5. Education Station & Preschool

A. 2411 NW 41st St. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 335-0026 B. 13851 Tech City Circle Alachua, FL 32615 (386) 588-3221 educationstationandpreschool.com

#### 6. Gainesville Christian

Community School 3536 NW 8th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 363-6322 gainesvilleccs.org

#### 7. Huntington Learning Center

3822 W Newberry Rd., Suite A Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 448-6888 huntingtonhelps.com/center/ gainesville-fl

#### 8. Jordan Glen School & Summer Camp

12425 SW 154th St. Archer, FL 32618 (352) 495-2728 jordanglen.org

#### 9. Kiddie Academy

6476 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 264-7724 kiddieacademy.com

#### 10. Little Warriors Day School

3536 NW 8th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 300-7999 gainesvilleccs.org

#### 11. Mathnasium Gainesville

5835 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 519-4369 mathnasium.com/gainesville

#### 12. Millhopper Montessori School

8505 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 375-6773 millhopper.com

#### **13.** O2B Kids

**A.** 7383 SW 17th Rd. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 268-8833 **B.** 1555 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 268-9266 **C.** 4929 NW 43rd St. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 268-9367

**D.** 14400 NW 152nd Ln. Alachua, FL 32615 (386) 204-3315

**E.** 3989 SW 37th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 268-9097

**F.** 1171 SW Bascom Norris Dr. Lake City, FL 32025 (352) 290-4710

**G. Coming Soon** 12186 NW 7th Pl. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 280-3322

(352) 280-3322 o2bkids.com

#### 14. Oak Hall School

1700 SW 75th St., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-3609 oakhall.org

#### 15. Orange Blossom Prep

6200 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 375-8900 orangeblossomprep.com

#### 16. Queen of Peace Catholic Academy

10900 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-8808 qopacademy.org

#### 17. Resilience Charter School

1717-A NE 9th St. Gainesville, FL 32609 (352) 226-8675 resiliencecharter.org

#### 18. Saint Francis Catholic Academy

4100 NW 115th Ter. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 376-6545 sfcawolves.org

#### 19. The Academy at The Family Church

2022 SW 122nd St. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 642-1290 academyatfamily.com

#### 20. The Einstein School

5910 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 335-4321 emschool.org

### IMPORTANT EVENTS

#### Starting Monday, January 17th

### The Academy at The Family Church Fall 2022 VPK Enrollment

2022 SW 122nd Street Gainesville, FL 32607 academyatfamily.com 10:00 a.m.

Registration open to the general public beginning January 17, 2022 for Fall VPK. Registration accepted year round for available classroom openings. Tours are available by appointment.

#### Monday, January 24th

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church Open Enrollment for 2022/2023 School Year 9700 W Newberry Rd. Gainesville, FL 32606 9:00 a.m. abidingsavior.info

#### Tuesday, January 25th

#### B'nai Israel Community Day School Open Enrollment 3830 NW 16th Blvd.

Gainesville, FL 32605 7:30 a.m.

bnaiisraelcds.org/enrollment-form-preschool

#### **Starting** Saturday, January 29th

#### Oak Hall School

Saturday Campus Tours 1700 SW 75th St., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607

oakhall.org/admissions/campus-tours 8:30 a.m.

OHS administrators and staff host welcome tours monthly in the spring to introduce prospective families and students to the OHS community. Saturday tours provide an in-depth look at the campus, classroom, curriculum, and program offerings. 2022 Tour Dates: 1/29, 2/26, 3/12, 4/2, 5/14

#### Monday, January 31st

#### Saint Francis Catholic Academy Open House

4100 NW 115th Ter. Gainesville, FL 32606 4:00 p.m. sfcawolves.org

Join us on January 31, 2022 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. for our Saint Francis Catholic Academy's Open House. Take the opportunity to tour our beautiful campus, meet our faculty, staff and students, learn about our amazing academic programs, various sports and clubs and explore all that Saint Francis has to offer your student.

#### Before Thursday, February 3rd Resilience Charter School Early Admissions Lottery

Gainesville, FL 32609
resiliencecharter.org/admissions
Apply before February 3, 2022 for
Early Admission! Regular Admission
Lotteries occur on the first Thursday
of each month thereafter.

#### continuous events

### Jordan Glen School & Summer Camp

Personal Tours and Open Enrollment 12425 SW 154th St.

Archer, FL 32618 jordanglen.org

1717-A NE 9th St.

Contact us to learn more about Jordan Glen and to schedule a tour.

#### Orange Blossom Prep Open Enrollment/Tours

6200 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608

orangeblossomprep.com

We are always here with open arms for new families, so come explore our rooms and meet our teachers. Our hours of operation are 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

#### Queen of Peace Catholic Academy New Family Tours, Open Enrollment 10900 SW 24th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32607 qopacademy.org

Everyone is welcome! Explore our website at www.qopacademy.org to learn about our curriculum, arts, athletics, and clubs. Follow us on social media, attend a tour, or apply online. The Academy is now accepting scholarships which can be found on the Admission page of our website. For more information, or to schedule a tour, please contact Darlene Coogan at 352-448-4552, or you can email Darlene at dscoogan@qopacademy.org. We hope to see you soon on campus!



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# Education

#### A&M 4 Kids INC.

2207 NW 10th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Abacus Learning Center**

5205 SW 91st Dr. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### **Abiding Savior Lutheran Preschool**

9700 W Newberry Rd. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 331-7770 abidingsavior.info

Admissions: barden@abidingsavior.info **Specialty:** Our foundation is based on a constant supply of love and nurturing, a focus on Christ, and the fostering of a close family feeling in a classroom "home."

Ages: Preschool Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8 for 4yr. olds, 1:7 for 3yr. olds, 1:6 for

2yr. olds **Annual Tuition:** Varies by program choice **Financial Aid: No FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 66** 

#### A Child's Academy

**1.** 3401 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 2. 5240 NW 8th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### A Child's Dream **Gainesville Preschool**

4127 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### A Hidden Child's World

3237 SW 41st Pl. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### **Angels Christian Academy LLC**

1907 SE Hawthorne Rd. Gainesville, FL 32641

#### A World of Angels

1119 NW 42nd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Baby Gator Child Development and Research Center**

1. 793 Corry Circle Gainesville, FL 32611 2. 1244 Newell Dr. Gainesville, FL 32610 3. 305 Diamond Village Rd., #17 Gainesville, FL 32603

#### **Bhaktivedanta Academy**

17414 NW 112th Blvd. Alachua, FL 32615

#### **B'nai Israel Community Day School**

3830 NW 16th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 376-1508 bnaiisraelcds.org **Admissions:** Hannah Rynning Specialty: Our goal is for our children to leave us with the tools to be successful as leaders in

any community. Ages: Infants - 2nd Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4** Infants, 1:6 1 yr. olds, 1:9 2 yr. olds, 1:10 3 yr. olds, 1:11 Pre-K **Annual Tuition:** Visit website for current rates and fees. Financial Aid: Limited availability

#### **Brentwood School**

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1111 NW 55th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 373-3222 gobrentwoodschool.com **Specialty:** One of Gainesville's oldest and most trusted private schools since 1971 Ages: Age 2 - 5th Grade **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 67** 

#### Child's Delight At Eden Park

1340 NE 39th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Cornerstone Academy**

1520 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 378-9337 cornerstoneacademy.school **Admissions:** Amber Livingston **Specialty:** It is our commitment to offer the best opportunity for your child's academic achievement, character growth, and spiritual education. Ages: K4 - 12th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15** 

**Annual Tuition: Please** contact school

**Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 70** 

#### Countryside **Christian School**

10926 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### **Cuddly Kids Academy**

1023 SE 4th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Education Station** & Preschool

1. 2411 NW 41st St. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 335-0026 2. 13851 Tech City Circle Alachua, FL 32615 (386) 588-3221

educationstationandpreschool.com **Admissions** 

office@educationstationandpreschool.com **Specialty:** Year-round instruction and care for children ages 6-weeks to 5-years.

Ages: 6-weeks to Pre-Kindergarten **Teacher/Student Ratio:** 6-weeks to 1-years- 1:4, 1-2 years- 1:6, 2-3 years-1:11, 3+1:15 **Annual Tuition: \$8.840-\$12.420** 

**Financial Aid: No FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 63** 

#### First Christian Academy

24530 NW 199th Ln. High Springs, FL 32643

#### **First Presbyterian** Preschool

106 SW 3rd St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### Flowers Montessori

3111 NW 31st Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### **Fumpers Preschool at First United Methodist**

419 NE 1st St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Gainesville Country Day School**

1. 2304 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32607 2. 6801 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32607

#### **Granny D's Learning Center**

1300 NW 6th St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Greenfield Preschool**

21805 W Newberry Rd. Newberry, FL 32669

#### **Hand N Hand Christian Child Care Center**

1936 NW 6th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Holy Trinity Episcopal** School of Gainesville

301 N Main St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Imagine Learning Center**

4840 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### It's About Kids

24621 Dr. Karelas Dr. Newberry, FL 32669

#### Jonesville **Preparatory Preschool**

379 NW 136th St. Newberry, FL 32669

#### **Jordan Glen School &** Summer Camp

12425 SW 154th St. Archer, FL 32618 (352) 495-2728 jordanglen.org **Admissions:** Jeremy Primosch **Specialty:** Non-secular private school on 20 acres providing an enriching, nurturing, and challenging experience. Ages: Pre-K through 8th Grade

**Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7 Annual Tuition:** Call for pricing **Financial Aid: Yes** 

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#### **Just a Blessing Child Care**

7510 NW 4th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32607



### O2B KIDS











**Ages:** Preschool: Infants - 5 years; Afterschool/Summer Camp: 5 years - 13 years. **Teacher/Student Ratio:** Varies based on classroom and age. **Annual Tuition:** Varies

based on program.

**Financial Aid:** Yes

Want to know a secret? Teaching preschoolers their colors, shapes, letters, numbers and how to count - that's the easy part for teachers like us at O2B Kids! The real question is...will they learn how to THINK for themselves? Will they learn how to make smart decisions and form their own opinions? Will they learn to problem solve and manage their emotions? Will they learn how to make friends, actively listen and ask questions? At O2B Kids our INTEGRATED LEARNING SYSTEM prepares your child academically, socially, and emotionally. We are passionate about Early Childhood Education and work together with you, the parent, to ensure that your child's learning goals are met...all while instilling a love for LEARNING!

So how do we do it? We offer kids variety. We expose kids to a wide array of activities. We also talk to kids. We ask meaningful questions and have real conversations. And this begins with children as young as infants too! Research proves that the first five years are key for brain development. Our curriculum is based on learning through play and we know experiences wire the brain. The more experiences the better, especially in young children. We're building the foundation for a thinking brain...and we're passionate about it!

Founded in Gainesville in 1998, O2B Kids now has twenty-five locations across Florida and Georgia and more on the way in 2022. With five NATIONALLY ACCREDITED schools right here in Alachua County and one more opening soon on Parker & Newberry Rd., O2B Kids provides an unparalleled education for INFANTS, TODDLERS, and PRESCHOOL CHILDREN. O2B Kids also provides afterschool care, summer camp programs, and enrichment classes for children up to age 13. While our programs and facilities vary by location, our commitment to ENRICHMENT variety, ENGAGING play, and lifelong learning guides us every day in what we do! We're the school that both YOU and your child will LOVE!

#### o2bkids.com

- 1. Supercenter: 7383 SW 17th Rd., Gainesville, FL 32607, (352) 268-8833 2. Midtown: 1555 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605, (352) 268-9266 3. Hunter's Crossing: 4929 NW 43rd St. Gainesville, FL 32606, (352) 268-9367
- 4. Alachua: 14400 NW 152nd Ln., Alachua, FL 32615, (386) 204-3315 5. Archer Road: 3989 SW 37th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32608, (352) 268-9097 6. Lake City: 1171 SW Bascom Norris Dr., Lake City, FL 32025, (352) 290-4710 7. Coming Soon - Newberry Park: 12186 NW 7th Pl., Gainesville, FL 32607, (352) 280-3322

#### **Kiddie Academy**

6476 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 264-7724 kiddieacademy.com Admissions: Shanie Carmon **Specialty:** Kiddie Academy provides the perfect balance of childcare and learning. Ages: 6 weeks - 12 years **Teacher/Student Ratio:** State ratios **Annual Tuition:** Varies by age

#### **Kidworks**

1. 3003 NW 53rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32653 2. 120 SW 130th Way Tioga, FL 32669

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#### La Petite Academy

2755 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### Lee's Fun to Learn **Day Care**

18129 Douglas St. High Springs, FL 32643

#### Lee's Preschool and **Nursery Center**

14017 NW 166th Pl. Alachua, FL 32615

#### Lil' Scholars Learning Academy

3520 NW 13th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Little Angels Child Care** and Learning Center

14821 NW US Hwy 441 Alachua, FL 32615

#### **Little Warriors Day School**

3536 NW 8th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 300-7999 gainesvilleccs.org **Admissions:** Ebony Batie **Specialty:** Specializing in Pre-K readiness Ages: 12 months - 4 years **Teacher/Student Ratio: DCF** regulated by age group **Annual Tuition: \$6,720 Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 67** 

#### **Living Springs Academy** 23901 NW 212th Ave.

High Springs, FL 32643

#### **Love N Care Christian Learning Center**

Westwood Hills Church Of God 1520 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### **Love-N-Care Preschool**

12440 NW US Highway 441 Alachua, FL 32615

#### Martin-Rochelle **Learning Center**

13645 State Road 45 Archer, FL 32618

#### Millhopper Montessori **School**

8505 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 375-6773 millhopper.com **Admissions:** Amilda Clark Specialty: At Millhopper Montessori School, our family of professionals is big enough to offer a complete curriculum and small enough to know your child. **Grades:** Age 2 through 8th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6 to 1:13 **Annual Tuition:** \$11,415 - \$13,265 **Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 69** 

#### **O2BKids**

#### 1. Supercenter:

7383 SW 17th Rd. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 268-8833

#### 2. Midtown:

1555 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 268-9266

#### 3. Hunter's Crossing:

4929 NW 43rd St. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 268-9367

#### 4. Alachua:

14400 NW 152nd Ln. Alachua, FL 32615 (386) 204-3315

#### 5. Archer Road:

3989 SW 37th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 268-9097

#### 6. Lake City:

1171 SW Bascom Norris Dr. Lake City, FL 32025 (352) 290-4710

#### 7. Coming Soon - Newberry Park

12186 NW 7th Pl. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 280-3322 o2bkids.com

#### **Admissions:** Jill Parent

**Specialty:** We are passionate about Early Childhood Education and work together with you, the parent, to ensure that your child's education goals are met...all while instilling a love for LEARNING! Ages: Preschool: Infants - 5 years; Afterschool/Summer Camp: 5 years - 13 years.

**Teacher/Student Ratio: Varies** based on classroom and age. **Annual Tuition:** Varies based on program.

**Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 57** 

#### Oak Hall School

1700 SW 75th St., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-3609 oakhall.org

Admissions: Nancy Coleman **Specialty:** Oak Hall School is an independent, college preparatory school with a robust academic, artistic, and athletic program offering. Ages: 3-year-old Preschool

through Grade 12 **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15** 

**Annual Tuition: \$16,830 Financial Aid: Yes** 

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#### Open Arms Child **Development Center**

1823 NW 5th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32603

#### **Orange Blossom Prep** 6200 SW Archer Rd.

Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 375-8900 orangeblossomprep.com **Admissions:** Dalaina Middleton **Specialty:** We believe that some of the most profound lessons can happen during everyday moments.

Ages: 6 weeks to 11 years old Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4 to 1:15 **Annual Tuition:** Varies depending on program

**Financial Aid:** No **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 66** 

#### **Persimmon Early Learning Academy**

1121 NW 6th St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### Pinewood School

1704 NE 9th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Pumpkin Patch Day Care Center**

6105 SE 205th St. Hawthorne, FL 32640

#### **Queen of Peace Catholic Academy**

10900 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-8808 qopacademy.org

Admissions: Darlene Coogan **Specialty:** Queen of Peace Catholic Academy has dedicated and caring staff who dedicate their lives to providing a conducive and welcoming environment for all students of all faiths.

Grades: Pre-K to 8th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12 Annual Tuition:** \$6,600 - \$9,050 **Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 62** 

#### Santa Fe College **Little School**

3000 NW 83rd St. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### **Small World Daycare and Learning Center**

1214 NW 4th St. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Smokey Bear Kiddy College**

2500 NE 15th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Sonshine Day Preschool at Westside Baptist Church**

10000 W Newberry Rd. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### **Saint Anne Early Learning Center**

4300 W Newberry Rd. Gainesville, FL 32607

#### Saint Patrick **Interparish School**

550 NE 16th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **Step By Step Childcare And Learning Center**

2211 NW 40th Ter. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### **Stepping Stones Preschool at Trinity United Methodist Church**

4000 NW 53rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32653



# **HUNTINGTON LEARNING CENTER**









Ages: K - 12th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:1
Annual Tuition: Call for Details
Financial Aid: Yes

Huntington Learning Center is a chain of educational service centers in the United States. Huntington is the oldest provider of supplemental educational services for primary and secondary students in the U.S since 1977.

The center offers academic tutoring services in reading, math, writing, phonics, vocabulary, spelling, study skills, subject-specific tutoring, and exam preparation. For all ages, non-readers work with a teacher on a one-to-one basis in order to ensure they receive the extra level of attention they require. Other basic skills students work with a teacher in a four-to-one setting in order to allow for a balance of individual attention and independent practice. We also specialize in helping high school students prepare for the SAT and ACT. We customize an individualized program to fit each student to increase their test scores so they can get into the college of their dreams.

3822 W Newberry Rd., Suite A, Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 448-7100 | huntingtonhelps.com/center/gainesville-fl

### MATHNASIUM GAINESVILLE









Ages: 2nd - 12th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:3 Tuition: Monthly memberships start at \$269 Financial Aid: No

Mathnasium of Gainesville is your neighborhood math-only learning center! We help kids in grades 2-12 grow their foundational math abilities and problem-solving skills. Whether your student is advanced seeking enrichment, or struggling and in need of assistance to catch up, every child is unique. Mathnasium creates customized learning plans for each student. The result is a deeper understanding of concepts, improved performance, and greater self-confidence. This aids students in their math homework, classroom tests, standardized tests (i.e. FSA, EOC, SAT, ACT), future education, and career opportunities!

5835 SW 75th St., Gainesville, FL 32608 | (352) 519-4369 | mathnasium.com/gainesville

#### **Sun Country Sports West Sunny's Pre-school**

333 SW 140th Ter. Jonesville, FL 32669

#### **The Academy At The Family Church**

2022 SW 122nd St. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 642-1290 academyatfamily.com **Admissions:** Sandy Baker **Specialty:** A Florida Coalition of Christian Private Schools accredited school that partners with parents to raise up confident and godly children.

Ages: 8 weeks through 1st Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: Varies by age **Annual Tuition:** Call for pricing **Financial Aid: No FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 61** 

#### The Child's Garden

1497 NW 16th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### The Kidz House

4232 NW 6th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **The Premier Preschool**

10 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32607

#### The Rock School

9818 SW 24th Ave., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607

#### Windsor Christian **Academy**

918 SE County Rd. 234 Gainesville, FL 32641

#### Bhaktivedanta Academy

17414 NW 112th Blvd. Alachua, FL 32615

#### **B'nai Israel Community Day School**

3830 NW 16th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 376-1508 bnaiisraelcds.org **Admissions:** Hannah Rynning Specialty: Our goal is for our children to leave us with the tools to be successful as leaders in any community.

Ages: Infants - 2nd Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4 Infants, 1:6 1 yr. olds, 1:9 2 yr. olds, 1:10 3 yr. olds, 1:11 Pre-K

**Annual Tuition:** Visit website for current rates and fees.

Financial Aid: Limited availability **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 61** 

#### **Brentwood School**

1111 NW 55th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 373-3222 gobrentwoodschool.com Specialty: One of Gainesville's oldest and most trusted private schools since 1971 Ages: Age 2 - 5th Grade **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 67** 

#### Cornerstone Academy

1520 NW 34th St. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 378-9337 cornerstoneacademy.school **Admissions:** Amber Livingston **Specialty:** It is our commitment to offer the best opportunity for your child's academic achievement, character growth, and spiritual education.

Ages: K4 - 12th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15 Annual Tuition: Please** contact school Financial Aid: Yes **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 70** 

#### **Christian Life Academy**

12000 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### Countryside Christian School

10926 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### **Elevations Learning** Academy

207 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32609

#### **Gainesville Christian Community School** 3536 NW 8th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 363-6322 gainesvilleccs.org Admissions: James Schrader Specialty: If you are interested in our school, please give us a call to set up a tour today! Grades: K5 - 12th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20 Annual Tuition: \$8,930** 

**Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 62** 

#### **Gainesville Country Day School**

1. 2304 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32607 2. 6801 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32607

#### Jordan Glen School & **Summer Camp**

12425 SW 154th St.

Archer, FL 32618 (352) 495-2728 jordanglen.org **Admissions:** Jeremy Primosch Specialty: Non-secular private school on 20 acres providing an enriching, nurturing, and challenging experience. Ages: Pre-K through 8th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7 Annual Tuition:** Call for pricing

**Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 65** 

#### Millhopper Montessori School

8505 NW 39th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 375-6773 millhopper.com Admissions: Amilda Clark Specialty: At Millhopper Montessori School, our family of professionals is big enough to offer a complete curriculum and small enough to know your child **Grades:** Age 2 through 8th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6 to 1:13 **Annual Tuition:** \$11,415 - \$13,265

#### **Oak Hall School**

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1700 SW 75th St., Suite B

**Financial Aid: Yes** 

Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-3609 oakhall.org Admissions: Nancy Coleman **Specialty:** Oak Hall School is an independent, college preparatory school with a robust

academic, artistic, and athletic program offering. Ages: 3-year-old Preschool through Grade 12 **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15 Annual Tuition: \$16,830** Financial Aid: Yes **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 72** 

#### Passage Christian Academy

5121 E University Ave. Gainesville, FL 32641

#### **Queen of Peace Catholic Academy** 10900 SW 24th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-8808 qopacademy.org Admissions: Darlene Coogan Specialty: Oueen of Peace Catholic Academy has dedicated and caring staff who dedicate their lives to providing a conducive and welcoming environment for all students of all faiths.

Grades: Pre-K to 8th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12 Annual Tuition:** \$6,600 - \$9,050 **Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 62** 

#### Saint Patrick Interparish School

550 NE 16th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **The Academy At The Family Church**

2022 SW 122nd St. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 642-1290 academyatfamily.com Admissions: Sandy Baker **Specialty:** A Florida Coalition of Christian Private Schools accredited school that partners with parents to raise up confident and godly children. Ages: 8 weeks through 1st Grade

Teacher/Student Ratio: Varies by age **Annual Tuition:** Call for pricing **Financial Aid: No** 

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#### The Rock School

9818 SW 24th Ave., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607

#### Trilogy School

8700 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

#### **Windsor Christian** Academy

918 SE County Rd. 234 Gainesville, FL 32641

#### **Z L Sung Adventist Academy**

2115 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### Middle Schools

#### **Bhaktivedanta Academy**

17414 NW 112th Blvd. Alachua, FL 32615



# **B'NAI ISRAEL COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL**





**Ages:** Infants - 2nd Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio:** 1:4 Infants, 1:6 1 yr. olds, 1:9 2 yr. olds, 1:10 3 yr. olds, 1:11 Pre-K **Tuition:** Visit website for current rates and fees **Financial Aid:** Limited Availability

At B'nai Israel Community Day School we are committed to providing a well-rounded education that encompasses all areas of development. We implement play-based learning in our classrooms to create a culture where children feel free to explore and become the unique individuals that they were meant to be. Our goal is to create a lifelong love of learning by carefully creating learning environments that both engage and educate. Our specials include a dynamic nature program that fulfills a child's natural desire to explore and discover the world around them and music and movement. Studies have shown that participating in music and movement improves children's memory, cognitive development, and expressive abilities. We pride ourselves on our inclusivity by welcoming children of all faiths and backgrounds into our school.

3830 NW 16th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32605 | (352) 376-1508 | bnaiisraelcds.org

### THE ACADEMY AT THE FAMILY CHURCH







Ages: 8 weeks through 1st Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: Varies by age
Tuition: Call for Pricing
Financial Aid: No

For 11 years, the Academy has been educating students and partnering with parents to raise up confident and godly children. Our private Christian school offers small classroom sizes that keep children safe with proper supervision. Our valued, caring and qualified staff believe scripture is an important part of everyday life, sharing and teaching the Bible daily through stories and songs. In collaboration with our biblical training, we incorporate fun, creative and physical play activities into our plan. We use the Abeka curriculum for Elementary grades and state-approved curricula with our VPK and younger classes. Enrichment opportunities, summer camp and public school holiday care is also available. We are accredited through the Florida Coalition of Christian Private Schools & DCF. Florida Empowerment Scholarship and Florida Tax Credit scholarships are accepted.

2022 SW 122nd St., Gainesville, FL 32607 | (352) 642-1290 | academyatfamily.com

### **GAINESVILLE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL**









Ages: K5 - 12th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20
Annual Tuition: \$8,930
Financial Aid: Yes

Gainesville Christian Community School (GCCS) offers a private education for children from kindergarten – 12th grade. GCCS started in 2013 with eighty students and we have had significant growth each year. In fact, next year we will open our new gymnasium with 27 new classrooms! Our elementary program offers small class sizes and experienced teachers and staff. Our academics include Latin and music classes as well as core subjects. Our MS/HS teachers are subject area certified teachers who love sharing God with youth. We offer rigorous core subjects such as chemistry, Math for College Readiness, Anatomy and Physiology, and electives such as drama, robotics, philosophy, critical thinking/logic, and much more. Our academically ready students can also enter the Dual Enrollment program at Santa Fe College in Gainesville or Gateway College in Lake City. We also have a well-rounded athletic program. Come join us as we grow and share God's love in our community.

3536 NW 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32605 | (352) 363-6322 | gainesvilleccs.org

### QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC ACADEMY









Ages: Pre-K to 8th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
Annual Tuition: \$6,600 - \$9,050
Financial Aid: Yes

The Academy is an educational community in which faculty and families work together to provide students with exceptional academics within a spiritual foundation used intentionally and strategically to help students learn, deepen their critical thinking skills and open doors to new educational opportunities.

We encourage students to embrace knowledge through the Arts, S.T.R.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, Math), Foreign Languages, Advanced Math, Robotics, and the Sciences.

The Academy continues to create a happy, productive, and engaging environment by offering diverse opportunities that allow students to develop their unique strengths within a challenging curriculum. The Academy attracts students of diverse talents and experiences. We meet the challenging academic needs of all students through differentiated instruction while developing a sense of understanding and the courage to act on their beliefs in a moral and intellectual way.

10900 SW 24th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32607 | (352) 332-8808 | qopacademy.org

## **EDUCATION STATION & PRESCHOOL**













**Ages:** 6-weeks to Pre-Kindergarten **Teacher/Student Ratio:** 6-weeks to 1-years- 1:4, 1-2 years- 1:6, 2-3 years- 1:11, 3+ 1:15

**Annual Tuition:** \$8,840-\$12,420

Financial Aid: No

We base our philosophy and approach at Education Station & Preschool on years of education, experience, and research. We believe that given the proper environment, nurturing, and tools, all children can grow and develop into successful and adaptable adults. We provide that environment for families in the Gainesville area.

We use a set of core values to guide our decision-making.

- Welcoming Community. We want our school to be welcoming to you and your family always, whoever you are.
- Valued Individuals. We respect and value each unique individual in our community, Your voices, and your values.
- Teachers-first; Child-focused. We are educators who are enthusiastic about learning, and we ensure the needs of our children come first.
- Open, Honest, Effective Communication. We believe proactive communication is the foundation for healthy relationships.
- Forward Thinking Leadership. We anticipate, plan, reflect, and replan so that we can always be moving forward positively.

The children in our care have a variety of experiences that encourage and strengthen their skills and abilities and enhance their development in critical areas like fine and gross motor skills, social and emotional skills, scientific exploration, mathematical thinking, visual literacy, verbal expression, emerging reading and writing skills, and beginning technology skills. Our teachers implement a professionally prepared curriculum designed to create engaging opportunities for learning in these areas. We provide these enriching experiences in a loving, safe, healthy, and developmentally appropriate way. We also offer freshly made and healthful meals and snacks.

At ES&P, our mission is to give children a better early learning experience. We work in concert with parents and caregivers to create a welcoming learning environment and build lasting relationships. We will help raise the children in our care to reach their full potential and become happy, healthy adults with a lifelong love of learning.

educationstationandpreschool.com

- **1.** 2411 NW 41st St., Gainesville, FL 32606 | (352) 335-0026
- 2. 13851 Tech City Circle, Alachua, FL 32615 | (386) 588-3221

12000 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### **Cornerstone Academy**

1520 NW 34th St.
Gainesville, FL 32605
(352) 378-9337
cornerstoneacademy.school
Admissions: Amber Livingston
Specialty: It is our commitment
to offer the best opportunity
for your child's academic
achievement, character growth,
and spiritual education.
Ages: K4 - 12th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
Annual Tuition: Please
contact school
Financial Aid: Yes

#### Countryside Christian School

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10926 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

### Gainesville Christian Community School

3536 NW 8th Ave.
Gainesville, FL 32605
(352) 363-6322
gainesvilleccs.org
Admissions: James Schrader
Specialty: If you are interested in
our school, please give us a call
to set up a tour today!
Grades: K5 - 12th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20
Annual Tuition: \$8,930
Financial Aid: Yes
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### Jordan Glen School & Summer Camp

12425 SW 154th St.
Archer, FL 32618
(352) 495-2728
jordanglen.org
Admissions: Jeremy Primosch
Specialty: Non-secular private
school on 20 acres providing
an enriching, nurturing, and
challenging experience.
Ages: Pre-K through 8th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
Annual Tuition: Call for pricing
Financial Aid: Yes
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#### Millhopper Montessori School

8505 NW 39th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32606
(352) 375-6773
millhopper.com
Admissions: Amilda Clark
Specialty: At Millhopper
Montessori School, our family
of professionals is big enough to
offer a complete curriculum and
small enough to know your child.
Grades: Age 2 through 8th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6 to 1:13
Annual Tuition: \$11,415 - \$13,265
Financial Aid: Yes
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#### **Oak Hall School**

1700 SW 75th St., Suite B
Gainesville, FL 32607
(352) 332-3609
oakhall.org
Admissions: Nancy Coleman
Specialty: Oak Hall School is
an independent, college
preparatory school with a robust
academic, artistic, and athletic
program offering.
Ages: 3-year-old Preschool

Ages: 3-year-old Preschool through Grade 12 Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15 Annual Tuition: \$16,830 Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 72

### Passage Christian Academy

5121 E University Ave. Gainesville, FL 32641

#### Queen of Peace Catholic Academy 10900 SW 24th Ave.

Gainesville, FL 32607
(352) 332-8808
qopacademy.org
Admissions: Darlene Coogan
Specialty: Queen of Peace
Catholic Academy has dedicated
and caring staff who dedicate
their lives to providing a
conducive and welcoming
environment for all students
of all faiths.

Grades: Pre-K to 8th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
Annual Tuition: \$6,600 - \$9,050
Financial Aid: Yes
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#### Saint Patrick Interparish School

550 NE 16th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **The Rock School**

9818 SW 24th Ave., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607

#### **Trilogy School**

8700 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

### Windsor Christian Academy

918 SE County Rd. 234 Gainesville, FL 32641

### Z L Sung Adventist Academy

2115 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### High Schools

#### **Bhaktivedanta Academy**

17414 NW 112th Blvd. Alachua, FL 32615

#### **Christian Life Academy**

12000 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608

1520 NW 34th St.

#### **Cornerstone Academy**

Gainesville, FL 32605
(352) 378-9337
cornerstoneacademy.school
Admissions: Amber Livingston
Specialty: It is our commitment
to offer the best opportunity
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and spiritual education.
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Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
Annual Tuition: Please
contact school
Financial Aid: Yes

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Annual Tuition: \$8,930
Financial Aid: Yes
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#### **Oak Hall School**

1700 SW 75th St. Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 332-3609 oakhall.org Admissions: Nancy Coleman Specialty: Oak Hall School is an independent, college preparatory school with a robust academic, artistic, and athletic program offering.

Ages: 3-year-old Preschool through Grade 12

Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15

Annual Tuition: \$16,830

### Passage Christian Academy

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**Financial Aid: Yes** 

5121 E University Ave. Gainesville, FL 32641

### Saint Francis Catholic Academy

4100 NW 115th Ter. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 376-6545 sfcawolves.org Admissions: Sandra Fallo at sfallo@sfcawolves.org **Specialty:** Saint Francis Catholic Academy is a four-year, coeducational, AP Capstone, Catholic high school established in North Central Florida in 2004, by the Diocese of St. Augustine. Ages: 9th - 12th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12 Annual Tuition: \$9,400 Financial Aid: Yes** 

#### The Rock School

9818 SW 24th Ave., Suite B Gainesville, FL 32607

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#### **Trilogy School**

8700 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32606

### Windsor Christian Academy

918 SE County Rd. 234 Gainesville, FL 32641

### Z L Sung Adventist Academy

2115 NW 39th Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### **Charter Schools**

#### Alachua Learning Academy

1100 W State Rd. 235 Alachua, FL 32615

#### **Boulware Springs Charter School**

1303 NE 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32609



GREATER GAINESVILLE CHAMBER

# JORDAN GLEN SCHOOL & SUMMER CAMP





Ages: Pre-K through 8th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7 Annual Tuition: Call for pricing Financial Aid: Yes

Celebrating 50 years, Jordan Glen is a hidden gem that has produced countless alumni that credit it with providing some of the happiest memories of their childhood. The school is situated in SW Gainesville on 20 beautiful acres. Walk around our grounds and it will be apparent why our school is such a special place.





We have a strong commitment to academic excellence and value individual differences and personal, social, and global responsibility. Our experienced educators give us the opportunity to understand each child's specific creative, social, emotional, and intellectual needs.

We are advocates of children and childhood. We want our children to enjoy their time spent away from home and feel that we exemplify our belief that the joy of living and love of learning need never be separated.

12425 SW 154th St., Archer, FL 32618 | (352) 495-2728 | jordanglen.org

### RESILIENCE CHARTER SCHOOL





Ages: 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20 Annual Tuition: Free Public Charter





Resilience Charter is a student-centered school where curiosity and exploration drive the learning process and where community and social-emotional support are as important as academic growth. We use restorative practices to ensure all students, staff, and families feel safe, respected, and supported, and our small school size allows us to develop close personal relationships with students. Our mission centers around project-based learning, environmental stewardship, innovation, and social justice. We are extremely proud of our incredible students and the strong community they have helped us build together.

1717-A NE 9th St., Gainesville, FL 32609 | (352) 226-8675 | resiliencecharter.org

### ABIDING SAVIOR LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL









Ages: Preschool

**Teacher/Student Ratio:** 1:8 for 4yr. olds, 1:7 for 3yr. olds, 1:6 for 2yr. olds **Tuition:** Varies by program choice

**Financial Aid:** No

Abiding Savior Lutheran Preschool has been serving young children in the Gainesville area for 25 years and counting. Enrollment for current school year is ongoing.

Our Preschool 2s, 3s, and 4s classes provide a Christ-centered developmentally appropriate curriculum through play as well as teach skills for school readiness.

Call now or visit our website to reserve your spot for the 2022-2023 school year .Open enrollment begins on Monday, January 24, 2022.

9700 West Newberry Rd., Gainesville, FL 32606 | (352) 331-7770 | abidingsavior.info

### **ORANGE BLOSSOM PREP**









Ages: 6 weeks to 11 years old Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4 to 1:15 Annual Tuition: Varies

**Annual Tuition:** Varies depending on program **Financial Aid:** No

Orange Blossom Prep begins with the early stages of development in a creative, educational, and encouraging environment for all of our children. Our teachers are committed to providing your child's natural inclination for exploration and investigation to create fun, flexible learning experiences that foster well-rounded development. We also offer enrichment classes including Spanish, beginner's yoga, and sign language. It is within this supportive and non-pressured setting that young children acquire a sense of security, positive self-esteem, and long-term enthusiasm for learning.

We want the children in our program to flourish, taking with them knowledge, friendship, and the feeling they are part of a school community which will be the building blocks for their future. Parents and teachers are seen as partners in children's care and education.

6200 SW Archer Rd., Gainesville, FL 32608 | (352) 375-8900 | orangeblossomprep.com

### LITTLE WARRIORS DAY SCHOOL















Ages: 12 months - 4 years Teacher/Student Ratio: DCF regulated by age group Annual Tuition: \$6,720 Financial Aid: Yes

Here at Little Warriors Day School, students are surrounded by caring staff that use a Bible-centric approach to their initial educational experience. Our teachers use the WEE Learn curriculum which is an ELC-approved curriculum to establish the educational base students need as they prepare for Kindergarten. Each staff member has successfully completed all DCF required background checks and certification, including CPR and First Aid. LWDS provides hot lunches daily through our state-certified kitchen from 10:45 - 11:30 a.m.. Our facilities include state-of-the-art playground equipment that is both DCF approved and safe for all ages. Our calendar includes educational field trips to such places as the Zoo, State Parks and Kirby Farms in Williston, Florida. During warmer months, there are water days and numerous outdoor activities. Please contact us to schedule a tour and to discuss your child's educational future.

3536 NW 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32605 | (352) 300-7999 | gainesvilleccs.org

### **BRENTWOOD SCHOOL**

Celebrating 50 years!







Ages: Age 2 - 5th Grade

Brentwood School offers quality education to children age 2 years through grade five and is one of Gainesville's oldest and most trusted private schools since 1971. Reading, writing, math, science and social studies form the core of our curriculum. Specialists in Physical Education, Art, Music, Spanish, Library, Technology and Science Lab round out the curriculum.

Brentwood is known for its low ratios and experienced, creative, qualified teachers. This makes our learning environment personal, challenging and individualized to your child's pace and learning style. Two teachers in every classroom allow us to customize instruction to better meet each child's needs. Drawing from our university city, Brentwood has a diverse population with families from around the world.

Our extended care program is available for those needing extra hours of care.

Visit us at www.gobrentwoodschool.com for more information and to schedule a tour to visit Brentwood.

1111 NW 55th St., Gainesville, FL 32605 | (352) 373-3222 | gobrentwoodschool.com

#### **Caring And Sharing Learning School**

1951 SE 4th St. Gainesville, FL 32641

#### **Expressions Learning Arts Academy**

5408 SW 13th St. Gainesville, FL 32608

#### Florida SiaTech

7022 NW 10th Pl. Gainesville, FL 32605

#### **Healthy Learning** Academy

13505 W Newberry Rd. Newberry, FL 32669

#### Micanopy Academy

708 NW Okehumkee St. Micanopy, FL 32667

#### Micanopy Area **Cooperative School**

802 NW Seminary St. Micanopy, FL 32667

#### **North Central Florida Charter School**

1000 NE 16th Ave., Building C Gainesville, FL 32601

#### **One Room School House**

1. 4180 NE 15th St. Gainesville, FL 32609 (352) 376-4014 2. 3930 NE 15th St. Gainesville, FL 32609

### **Resilience Charter School**

1717-A NE 9th St. Gainesville, FL 32609 (352) 226-8675 resiliencecharter.org **Admissions:** Lisa Labbe **Specialty:** Project-based learning in a small school setting with strong social-emotional support. Ages: 6th - 8th Grade **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20 Annual Tuition:** Free Public Charter **FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 65** 

#### **The Einstein School**

5910 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 335-4321 emschool.org

**Admissions:** Danielle Melchor Specialty: We are a school designed to meet the unique needs of students with difficulties in the area of reading through double block reading classes and hands-on activities provided by highly qualified and certified teachers, paraprofessionals, and administrators. Ages: 2nd - 8th Grade

**Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5 Annual Tuition: Free** 

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#### **Community Christian Homeschoolers**

cchweb.org

Florida Virtual School (800) 374-1430

#### **Tapestry Of Grace Homeschool Forum**

(304) 317-766

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#### **Huntington Learning Center**

3822 W Newberry Rd., Suite A Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 448-6888 huntingtonhelps.com/center/ gainesville-fl

**Admissions:** Brandon Kyong Specialty: We employ a diagnosticprescriptive approach, which begins with an Academic Evaluation, followed by a conference to discuss results and prescribe a program tailored to the student's needs, goals, and educational level. We provide individualized instruction with the goal of fostering independence and transferring newly learned skills to school work. "We help any child, with any problem, at any grade."

**Ages:** K - 12 **Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:1 Annual Tuition:** Call for Details **Financial Aid: Yes FULL PROFILE ON PAGE 59** 

#### **Mathnasium Gainesville**

5835 SW 75th St. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 519-4369 mathnasium.com/gainesville Admissions: Jason Reeves, Owner/Center Director Specialty: Mathnasium specializes in supplemental math instruction/enrichment for students in grades 2-12. Ages: 2nd - 12th Grade

**Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:3 Annual Tuition: Monthly** memberships start at \$269 **Financial Aid:** No

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#### **O2BKids**

#### 1. Supercenter:

7383 SW 17th Rd. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 268-8833

#### 2. Midtown:

1555 NW 23rd Ave. Gainesville, FL 32605 (352) 268-9266

3. Hunter's Crossing: 4929 NW 43rd St. Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 268-9367

#### 4. Alachua:

14400 NW 152nd Ln. Alachua, FL 32615 (386) 204-3315

#### 5. Archer Road:

3989 SW 37th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 268-9097

#### 6. Lake City:

1171 SW Bascom Norris Dr. Lake City, FL 32025 (352) 290-4710

#### 7. Coming Soon - Newberry Park

12186 NW 7th Pl. Gainesville, FL 32607 (352) 280-3322 o2bkids.com

**Admissions:** Jill Parent

**Specialty:** We are passionate about Early Childhood Education and work together with you, the parent, to ensure that your child's education goals are met... all while instilling a love for LEARNING!

Ages: Preschool: Infants - 5 years; Afterschool/Summer Camp: 5 years - 13 years. **Teacher/Student Ratio: Varies** based on classroom and age. **Annual Tuition: Varies based** on program. **Financial Aid:** Yes

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#### **Orange Blossom Prep**

6200 SW Archer Rd. Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 375-8900 orangeblossomprep.com **Admissions:** Dalaina Middleton **Specialty:** We believe that some of the most profound lessons can happen during everyday moments. Ages: 6 weeks to 11 years old Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4 to 1:15

**Annual Tuition:** Varies depending on program **Financial Aid: No** 

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### MILLHOPPER MONTESSORI SCHOOL



















Ages: Age 2 through 8th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6 to 1:13 Annual Tuition: \$11,415 - \$13,265

**Financial Aid:** Yes

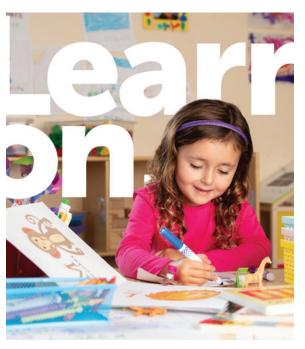
Millhopper Montessori School (MMS) offers an extensive, developmentally-appropriate private educational program for ages two through eighth grade. Since opening in 1977, MMS has acquired and maintained a reputation for providing high-quality education and a strong foundation for children in our community. They are one of only two area schools to be accredited with the Florida Council of Independent Schools. MMS is also affiliated with the American Montessori Society and is a certified American Montessori Society Pathway School.

MMS students are given opportunities to explore real-world concepts and issues, challenge assumptions, think critically, and acquire skills that they will need to apply throughout their educational and future professional journeys. The low student-teacher ratio, one-to-one and small group instruction by highly credentialed teachers, and complete Montessori curriculum enable children to have an enriching educational experience. Intrinsic and individualized learning are at the core of the Montessori method, which strives to develop self-discipline and self-confidence. Students engage with a rigorous STEAM-focused academic program while ensuring their social, emotional, and physical needs are met as well.

At MMS, our family of professionals is big enough to offer a complete curriculum and small enough to know your child. Many of the teachers and staff have been part of the MMS family for over 20 years. Some alumni have joined the team and second generations of students are now attending the school. MMS was founded in 1977 by Christina Miller, who continues to serve as the Head of School. MMS has been the starting point for many success stories with alumni who have gone on to a range of exciting professions, from CEOs to music video producers for Beyoncé.

Call now to schedule a tour and learn how your child will benefit from the educational program at MMS. Fall enrollment is open, and scholarships are available.

### **KIDDIE ACADEMY**





Ages: 6 weeks - 12 years
Teacher/Student Ratio:
State Ratios

**Annual Tuition:** Varies by age

Every day your child's imagination grows and their curiosity gathers momentum — Kiddie Academy of Gainesville, Florida empowers and celebrates all of it. Our Life Essentials learning approach and curriculum encourages children to explore and progress in their own way, and at their own pace. At Kiddie Academy of Gainesville, Florida, your child will grow socially, physically, emotionally and intellectually. Our highly trained teachers are there every step of the way to guide, nurture and cultivate your child's development.

During these uncertain times, nothing matters more than your child's health, safety and security. That's why Kiddie Academy follows our strict health and disinfection guidelines called Health Essentials, has a restricted-entry system and a thoroughly vetted staff trained in first aid, CPR and emergency drills. We look forward to serving your family!

#### Enroll NOW and receive FREE REGISTRATION!

Offer expires 1/31/2022. New customers only. Not redeemable for cash. One offer per child. Contact Academy for details.

6476 SW 75th St., Gainesville, FL 32608 | (352) 264-7724 | kiddieacademy.com

### **CORNERSTONE ACADEMY**









Ages: K4 - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15 Annual Tuition: Please contact school Financial Aid: Yes

For over 20 years, Cornerstone Academy has been teaching students a classical Christian education to prepare young people to enter adulthood with a strong and vibrant faith intact. From schoolwork to athletics to performing arts, Christ is at the center of everything we do. So, your child's time with us will reinforce your family's Christian values at home. Our classical approach to education is a time-tested model that produces well-rounded students with the logic and reasoning skills that colleges and employers crave. Contact us to tour the school and meet the administration. We are deeply dedicated to being partners to our parents, and we would love to hear your hopes and goals for your child.

1520 NW 34th St., Gainesville, FL 32605 | (352) 378-9337 | cornerstoneacademy.school

### SAINT FRANCIS CATHOLIC ACADEMY













Ages: 9th - 12th Grade Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12 Annual Tuition: \$9,400 Financial Aid: Yes

Saint Francis Catholic Academy is a four-year, coeducational, AP Capstone, Catholic high school, established in 2004, by the Diocese of St. Augustine. We educate approximately 250 students in grades 9-12 with a mission to inspire all students to live a life of faith, academic excellence, and virtue.

As a college preparatory school, Saint Francis Catholic Academy welcomes all students who seek a college education, preparing each to enroll in an institution of higher education. We strive to create an environment of excellence where students can succeed and grow spiritually, intellectually, and athletically. "The strength of the wolf is the pack" and our SFCA Wolves compete in 15 sports and participate in 21 clubs and honor societies.

Saint Francis Catholic Academy offers a Student-Teacher Ratio of 12:1, and an average class size of 15. Our students come from 10 North Central Florida counties with transportation from select locations available. Our 23 instructional faculty have a total of 293 years of teaching experience with 95% serving as club/activity sponsors and/or coaches.

"The strength of the pack is the wolf," and to meet the needs of all our students, Saint Francis offers 92 different courses, including regular, honors, and AP options. Students who meet the Capstone benchmarks receive the AP Capstone Diploma.

Our Health Sciences Institute (HSI) offers a focused fouryear program in medical/health sciences. Career preparatory Certificate Programs are offered, providing students with the academic background and technical knowledge/skills needed to pursue further education and careers in a Health Science field. Programs in the HSI work with Saint Francis Catholic Academy's college prep curriculum, providing an additional focus on areas of importance for college admission in pre-clinical majors leading to health-focused careers.

Learn more about the strength of the pack and all our academic initiatives at sfcawolves.org.

# **OAK HALL SCHOOL**





Ages: 3-year-old Preschool through Grade 12 Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15 Annual Tuition: \$16,830 Financial Aid: Yes





For more than fifty years, Oak Hall School has been committed to providing students with a learning environment that is physically safe and emotionally supportive, where intelligence and compassion are highly valued, and dynamic teachers are dedicated to each student's success. Under the guidance of an outstanding faculty, Oak Hall students across all grade levels, 3-year-old Preschool through Grade 12, engage in an intellectually challenging academic program. Oak Hall is a school with wide offerings in academics, athletics, fine arts, and extracurricular activities. It provides students with opportunities to discover their unique gifts and talents and to develop the confidence that grows from knowing that they have something of value to contribute to others. Oak Hall is a welcoming, diverse, and supportive learning community empowering students to pursue their academic, artistic, and athletic passions.

1700 SW 75th St., Suite B, Gainesville, FL 32607 | (352) 332-3609 | oakhall.org

### THE EINSTEIN SCHOOL









Ages: 2nd - 8th Grade
Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
Annual Tuition: Free

The Einstein School is a charter school for students with dyslexia and other reading or language difficulties. We opened in August 1999 with the very specific and unique mission of serving the needs of students with dyslexia, language or speech impairments, and/or other language-based reading difficulties. Our program is designed for students in grades 2–8 who are struggling academically due to these difficulties. Research-based methods are used to teach our students the critical skills they need for sounding out words when reading. They learn to see, hear, and feel each specific mouth movement. By using hands-on activities whenever possible and providing small group instruction in reading, language arts, and math, we give students opportunities to succeed in their areas of strength, as well as remediate their weaknesses.

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