

Welcome to Gaston Christian School!

For more than 45 years, Gaston Christian School has had the privilege of ministering to thousands of students and families throughout our region. **As a missional, non-denominational, conservative Christian school**, our mission is to partner with Christian families and churches in providing an education that develops students spiritually, academically, physically, emotionally, and socially through a distinctly biblical worldview. We are committed to the authority of God's Word and to helping students cultivate a personal relationship with Jesus Christ while pursuing excellence in every area of life.

We provide an academically rigorous education within a safe, Christ-centered environment where students are challenged to think critically, lead courageously, and serve faithfully. Our desire is that every graduate leaves Gaston Christian equipped to influence the world for Christ with wisdom, conviction, and compassion.

Today, more than 1,300 students call Gaston Christian School home. Our students consistently perform well above the national average on standardized assessments while being challenged through a wide variety of advanced academic opportunities. The **Class of 2026, consisting of more than 70 graduates, received over \$4 million in college scholarship offers**, a testament to the hard work of our students, the dedication of our faculty, and God's faithfulness to our school. Additionally, our Advanced Placement program continues to excel, with an approximately **82% AP exam pass rate and 100% pass rates in chemistry, physics, biology, and Precalculus, allowing many students to earn** valuable college credit before graduation.

Beyond the classroom, Gaston Christian offers exceptional opportunities for students to discover and develop their God-given gifts. Our athletic program features more than 25 varsity and junior varsity teams competing at a high level while emphasizing Christlike character, teamwork, and servant leadership. **In 2026, our Girls Varsity Soccer team captured the NCISAA State Championship**, reflecting the culture of excellence that defines our athletic program. Students also participate in Mock Trial, Skeet Club, a first-class fine arts program, and mission opportunities that encourage them to make an impact on the world for Christ.

Technology is thoughtfully integrated into the educational experience at Gaston Christian School. Our high school students use **Neos**, while our middle school students use **iPads**, equipping them with the digital skills necessary for success in a rapidly changing world. We also offer courses in computer science and intentionally prepare students to navigate emerging technologies, including artificial intelligence, with wisdom, discernment, and a biblical worldview.

At the same time, we proudly remain a **paper-and-pencil school**. We believe textbooks, cursive writing, penmanship, note-taking, and the ability to think critically without dependence on technology remain essential skills for lifelong learning. **We intentionally limit screen time in**

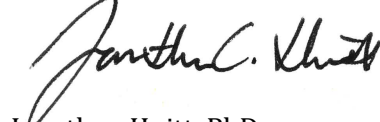
meaningful ways, recognizing that students learn and develop best through personal interaction, handwritten work, printed texts, and engaged classroom discussion. While we prepare students for the opportunities and challenges of the 21st century, we remain committed to the enduring strengths of a traditional education—one that values deep reading, thoughtful writing, strong teacher-student relationships, and the formation of wisdom and character.

Gaston Christian School is enriched by students from around the world. Our international student program welcomes young men and women from countries including **Germany, Italy, Spain, Greece, Japan, China, Brazil, and several nations across Africa, and more**, creating a vibrant, multicultural learning environment. These students bring unique perspectives and experiences that broaden our community while allowing lifelong friendships to develop across cultures. As an evangelical Christian school, we are honored to share the love of Christ with students from around the globe while fostering mutual respect, cultural appreciation, and lasting relationships.

We would be honored to welcome you to one of our campuses to experience firsthand what makes Gaston Christian School such a special place. As we begin this school year, our theme is **The Great Commission**, reminding us of Christ's call to "go and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19–20). Our prayer is that every student who walks our halls will not only grow in knowledge and wisdom but will also develop a deep, authentic faith that equips them to serve Christ faithfully wherever He leads.

Thank you for considering Gaston Christian School. We pray God's richest blessings upon your family and look forward to partnering with you in the education and discipleship of your children.

Sincerely,



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