



# BRADFORD ACADEMY

*Distinctly Christian. Uniquely Classical.*

# Curriculum Overview

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# The Classical Model



## K- Grade 6: Grammar

### Emphasis on:

Basic skills • Memorization • Facts • Vocabulary

### Learning Through:

Hands-on activities • Songs or chants • Discovery • Motion

*Develops strong knowledge foundations*



## Grades 6-9: Logic

### Emphasis on:

Synthesis of information • Analysis • Looking for meaning

### Learning Through:

Socratic method • Debate • Discussion • Imitation

*Develops critical thinking and disciplined thought*



## Grades 9-12: Rhetoric

### Emphasis on:

Development of original thoughts • Understanding/presenting new ideas and works

### Learning Through:

Continued debate and discussion • Independent study • Problem solving • Presentations











*Develops independent and creative thought*

For more information on the classical model [click here](#)



# Transitional Kindergarten

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	<h3>Spiritual Development</h3> <p>Survey of major Bible stories and characters • Jesus and the Gospel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Beginning Bible verse memory</li><li>• Love, pray, obey, serve</li></ul>
	<h3>Social Studies</h3> <p>Good citizenship and character building • Patriotic symbols and activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Memorize personal information</li><li>• Understanding of community</li></ul>
	<h3>Reading/Literature</h3> <p>Experience literature through books, poems, and stories •</p> <p>Understand functions of print and pictures • Identify all letters and sounds</p>
	<h3>Writing / Grammar</h3> <i>(Get Set For School Readiness and Writing)</i> <p>Letter and number recognition and formation • Building vocabulary • Proper pencil grip</p>
	<h3>Language Arts</h3> <i>(Get Set For School Language and Literacy)</i> <p>Rhyme • Syllables • Compound words • Identify sounds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Listening</li><li>• Retelling</li><li>• Narrating stories</li></ul>
	<h3>Math</h3> <i>(Saxon Math K)</i> <p>Number sense and whole number computation • Identify and count money</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Understand calendar and telling time</li><li>• Introduction to measurements</li></ul>
	<h3>Science</h3> <p>God's creation • Hands on experiments • Nature exposure, play, and study</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Compare and contrast objects and materials</li></ul>
	<h3>PE</h3> <p>Keeping bodies healthy • Gross motor skills • Fine motor skills</p>
	<h3>Music</h3> <p>Try a variety of instruments • Singing in all subjects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learning hymns</li><li>• Basic music theory</li></ul>
	<h3>Art</h3> <p>Explore art forms and materials • Study artists and their creations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create art using themes of study</li></ul>