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### **Catholic and Jubilee Schools**

**Bishop Byrne Middle and High School 7-12 Coed**  
<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/bishopbyrne.htm>  
1475 East Shelby Drive  
Memphis, TN 38116  
901 346-3060

An educational ministry of the Catholic Diocese of Memphis and is governed by the Bishop of Memphis through the superintendent of schools and a local school board. Served by the Dominican Sisters of the St. Cecilia Congregation since its founding, provides an education that reflects the high standards and ideals that characterize education in the Dominican tradition

### **Christian Brothers High School 9 - 12 Boys**

[www.cbhs.org](http://www.cbhs.org)  
5900 Walnut Grove Road,  
Memphis , TN 38120  
901 683-3447

Provide young men a college-preparatory education in the Catholic and Lasallian traditions. Thus, we welcome, encourage, and support religious, ethnic, and economic diversity; and we acknowledge the importance of service to the poor as we prepare students to become responsible adults in the global community.

### **Holy Rosary School 3K - 8**

<https://www.edline.net/GroupHome.page>  
4841 Park Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 685 1231

Provides children with the knowledge to develop their spiritual and academic life with the Catholic Church as their guide. Hand in hand with Jesus, we serve, we learn, we respect, we teach, and we grow. We believe that God creates each person in His image. We respect the students' individual differences.

### **Immaculate Conception K - 12 girls**

[www.iccathedralschool.org/home.html](http://www.iccathedralschool.org/home.html)  
**High School Office**  
1725 Central Ave  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901 725 2705

#### **Elementary Office**

901 725-2710  
1669 Central Ave  
Memphis, TN 38104  
Academic Excellence and development of a strong moral character

**Incarnation Prek - 8**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/incarnation.htm>

360 Bray Station Road  
Collierville, TN 38017-3263  
901 853-7804

First and foremost a Catholic school, religious instruction remains an integral part of our school. Each day begins and ends with prayer.

**Memphis Catholic Middle and High School 7 - 12 coed**

<http://www.memphiscatholic.org/admissions/index.htm>

61 North McLean Boulevard  
Memphis Tennessee 38104  
901.276.1221

Strives to impart knowledge and build self-confidence in an environment conducive to the betterment of self and the deepening of civic duty. We will nurture the development of spiritual identity and Christian discipleship through service to God and others. And we will prepare our students for success in life by providing Education that Works.

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic School PreK - 8**

<http://www.olphonline.com/>

8151 Poplar Avenue,  
Germantown, Tennessee 38138  
901 753-1181

Our mission is to instill in our students the fundamental beliefs of the Roman Catholic faith, ensuring quality learning experiences with the highest regard for individual differences, while preparing them to live in a changing world as self-directed, caring responsible citizens.

**OUR LADY OF SORROWS ELEMENTARY PreK (4 – 8)**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/ols.htm>

3690 Thomas Street  
Memphis, TN 38127  
901 358-7431

Classes average 18 students per teacher. Grades 4K through 5 are self-contained for all core subjects. Grades 6-8 offer departmental instruction in Religion, Language Arts, Math, Social Studies and Science. The school offers Music, Choir, Band, Library, Spanish, Physical Education, Art and Computer classes at every grade level.

**SISTER RUTH ANN PROGRAM**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/sisterruthann.htm>

8250 Varnavas Drive  
Cordova, TN 38016  
901 756-1213

A pilot program designed to offer another Catholic school alternative for families of students with special educational needs such as mild retardation and Downs Syndrome. The class is located on the campus of St. Benedict at Auburndale High School. The program is administered by George Valadie, President of St. Benedict at Auburndale.

**St. Agnes Academy - St. Dominic School PreK-12 Female**

[www.saa-sds.org](http://www.saa-sds.org)

4830 Walnut Grove Road, Memphis, TN 38117  
901 767-1356

A Catholic independent school, ecumenical by character. The school was founded to educate young people in a principle-based program designed to prepare them for advanced formal and personal studies while deepening their faith and relationship with God.

**St Anne Catholic School PreK - 8**

<http://www.stannehighland.net/>

670 S. Highland  
Memphis, TN 38111  
901323 1344

educate the whole child spiritually, academically, socially, and emotionally in a faith-filled environment. Our vision and diversity allows us to discover and commit ourselves to foster life-long learning and service to others.

**St. Augustine Catholic Church**

<http://www.staugustinememphis.org/>

1169 Kerr Avenue  
Memphis, Tennessee 38106

901 774 2297

**St. Benedict at Auburndale 9 - 12**

[www.sbaeagles.org](http://www.sbaeagles.org)

8250 Varnavas Drive,  
Cordova, TN 38016  
901 260-2840

co-educational, college preparatory school of the Catholic Diocese of Memphis committed to academic excellence through a comprehensive and challenging multi-level curriculum presented in an atmosphere permeated with the aims, values and teachings of the Roman Catholic faith.

**St Dominick Boys PreK - 8**

**St. Agnes Academy - St. Dominic School**

[www.saa-sds.org](http://www.saa-sds.org)

4830 Walnut Grove Road, Memphis, TN 38117  
901 767-1356

A Catholic independent school, ecumenical by character. This school was founded to educate young people in a principle-based program designed to prepare them for advanced formal and personal studies while deepening their faith and relationship with God.

**Saint Francis of Assisi School JK - 8**

[www.sfawolves.org](http://www.sfawolves.org)

2100 N. Germantown Parkway  
Cordova, Tennessee 38016  
901 388-7321

**ST. LOUIS ELEMENTARY K - 8**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stlouis.htm>

5192 Shady Grove Road  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 682 9692

Dedicated to providing a well rounded environment for the students, St. Louis School provides various opportunities for the children. The school has full-time instructors for art, music, foreign language, and physical education. Additionally, fifth through eighth graders are offered the opportunity to take special classes such as current events, creative writing, morality, and Power Point

**ST. MICHAEL ELEMENTARY PreK - 8**

**MONTESSORI PROGRAM PreK3, PreK4**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stmichael.htm>

3880 Forrest Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38122  
901 323 2162

Promotes Christian values in a safe and just environment. Students are given the opportunity to become well-rounded and productive citizens by developing their unique spiritual, emotional, and academic talents

**ST. PAUL ELEMENTARY Grades PreK - 6**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stpaul.htm>

1425 East Shelby Drive  
Memphis, TN 38116  
901 346-0862

Development of the whole child in an environment based on Catholic doctrine and values," St. Paul School offers a variety of activities. Children

**Jubilee Schools**

Urban Memphis Catholic schools that had previously been closed due to low enrollment numbers and a lack of funding would be reopened to serve those with the greatest need—the children of inner-city Memphis neighborhoods. The goal was to create a learning environment where children and their families could learn, grow, and be loved.

**De La Salle Elementary at Blessed Sacrament (K-7th)**

[Delasalle-memphis.org](http://Delasalle-memphis.org)  
2540 Hale Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38112  
901-866-9084  
Jubilee School

**Holy Names Elementary 3rd-8th**

<http://www.holynamesmemphis.org/>

709 Ke Keel Avenue, Memphis, TN 38107

901-507-1503

Jubilee School

**Little Flower Elementary Pk4-2nd**

1666 Jackson Avenue,

Memphis, TN 38107

901-725-9900

Jubilee School

**Resurrection Catholic School Pk4-1st**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/resurrection.htm>

5475 Newberry,

Memphis, TN 38115

901-546-9926

Jubilee School

**St. Ann - Bartlett Elementary PreK - 8**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stannbartlett.htm>

6529 Stage Road

Bartlett, TN 38134

901 386 3328

Jubilee School

**St. Augustine School (Pk4-6th)**

<http://www.staugustinememphis.org/school>

1169 Kerr Avenue, Memphis, TN 38106

901-942-8002

Jubilee School

**St. John School Pk3&4 - 6th**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stjohn.htm>

2718 Lamar Avenue,

Memphis, TN 38114

901-743-6700

Jubilee School

**St. Joseph School Pk3&4-6th**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stjoseph.htm>

3851 Neely Rd,

Memphis, TN 38109

901 344 0021

Jubilee School

**St. Patrick School Pk3&4 -4 th**

<http://www.cdom.org/schoolsite/schools/stpatrick.htm>

277 South Fourth Street,

Memphis, TN 38126

901 527 2542

Jubilee School

**Charter Schools and Related Organizations****Building Excellent Schools**

<http://www.buildingexcellentschools.org/sp.cfm?pageid=873>

262 Washington Street, 7th Floor

Boston, MA 02108

617 227 4545

Guided by a core set of beliefs in its pursuit of excellent urban charter schools. BES believes that the greatest value for urban communities, desperately in need of strong educational options for their children, should be determined by student academic performance. School safety is critical, but it is not enough. Parental satisfaction is important, but it is not the bellwether of exemplary education. The most important question to ask in striving for academic excellence is: "How are students performing?"

### **Charter School Resource Center of Tennessee**

[www.uscharterschools.org](http://www.uscharterschools.org)  
20 Dudley Street, Suite 900,  
Memphis, TN 38103  
901 448-8300

Nonsectarian public schools of choice that operate with freedom from many of the regulations that apply to traditional public schools. The "charter" establishing each such school is a performance contract detailing the school's mission, program, goals, students served, methods of assessment, and ways to measure success.

### **Circles of Success Learning Academy Grades K-5**

<http://www.circlesofsuccess.org/>  
867 S. Parkway East  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901 322-7978

The mission is to educate the whole child to function productively at the middle and secondary schools levels and ultimately in a global, pluralistic, technologically advanced society. The school is designed to offer an alternative route to excellence in education for student in grades K-5, to holistically encircle students with the models, methods, and academic means of success, with special accommodations for students who are at risk of not fulfilling their full potential in traditional educational settings.

### **City University School of Liberal Arts, Influence1 Foundation 9-11**

[www.cityuniversityschool.org](http://www.cityuniversityschool.org)  
1500 Dunn Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901 775-2219

Meets the need of public education as well as the demand for an alternative institution committed to post-secondary preparation. Created as a college preparatory high school with a liberal arts core and operated as a Center of Excellence for Student Development,

### **KIPP DIAMOND Academy**

<http://www.kippdiamondacademy.org/>  
2110 Howell Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38108  
901-416-4615

One of over fifty college-preparatory KIPP (Knowledge Is Power Program) schools operating in low income urban and rural communities throughout the country. KIPP DIAMOND Academy strives to prepare students for top quality high schools, colleges, and the competitive world beyond by instilling in each student a commitment to scholarship, teamwork, integrity, and fun

### **Memphis Academy for Health Sciences Grades 6-8**

[www.mahsmemphis.com/home.htm](http://www.mahsmemphis.com/home.htm)  
3925 Chelsea Ave Extended  
Memphis, TN 38108  
382-1441

Will equip students with the necessary skills to be competitive in the 21st Century. Our students will demonstrate the ability to read, write, speak and calculate with clarity and precision. Successful transition to high school will be a primary goal for all.

### **Memphis Academy of Science and Engineering 6-11**

[www.memphis-science-academy.org](http://www.memphis-science-academy.org)  
20 S. Dudley St.  
Memphis, TN  
Charter School specializing in Science and Engineering

### **Memphis Business Academy 6-8**

<http://www.mbacharter.com>  
3333 Old Brownsville Road  
Memphis, TN 38134  
901 380-8176

A peaceful academic community where each individual shows respect for and is respected by others. Make every effort

to encourage to the basic principles of Respect, Academic Responsibility, Safety & Security, and Dress Code Accountability.

### **Promise Academy Grades K-2**

<http://www.promiseacademy.com/>

1635 Georgian Drive,  
Memphis, TN 38127  
901 358 7752

Free, public charter school authorized by Memphis City Schools. Opened its doors in 2005-2006 with 60 kindergarteners. Currently, have 120 kindergarten and first grade students. Plan is to add a grade each year thereafter, until they become a K-8 school.

### **Soulsville Charter School, Stax Music Academy 6-8**

[www.thesoulsvillecharterschool.org/](http://www.thesoulsvillecharterschool.org/)

926 East McLemore Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38106  
(901) 946-2535

[http://www.soulsvilleusa.com/stax-music-academy/charter\\_school.asp](http://www.soulsvilleusa.com/stax-music-academy/charter_school.asp)

Produces students who are able to read, communicate effectively and who possess high-order thinking skills through the interconnectedness of academics and music. Influenced by our heritage, community legacy and our organization's existing culture of innovation, creativity and success, we engage our students in unique and creative enrichment activities and projects that reinforce core academic areas. As a result of our program students are highly motivated and inspired to learn, which result in educational and developmental growth and improves their ability to express themselves in the global community. Students leave the Academy knowing that they can be successful through self-discipline, goal setting, commitment and hard work.

### **Southern Avenue Charter School Of Academic Excellence K-3**

<http://www.southernavenuecharterschool.org/>

2062 SOUTHERN AVE,  
MEMPHIS, TN 38114  
901 271-2062

Founded and designed by a diverse committee of community people who have a passion for every child receiving a quality education. Southern Avenue Charter School opened in August, 2005 to provide an alternative route to success for Kindergarten, First, Second and Third grade students, who are not reaching their full potential in traditional school settings. We offer a learning environment where children develop a creative means of expression through the arts and higher order thinking and language skills. This will enable them to function successfully in a culturally diverse society.

### **STAR Academy Charter School Grades K-5**

<http://www.staracademycharter.com/>

3260 James Road  
Memphis, TN 38128  
901 387-5050

Focus is literacy and mathematical competency. We are a college preparatory that has "gone back to the basics" of education. We offer a rigorous curriculum that is developmentally appropriate for our students. In addition to our content-based subjects of reading, language arts, mathematics, social studies and science, we offer a variety of co-curricular courses including music, art, foreign language, drama, physical education, technology, and the visual arts.

## **Colleges and Universities**

### **Baptist Memorial College of Health Sciences**

[www.bchs.edu](http://www.bchs.edu)

1003 Monroe Avenue  
Memphis, TN 38104

### **Christian Brothers University**

[www.cbu.edu](http://www.cbu.edu)

650 East Parkway South Memphis , TN 38104  
901 321-3278

A well-rounded education is built on individualized attention, hands-on learning, an encouragement of ethical development, and a passion for achievement above and beyond one's potential. Offers degrees in Engineering, Business, Science, Liberal Arts, and Education.

### **Crichton College**

[www.crichton.edu](http://www.crichton.edu)

255 N. Highland, Memphis, TN 38111  
901 320-9700

Students are educated in a Christ-centered liberal arts community and are challenged every day to think critically, grow spiritually, and change the world.

**Harding Academy of Memphis**

[www.hardingacademymemphis.org](http://www.hardingacademymemphis.org)

1100 Cherry Road, Memphis, TN 38117

**Harding University Graduate School of Religion**

[www.hugsr.edu](http://www.hugsr.edu)

1000 Cherry Road Memphis, TN 38117-9915

901 761-1352

A place where you will be nurtured and challenged. You enter a community of friends and mentors who share your vision of faithfulness to God's work. You also enter a world of rigorous academic inquiry. All students here—ministers and counselors, on-campus and distance students—join together in this experience of serious study in a faithful community.

**Lemoyne-Owen College**

[www.loc.edu](http://www.loc.edu)

807 Walker Ave

Memphis TN 38126

901 435-1000

A private, historically black liberal arts institution, distinguished by diverse faculty, rigorous academic programs, and success in preparing students for professional careers, leadership, and service in the local and global community.

**Methodist Hospital School of Nursing**

251 S Claybrook

Memphis, TN 38104

901 726 8516

**Rhodes College**

<http://www.rhodes.edu/>

2000 N. Parkway,

Memphis, TN 38112-1690

901 843 3000

Aspired to graduate students who are passionate about learning, effecting change in their communities and the world, and exemplifying leadership and service with integrity. Our emphasis on service is rooted in our Presbyterian heritage. We believe that learning is a life-long pursuit. Our academic programs combine the best of the classroom and the outside world, involving our students in the larger Rhodes and Memphis communities through a variety of intellectual, service, social and cultural opportunities. Our students study, play and serve others with a determination to grow personally and to improve the quality of life within their communities.

**Southeast College of Technology**

[www.educationamerica.com](http://www.educationamerica.com)

2731 S. Nonconnah Blvd

Memphis, TN 38132

901 345 1000

**Southwest Tennessee Community College**

[www.southwest.tn.edu](http://www.southwest.tn.edu)

5983 Macon Cove

Memphis, TN 38134

901 333 5000

**University of Memphis**

[www.memphis.edu](http://www.memphis.edu)

Memphis, TN 38152

901 678-2000

A learner-centered metropolitan research university providing high quality educational experiences while pursuing new knowledge through research, artistic expression, and interdisciplinary and engaged scholarship.

**University of Tennessee Health Science Center**

[www.utmem.edu](http://www.utmem.edu)

800 Madison Avenue

Memphis, TN 38163

## **Festivals with educational theme**

### **Cotton Carnival**

<http://www.carnivalmemphis.org/>

2693 Union Avenue Extended, Suite 205

Memphis, TN 38112

901 458-2500

Carnival promotes the commerce of the Mid-Souths. It is to promote business for everybody and should not be used by any one group. It is for all of the stores and all of the people, for all kinds of professions and businesses, for the city as a whole regardless of the size of the business, the social standing, wealth, prestige, family background or anything else that would tend to make anyone feel that he or she would not be invited to participate in Carnival. .

### **Memphis in May International Festival, Inc.**

[www.memphisinmay.org](http://www.memphisinmay.org)

88 Union Avenue, Ste 301,

Memphis, TN 38103

901 525-4611

Annual month long festival honoring a foreign country

## **Independent Schools (See Catholic Schools above)**

### **Alcy Seventh Day Adventists Jr. Academy K - 8**

1325 E Alcy Rd

Memphis, TN 38106-8413

901 775 3960

### **Bornblum Solomon Schechter Day School of Memphis, Inc. 1-8**

[www.bsssmemphis.com](http://www.bsssmemphis.com)

6641 Humphreys Blvd.,

Memphis, TN 38120

901 747-2665

Committed to providing Jewish children with an exceptional academic program and the opportunity for healthy personal growth and development. Bornblum Solomon Schechter School strives to develop within each student a lifelong love of learning, a strong Jewish commitment, and a code of ethics with which he or she can understand and explore the world.

### **Breath of Life Christian Academy PK - 3**

<http://www.bolcc.org/>

Breath of Life Christian Center

3795 Frayser-Raleigh Rd.

Memphis TN 38128

901 373-7219

Prepare boys and girls for spiritual, physical, emotional, intellectual, and professional excellence.

### **Briarcrest Christian School K - 12**

<http://www.briarcrest.com>

High School

10103 East Raleigh LaGrange Road

Eads, TN 38028

901 751-6400

Middle School and East Memphis Lower and upper Elementary

6000 Briarcrest Avenue

Memphis, TN 38120-4199

901 765-4628

Elementary School

1620 N. Houston Levee Road

Cordova, TN 38016

765-4613

Will be the leader in inspiring young men and women to become authentic followers of Christ and in challenging them to achieve their highest academic, creative and athletic potential.

**Briarcrest-Ridgeway Christ School** PK - 5

2500 Ridgeway  
Memphis, TN 38119  
901 767 3395

**Brinkley Heights Urban Academy**

<https://www.bhua.org/>

3275 ROSAMOND AVENUE,  
MEMPHIS, TN 38122  
901.324.3022

A Christ-centered school providing a safe, nurturing, educational environment where academic excellence is pursued with creativity and integrity for each child.

**Brunswick Day School at Lakeside** 2 - 12

2911 Brunswick Road  
Memphis, TN 38133  
901 373 0931

**Cendrillon Montessori** PK - 4

1642 Poplar  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901 725 0032

**Central Baptist** K - 12

<http://www.centralbaptistschool.org/>

5470 Raleigh Lagrange Rd  
Memphis, TN 38134-5698  
901 386-8161

Work with the Christian family and the local church to develop Christian character and the spirit of excellence in academics and extracurricular programs. Our desire is to prepare students to serve and represent Jesus Christ in their communities. In sum, our mission is to pursue academic excellence while preparing students for a lifetime of Christian service.

**Central Day School** K - 8

6655 Winchester Rd  
Memphis, TN 38115  
901 255 8134

**Christian Brothers High School** 9 - 12

[www.cbhs.org](http://www.cbhs.org)

5900 Walnut Grove Road,  
Memphis , TN 38120  
901 683-3447

**Creative Life Prep School** K - 8

[http://www.greatschools.net/modperl/browse\\_school/tn/2275](http://www.greatschools.net/modperl/browse_school/tn/2275)

1222 Riverside Blvd.,  
Memphis, TN, 38106  
901-775-0304

**Christ Methodist Day School** PK - 6

[www.cmdsmemphis.org](http://www.cmdsmemphis.org)

411 Grove Park  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 683 6873

**Christ the King Lutheran School** pK - 8

<http://www.ctkschool.com/>

5296 Park Ave  
Memphis, TN 38119  
901 682 8405

Part of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod School System which includes over 2,500 schools nationwide

**Christ the Rock Christian Academy** pK - 8

8800 Winchester Road  
Memphis, TN 38125  
9017517122

**Cotton Tail Christian Academy** 6wks - 1

3533 Ridge Meadow Parkway  
Memphis TN 38115  
901 566-9970

Recognize the supreme importance of educating the whole child-- mind, body, and spirit, by instilling in them the love of God, teaching appropriate but challenging academics, and by allowing children to explore and discover through organized play. We believe that every child is impressionable and that all children can learn. We believe in nurturing the God-given talents in every child. Our mission is to foster the love of learning in every child and to prepare them to be lifelong learners in an ever changing society

**Creative Life Preparatory School** K - 8

1222 Riverside Blvd  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901 775 0304

**Cross of Calvary Lutheran School** K - 8

4327 Elvis Presley Blvd  
Memphis, TN 38116  
901 396 5566

**Elliston Baptist Academy** K - 12

4179 Elliston Rd  
Memphis, TN 38111  
901 743 4250

**Evangelical Christian School of Memphis, Inc.** JK - 12

[www.ecseagles.com](http://www.ecseagles.com)  
7600 Macon Rd, 6 - 8 & 9 - 12)  
Cordova, TN 38088-1030  
901 754-7217  
Fisherville Campus - JK - 3  
11893 Macon Road  
Eads, TN, 38028  
901-850-9652  
Forest Hill Campus JK-5  
1920 Forest Hill-Irene Road  
Germantown, TN, 38139  
901-754-4420  
Ridge Lake Campus JK-5  
735 Ridge Lake Boulevard  
Memphis, TN 38120  
901-683-9013

Provide the Christian family a Christ-centered, biblically-directed education that challenges students to know the Lord Jesus Christ and to develop the vision and practice of excellence in academics, character, leadership and service to others.

**First Assembly Christian School** JK - 12

<http://www.facsmemphis.org/>  
8650 Walnut Grove Road  
Cordova, TN 38018  
901 458 5543

Is college preparatory and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Frayser Academy of Christian Education K - 6  
3820 N. Watkins  
Memphis, TN 38127  
901 358 8025

**Frederick Douglas Wesson Christian Academy** PK - 3

4149 Boeingshire Drive  
Memphis, TN 38116

901 346 9187

**Gateway Christian School 2 - 6**

[www.gatewaychristianschools.com](http://www.gatewaychristianschools.com)

4070 Macon Road,  
Memphis, TN 38112  
901 458 4276

A Christian school with three programs from which parents and legal guardians can choose. Have a traditional CAMPUS SCHOOL meeting daily at our Macon Road location in Memphis. Have an EXTENSION PROGRAM in which students come to one of our centers, pick up self-instructional curriculum materials, study these under parental supervision, and then come for tutor help or to take weekly tests. Finally, Have a TOTAL HOME EDUCATION PROGRAM for parents who accept full responsibility for the education of their children. Gateway is fully accredited by the National Private Schools Accreditation Alliance.

Academically, Gateway by its membership in the Association of Christian Schools International (A. C. S. I.) is recognized by the State of Tennessee as a Category IV school and is entitled to the rights and benefits provided in the 1976 Education Bill, Chapter 52.

**Grace Christian School 1 - 11**

<http://www.gracechristian.net>

816 Berclair Road  
Memphis, TN 38122  
901 682 6205

A loving community that spiritually and academically equips, challenges, and inspires students to impact their world for Christ." We desire to come along side every student to help each one become the young man or young woman that God has designed them to be.

**Great Beginnings School PK - 8**

751 North Trezevant  
Memphis, TN 38112  
901 454-6004

**Grace St. Luke's Episcopal School pre K - 8**

[www.gslschool](http://www.gslschool)

246 S. Belvedere Blvd  
Memphis, TN 39104

a coeducational school that seeks students with high intellectual promise and provides each child with an opportunity for an excellent education by caring for the whole child in a setting that reflects the faith of the Episcopal Church. Our commitment is to develop within each student academic achievement, self respect, citizenship, and the knowledge, love and service of God.

**Harding Academy of Memphis PK - 12**

[www.hardingacademymemphis.org](http://www.hardingacademymemphis.org)

1100 Cherry Road,  
Memphis, TN 38117

Harding Academy at Quince PK - 6

6384 Quince Road  
Memphis, TN 38119  
901 761 5663

Harding Academy at White Station PK - 3

1106 Colonial Road  
Memphis, TN 38119

901 767 2093

Harding Academy Cordova 1 - 6

8360 Macon Road  
Memphis, TN 38108  
9016240522

Harding Academy, Highland 4 - 6

443 S. Highland  
Memphis, TN 38111  
901 458 4025

Harding Academy, Sycamore View PK - 6

1910 Sycamore View  
Memphis, TN 38134

901 372 1818

Harding University Graduate School of Religion

[www.hugsr.edu](http://www.hugsr.edu)  
1000 Cherry Road  
Memphis, TN 38117-9915  
901 761-1352

**Helicon School @ Porter Heath** 6 - 11  
868 N Manassas  
Memphis, TN 38107  
901 577 38107

**Hutchison School** preK - 12  
[www.hutchisonschool.org](http://www.hutchisonschool.org)  
1740 Ridgeway Road  
Memphis, TN 38119

Supremely academic and our students are nationally recognized for their scholastic achievements, we strongly believe that artistic, athletic, and moral development is essential to a complete education. Within a supportive community, our girls grow into balanced, well-educated young women who possess self-awareness, a passion for excellence, and the compassion to affect positive change.

**Immanuel Lutheran School** PK - 8  
[www.ilsmemphis.org/](http://www.ilsmemphis.org/)  
6319 Raleigh Lagrange Rd  
Memphis, TN 38134  
9013880205

Provide an atmosphere where Jesus' love and forgiveness is taught and practiced so that all may grow in wisdom and faith. We believe what separates us from other private and Christian schools in our community is our unparalleled commitment to excellence presented through a caring, nurturing, family atmosphere. When visiting Immanuel Lutheran School, you will see students who are happy, safe, and engaged in meaningful educational activities.

**Lamplighter Montessori School** K - 8  
<http://lamplighterschool.org>  
8563 Fay Rd,  
Cordova, TN 38018  
901 751 2000

A program is based on self-direction, non-competitive and cooperative activities that help a child develop a strong self-image, high levels of academic and social competence, and the confidence to face challenges with optimism. Encouraged to make decisions from an early age, Montessori educated children are problem-solvers who can make appropriate choices, manage their time, and work well with others. They exchange ideas and discuss work ideas and discuss work freely. These positive communication skills build the foundation for negotiating new settings.

**Lausanne Collegiate School** preK - 12  
[www.lausanneschool.com](http://www.lausanneschool.com)  
1381 Massey Rd  
Memphis, TN 38120  
901 683 5233

The only independent, coeducational, nonsectarian school in Memphis for children in grades pre-kindergarten through twelfth. Our mission is "to prepare our students for college and for life in a global environment." We attain that mission each year through the efforts of our exceptional faculty. They are talented, experienced, and dedicated teachers and administrators.

Lord's Tabernacle Christian Academy K1 - 6  
<http://www.ltcas.org/>  
2818 Midland Ave Memphis, TN 38111  
901 454-0470

Develop students, morally, intellectually and physically and to equip them with a foundational knowledge of the word of God in order to prepare them for responsible roles in society.

**Macon Road Baptist School** K3 - 12  
<http://school.maconroadbaptist.org>  
Berclair Campus (K4-12th Grade)  
1082 Berclair Road  
Memphis, TN, 38122  
901 682 9423

East Campus (K5-9th Grade and adding a grade each year) 2009 9th grade  
11017 Highway 64  
Arlington, Tennessee 38002

901-867-8161  
Lakeland Campus (K3 & K4).  
9182 Highway 64  
Lakeland, TN 38002  
901-682 9423

Bring every student to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ and to equip him/her with knowledge, attitudes, and skills for effective service to God. Macon Road Baptist School desires to train every student in a way that he/she will live to bring glory to the Lord in every aspect of life through excellence in academic, emotional, mental, moral, physical, spiritual, and social training.

**Marcus Garvey Institute and Teaching Academy** K - 6

<http://marcusgarveyinstitute.com/>

565 South Parkway East,  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901 774-5032

Prepare each child K-6th grade to maximize his/her full potential by creating an institution of high academic quality learning, and providing a safe, nurturing, loving environment. Prepare our children for their rightful place in the world just as our ancestors prepared us. Our standards for learning are high. Our goals are infinite. Our value is truth first, foremost and always, for we have our eyes focused on the prize – our children, our history, our survival. Our mission is about “Awakening Exceptional Learning in Our Children

**Margolin Hebrew Academy** PK - 12

<http://www.mhafyos.org/mission.html>

390 South White Station Road,  
Memphis, Tn. 38117  
901 682-2400

An Orthodox day school, disciplined and inspired by Torah, dedicated to the Jewish people and the State of Israel. The mission is to provide Jewish children of all backgrounds the opportunity to receive a superior Torah and General Studies education in a nurturing environment that will enable students to meet future challenges and become productive and Jewishly committed citizens.

**Maria Montessori School Inc.** Ungraded

[www.mariamontessorischool.org](http://www.mariamontessorischool.org)

740 Harbor Bend Road,  
Memphis, TN 38103-0888  
901 527-3444

**Memphis Junior Academy** K - 10

[www.memphisjunioracademy.com](http://www.memphisjunioracademy.com)

50 N. Mendenhall  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 683 1061

Part of the world-wide Seventh-day Adventist school network. The Seventh-day Adventist educational system includes elementary and high schools, colleges and universities in countries around the globe.

**Memphis University School** 7 - 12

[www.musowls.org](http://www.musowls.org)

6191 Park Ave  
Memphis, TN 38119

A traditional, college-preparatory school for boys in grades seven through twelve, has been the school for boys for more than 100 years.

**Neighborhood School** K - 8

[www.tnsmemphis.org](http://www.tnsmemphis.org)

175 Tillman St,  
TN 38111-0381  
901 323-4092

Exists to be used by our Lord to give real hope to children who struggle in a traditional classroom setting and who desperately need the love and individual support provided by The Neighborhood School.

**New Hope Christian Academy** K - 5

<http://www.newhopememphis.org/>

3000 University,  
Memphis, TN 38127  
901-358-3183

Curriculum and standards are comparable to other college preparatory independent schools in the Memphis area. Results of achievement testing show New Hope students scoring far above national averages

**Nicholas Hobbs Academy** 2 - 12

7410 Memphis Arlington Rd.  
Memphis, TN  
9012527812

**Pleasant View School** PK - 6

<http://www.pleasantviewschool.com/>

1888 N Bartlett Rd  
**Memphis**, Tennessee 38134  
901 380 0122

An Islamic-based school open to all faiths

**Presbyterian Day School** preK - 6

[www.pdsmemphis.org](http://www.pdsmemphis.org)

4052 Central  
Memphis, TN 38111  
901 842 4600

Strives to glorify God by developing boys in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and men. Known for its rigorous curriculum taught by experienced and loving teachers who understand and appreciate the special nature and needs of boys, PDS has grown to become the largest elementary school for boys in the United State

**Saint George's Independent School**

[www.sgis.org](http://www.sgis.org)

8235 Dogwood Road, Foundation  
Germantown, TN 38139  
901 261-2385 three campuses  
St. George's Day School - Germantown PK - 5  
8250 Poplar Avenue  
Germantown, TN 38138  
901 261-2300

St. George's Day School - Memphis  
3749 Kimball Avenue PK - 4  
Memphis, TN 38111  
901 261-2200

Collierville 6 - 12  
1880 Wolf River Blvd.  
Collierville, TN 38017  
901 457-2000

Schools of excellence that prepare students for a life of learning and meaningful contribution through dedication to high academic achievement and the development of moral character reinforced by Judeo-Christian values.

**St Mary's Episcopal Girls School** PK - 12

<http://www.stmarysschool.org/home/>

60 Perkins Ext.,  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 537-1472

One of the most outstanding girls' schools in the country. St. Mary's represents the very best in girls' education where students have the opportunity to learn in a unique environment that combines the pursuit of excellence in all areas, the nurture and guidance of gifted teachers, and an Episcopal community that encourages spiritual and moral development.

**Southern Baptist Educational Center of Whitehaven, Inc.** K3 - 12

[www.sbectrojans.com](http://www.sbectrojans.com)

7400 Getwell Rd,  
Southaven, MS 38672  
662-349-3096

A Biblically-based Christian school, located in Southaven, Desoto County, Mississippi . Provides a quality academic and distinctively Christian education for students throughout the metropolitan Memphis, Tennessee area and northern Mississippi counties.

**Sr Clara Muhammad School** K - 4

[www.islam.org/al-muminun](http://www.islam.org/al-muminun)

4412 South Third Street

Memphis, TN 38109

901 7891904

Islamic School Will cultivate the patterned growth of human excellence and good character through building valuable relationships with all G'd-conscious people.

### **Thrifhaven Baptist Academy** K - 12

[/www.heritageministries.org/](http://www.heritageministries.org/)

3925 Chelsea Ave Ext

Memphis, TN 38108

901 386 5306

Prepare young people academically for the challenges of college and spiritually for the challenges of a fallen world. Our desire is that all of our graduates leave here with a heart and passion to serve the Lord, no matter what callings they pursue. We believe that our most effective leaders are those who know how to give and know how to inspire others by the power of their unselfish example.

### **Westminster Academy** K - 12

<http://www.wamemphis.com/giving.aspx?pid=8>

2500 Ridgeway Rd,

Memphis, TN 38119

901 380 9192 K-12

Provide the finest Classical Christian Education possible, but their conviction is that you are responsible for the education of your child. Offers parents a tool for teaching their children to reason, discern and apply Truth by way of scripture and the classical liberal arts.

### **Woodland Presbyterian School** preK - 8

[www.woodlandschool.org](http://www.woodlandschool.org)

5217 Park Avenue

Memphis, TN 38119

901 685 0976

### **Word of Faith Christian Academy** PK - 8

3528 Sharpe Ave

Memphis, TN 38111

901 744 4061

### **World Overcomers Christian Academy** K - 6

<http://www.worldovercomers.org/default.aspx?pid=53>

6655 Winchester Road

Memphis, TN 38115

901 473-3030

Distinctly Christ-centered private college preparatory school where excellence is the uncompromised standard and students are empowered for destiny. Students of World Overcomers Christian Academy are shaped to lead purposeful lives through exemplary academic and biblical disciplines of study that prepare them scholastically, spiritually, socially, artistically and technologically

## **Museums and Zoo**

### **Belz Museum of Asian & Judaic Art**

[www.belzmuseum.org/](http://www.belzmuseum.org/)

119 South Main Street

Memphis, Tennessee

901-523-2787

Founded in 1998, Museum is home to a collection that spans the art of many cultures and time periods including: Chinese art primarily from the Qing Dynasty (1644-1911), contemporary Judaica, a selection of natural history objects and various examples of art and craft from around the world. Diversity is reflected in the many objects on display at the museum. Sculptures carved from Chinese jades and other hard stones in the late Qing Dynasty, tomb figurines and statuary made during the Tang Dynasty in China, European art glass, Russian lacquer boxes and modern Jewish ritual objects represent the craft traditions of different cultures.

### **Cotton Museum**

[www.memphiscottonmuseum.org](http://www.memphiscottonmuseum.org)

At the Memphis Cotton Exchange

65 Union Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38103  
901.531.7826

Shares the story of the cotton industry and its many influences on daily life, the arts, and the development of this region with students, residents, and visitors. They accomplish this through interpretive exhibits, educational programs, and research archives on the floor of the historic Memphis Cotton Exchange — in the city that remains the epicenter of worldwide cotton trading.

### **Fire Museum of Memphis**

[www.firemuseum.com](http://www.firemuseum.com)

118 Adams,  
Memphis, TN 38103  
901 320 5650

An interactive attraction appealing to school children, families, fire buffs, conventioners and tourists. Inside the museum, visitors will find the history of fire fighting in the Memphis area, educational exhibitions and fire safety information. Memphis Fire Department Education Specialists are on duty at all times to discuss fire safety with visitors.

### **Memphis Museums, Inc**

[www.memphismuseums.org](http://www.memphismuseums.org)

The Pink Palace Museum  
901 320-6320  
CTI IMAX Theater  
901 763 4629  
Sharpe Planetarium  
901 320-6320  
Lichterman Nature Center  
901.767.7322 Ext. 121  
Coon Creek Science Center  
901 320-6320  
Mallory-Neely House  
901 320-6370  
Magevney House  
901 320-6370

A wide-ranging collection of historic, educational, and technological attractions maintained by the City of Memphis and Memphis Museums, Inc. Some of the finest attractions and exhibits in the country are part of the Museum Family, including the Pink Palace Museum, the Crew Training International IMAX Theater, the Sharpe Planetarium, the historic Mallory Neely and Magevney Houses, Coon Creek Fossil Center and the Lichterman Nature Center. The Lichterman Nature Center was the first accredited nature center in the United States.

### **Memphis Zoo and Zoological Society**

[www.memphiszoo.org](http://www.memphiszoo.org)

2000 Prentiss Place,  
Memphis, TN 38112  
901 276 276-9453

### **National Ornamental Metal Museum**

[www.metalmuseum.org](http://www.metalmuseum.org)

374 Metal Museum Drive,  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901-774-6380

## **Professional Education**

### **Memphis College of Art**

[www.mca.edu](http://www.mca.edu)

1930 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, TN 38104  
901-272-5115

A professional center of art and design education, dedicated to preparing individuals for lives of creating, problem solving and critical thinking.

### **ITT Technical Institute**

[www.itt-tech.edu](http://www.itt-tech.edu)

1255 Lynnfield Rd, Ste 192  
Memphis, TN 38119  
901 762 0556

a leading private college system focused on technology-oriented programs of study

### **Paul W. Barret Jr. School of Banking, Christian Bros. University**

[www.barret.ws](http://www.barret.ws)

650 E. Parkway S.  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901 321-4000

Offers excellent educational opportunities for those in financial services careers since it was established in 1972 by a group of Memphis bankers.

### **Southern College of Optometry**

[www.sco.edu](http://www.sco.edu)

1245 Madison Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901 722 3200

Single-purpose institution of higher education located in Memphis, Tennessee which offers the four-year, post-baccalaureate degree of Doctor of Optometry. Is one of only 17 schools and colleges of optometry in the United States

## **Scholarships**

### **American Business Women's Association**

<http://www.abwahq.org/>

1604 E. Mclemore Ave  
Memphis, TN 38106  
901-276-5636.

Business Skills, Health Education and other issues affecting women, Youth development/Leadership, Scholarships to young adults seeking to attend college. Bring together businesswomen of diverse occupations and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition.

### **Blue Streak Club, Inc., Blue Streak Scholarship Fund**

[www.bssf.net](http://www.bssf.net)

P.O. Box 240844,  
Memphis, TN 38124-0844  
901-283-6312

Raises scholarship money for the purpose of giving children in inner-city Memphis the chance to receive a private Catholic education. Our students attend the Jubilee Schools of the Diocese of Memphis, which cater to the city's poorest zip codes. 87% of students at the schools come from families that are at or below poverty level.

### **College Bound**

[www.collegeboundofmemphis.org](http://www.collegeboundofmemphis.org)

20 S. Dudley St., Ste. 805,  
Memphis, TN 38103

901 448-1727 Awards scholarships. Goal is to make it possible for any young person that wants to attend college to do so

### **The Memphis Challenge**

516 Tennessee Street, Suite 129  
Memphis, TN 38103

[www.memphischallenge.org](http://www.memphischallenge.org)

Assisting bright minority students attend college and encourage them to return to Memphis

### **Memphis Opportunity Scholarship Support (MOST)**

[www.memphisopportunities.org](http://www.memphisopportunities.org)

850 Ridge Lake Blvd., Suite 220  
Memphis, TN 38120  
901 842-5327

Awards scholarships regardless of race, religion, ethnicity, or academic achievement, providing all children with the same chance to succeed academically. The results have been extraordinary. Thanks to generous gifts from the community, parents of all

backgrounds now have the opportunity to provide the type of education they want for their children.

## **Schools for Children with Special Needs**

### **Barbara K. Lipman Early Childhood School**

[www.people.memphis.edu/~lipman](http://www.people.memphis.edu/~lipman)

3771 Poplar Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38152  
901 678-2120

Open enrollment for ages 2-8, Services Provided, Early Intervention Program, Special Education Program, Demonstration school for the College of Education at the University of Memphis, Tuition is required, A full inclusion program for children 3 years of age and older, After-school care available for 3,4,5 year olds only Speech and Language therapy, Mon-Fri 8:00AM-4:30PM

### **Bodine School**

[www.bodineschool.org](http://www.bodineschool.org)

2432 Yester Oaks Drive ,  
Germantown, TN 38139  
901-754-1800

Provides students with language based learning disabilities a nurturing environment and a challenging academic curriculum

### **Concord Academy**

[WWW.concord-academy.org](http://WWW.concord-academy.org)

4942 Walnut Grove Rd,  
Memphis, TN 38117  
901 682 3115

Children with learning disabilities

### **Grizzlies Academy 9 - 10**

[http://netscape.nba.com/grizzlies/features/grizzlies\\_academy\\_040108.html](http://netscape.nba.com/grizzlies/features/grizzlies_academy_040108.html)

168 Jefferson,  
Memphis, TN 38103  
901 525-0322

A school for students between the ages of 15 and 17 who are at least two years behind in school

### **Madonna Learning Center**

[www.madonna-learning.org](http://www.madonna-learning.org)

Poplar Ave.  
Germantown, TN 38138  
901-752-5767

Madonna Learning Center is a private, independent school for children with disabilities. The students range in age from 5 to 22 years. Approximately fifty children each year are enrolled in our school where educational services are individualized to maximize strengths and address challenges.

### **Memphis Oral School for the Deaf**

[www.oraldeafed.org/schools/memphis/about.html](http://www.oraldeafed.org/schools/memphis/about.html)

711 Jefferson Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38105  
901 448-8490

### **Phoenix School for Creative Learning 4 - 12**

<http://www.phoenixschool-germantown.org/>

2404 Arthur Road  
Germantown, TN 38138  
901 757 4360

**To help students with learning differences in grades 4 through 12 achieve their ...**

### **Shady Oaks School**

2000 N. Germantown Parkway  
Cordova, Tennessee 38016  
901 737 3355

Dedicated to educating elementary age children who have faced challenges to academic success in their previous schooling experiences. Special help for ADD, dyslexia, and other learning difficulties

### **Shelby County School System**

[www.scs.k12.tn.us](http://www.scs.k12.tn.us)

Special Education Division,  
5650 Woodlawn, Memphis, TN 38134  
901 373-2603

Ages 3-21 years; All disabilities Special Education Program, Psychological assessments, Related services including therapy (PT, OT, ALT, vision, behavioral), Technology assistance/training, Information about IDEA and section 004

### **SISTER RUTH ANN PROGRAM**

8250 Varnavas Drive  
Cordova, TN 38016  
901 756-1213

A pilot program designed to offer another Catholic school alternative for families of students with special educational needs such as mild retardation and Downs Syndrome. The class is located on the campus of St. Benedict at Auburndale High School. The program is administered by George Valadie, President of St. Benedict at Auburndale.

### **Shelby Training Center 7 - 12**

[www.correctionscorp.com/about/cca-history/](http://www.correctionscorp.com/about/cca-history/)  
3420 Old Getwell Road  
Memphis, TN 38118  
9016851697

200-bed Shelby Training Center was the first designed, built and managed for secure juvenile training, housing male offenders for the Juvenile Court of Memphis and Shelby County.

### **The Wesley School K - &**

9315 E. Shelby Drive,  
Collierville, TN 38017  
901 737 3762

For those with language and learning difficulties, Small Group Instruction, Multi-Sensory Techniques, Testing Modifications

### **Y.D.A.C. Mid-town Mental Health 6 - 11**

[http://www.midtownmentalhealth.org/index.data\\_/index.html](http://www.midtownmentalhealth.org/index.data_/index.html)  
450 Pontotoc  
Memphis, TN 38126  
901 577 9423

Youth diagnostic assessment center. Residential facility and treatment Center for children 8 - 18 years of age in DCS Custody

## **Special Educational Programs and Agencies**

### **Adopt-A-School Partnerships/Memphis City Schools**

[www.memphis-schools.k12.tn.us](http://www.memphis-schools.k12.tn.us)

901 416 5622

Volunteers work with public schools

### **Advanced Learning Center**

[http://alc.memphis.edu/academic\\_integrity.htm](http://alc.memphis.edu/academic_integrity.htm)

FedEx Institute of Technology,  
365 Innovation Drive,  
Memphis, TN 38152

Mission is to support effective learning for the University of Memphis community through the development of technology fluency, innovations in teaching, and research

### **The Animal World**

Animal World USA

<http://www.animalworldusa.org/about.htm>

<http://theanimalworld.org/>

518 Goodland

P.O. Box 11006

MemphisTennessee 38111-0006

877-454-0807

Animal World is a magazine for Children. Educating people to understand, love, nurture and protect the animals of our world.

Sponsor "Tennessee Week for the Animals"

## Support Programs

### **Collierville Education Foundation, Inc.**

[www.collierville.com/education.html](http://www.collierville.com/education.html)

101 Walnut Street,  
Collierville , TN 38017  
901 853-1949

Has provided grants totaling about \$286,959.00 since it began awarded grants in 1997. Awards grants to those teachers who utilize imaginative teaching techniques and for those programs that directly benefit students. Some grant programs have included the Big Mouth Alphabet Puppets, Mozart in the Classroom, Baby Chicks and a Sand Sensory Set. The foundation also looks to fund those requests where monies would not be available through the normal school budget or other readily available source

### **Drifters, Inc. - Memphis Chapter**

<http://memphisdriftersinc.com/>

5140 Horn Lake Road,  
Memphis , TN 38109

Women with social, civic, charitable and educational interests. Make sizeable donations to the revolving student loan fund of the National Drifters. Inc to support historically black colleges and they annually adopt an urban elementary school providing mentoring, tutoring and purchasing equipment.

### **New Leaders for New Schools**

<http://www.nlms.org/>

3782 North Jackson Ave.  
Memphis, TN 38108  
901-416-4740

Promoting high academic achievement for every child by attracting, preparing, and supporting the next generation of outstanding leaders for our nation's urban public schools.

### **The New Teacher Project**

<http://www.tntp.org/whoweare/overview.html>

304 Park Avenue South, 11th Floor,  
New York, NY 10010  
212 590-2484 ext 1031

Dedicated to increasing the number of outstanding individuals who become public school teachers and to creating environments for all educators that maximize their impact on student achievement.

### **Stand for Children, Tennessee**

<http://www.stand.org/>

209 10th Avenue South, #300  
Nashville, TN 37203  
615 726.1414

Exists because children in communities across America have no power to influence our democratic system to meet their fundamental needs. Our mission is to teach everyday people how to join together in an effective grassroots voice in order to win concrete, long- lasting improvements for children, at both state and local levels.

### **Teach For America, Inc**

800-832-1230 ext 225

[http://www.teachforamerica.org/admissions/how\\_to\\_apply/how\\_to\\_apply.htm](http://www.teachforamerica.org/admissions/how_to_apply/how_to_apply.htm)

Building a diverse, highly selective national corps of outstanding recent college graduates—of all academic majors and career interests—who commit two years to teach in urban and rural public schools in our nation's lowest-income communities and become lifelong leaders for expanding educational opportunity.

### **DeNeuille Learning Center Women**

[www.deneuillecenter.org/](http://www.deneuillecenter.org/)

190 S. Cooper Street  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901-726-5902

Assist women of all backgrounds and cultures in learning the skills needed to make positive choices for themselves and their families. Job Training 18 & Over. Academic Classes Computer Studies--Microsoft Office, Typing, and Internet, Computer Repair, GED Preparation, English as a Second Language, Parent Read, Business Skills and Job Readiness, Citizenship Test Preparation,

Financial Literacy Enrichment Classes Sewing Psychological Encouragement and Support Counseling-Individual, Couple, Group, Parenting Classes, Anger Management Group.

### **English Speaking Union**

[www.english-speakingunion.org](http://www.english-speakingunion.org)

Memphis Branch, P.O. Box 240023,

Memphis, TN 38124

901 748 0408

Promote scholarship and the advancement of knowledge through the effective use of English in an expanding global community.

### **Facing History and Ourselves**

<http://www.facinghistory.org/>

650 East Parkway South,

Memphis, TN 38104-5581

901 452 1776

Engaging students of diverse backgrounds in an examination of racism, prejudice, and antisemitism in order to promote the development of a more humane and informed citizenry. By studying the historical development and lessons of the Holocaust and other examples of genocide, students make the essential connection between history and the choices they confront in their own lives.

### **Les Passees Center for Children and Families, MIFA**

<http://lpmemphis.org/help/lpcenter>

40 South Idlewild

Memphis, TN 38104

901.272.1646

Life Skills Institute prepares adults for productive roles in society — helping them succeed both at work and in their personal lives. Our courses, offered to MIFA program participants, include: Money Management, THDA certified Home Ownership Training, Basic & Advanced Personal Computer Training (Microsoft Certifications available), Real World of Work Training, Parenting Skills, HIV & Aids Prevention, Sexual Abuse Prevention, Time/Anger Management, Conflict Resolution, Health & Wellness Topics (including a community Health Fair) and Youth Day Out (each month). Offers counseling for both adults and children. “Hope Chest” is a Christmas event that enables qualified MIFA-program participants to shop for two new toys for each of their children. Dylan’s Den, young children play and learn music and rhythmic movement. Life Skills Institute, Les Passes Prepares adults for productive roles in society — helping them succeed both at work and in their personal lives. Courses, offered to MIFA program participants, include: Money Management and THDA certified Home Ownership Training.

### **Love Worth Finding Ministries**

[www.lwf.org](http://www.lwf.org)

2941 Kate Bond Rd

Memphis, TN 38133

Tapes, etc by Adrian Rogers

### **Memphis Garden Club**

<http://www.memphisgardenclub.org/>

4339 Park Avenue,

Memphis, TN 38117-4626

The purpose shall be to advance and encourage the knowledge and practice of horticulture; to promote an active interest in flower arranging and in the design and development of gardens; to aid in conservation of trees, native plants and wildflowers; to aid and carry on scientific and educational activities in these areas; to cooperate in civic improvements; and to further the projects of The Garden Club of America.

### **Partners In Public Education (PIPE)**

[www.pipememphis.org](http://www.pipememphis.org)

5101 Wheelis Drive, Suite 200,

Memphis, TN 38117

901 766-9444

Carefully identifies and invests in initiatives that have the greatest impact in improving the academic performance and graduation rates of public school students in Memphis. All programs must be systemic, sustainable, scalable, and specifically measurable, and it is with this businesslike approach that PIPE works to transform Memphis City Schools. The Easy Access System for Education Enrichment (EASEE) is the first-of-its-kind online clearinghouse for information about student “enrichment programs,” including before school, after school, weekend, and summer academic and cultural programs.

### **True Story Pictures**

[www.truestorypictures.org](http://www.truestorypictures.org)

2104 University Circle  
Memphis, TN 38112  
901 274-9092

Strengthen cultural understanding and preserve community history by documenting and sharing life stories.

### **Stax Music Academy**

926 E. McLemore  
Memphis, TN  
942-7627 ext. 351.

Mentors young people--primarily those residing in the Soulsville, USA neighborhood of Memphis--through music education and unique performance opportunities, with the goals of enhancing their leadership and academic skills and inspiring them to become facilitators for community change. All Academy students participate in one or more of our exciting programs, each which include opportunities for our students to learn, grow, and find their voices. SNAP! Summer Music Camp, SNAP! Grand Finale, SNAP! After School, SoulSchool Spring Break, Summer Soul Tour

### **Visible School**

<http://www.visible-school.com/>

9817 Huff N Puff Road  
Lakeland, TN 38002  
901 381 3939

A real, spiritual community of artists, technicians, ministers, and business people serving the church and society with the collective energy and talents to foster an environment of creativity, worship, and innovation in all artistic endeavors for the glory of God and for the benefit of all people.

## **Theology Training**

### **Harding Academy of Memphis**

[www.hardingacademymemphis.org](http://www.hardingacademymemphis.org)

1100 Cherry Road,  
Memphis, TN 38117  
Harding University Graduate School of Religion  
[www.hugsr.edu](http://www.hugsr.edu)  
1000 Cherry Road  
Memphis, TN 38117-9915  
901 761-1352

### **Memphis Center for Urban Theological Studies**

68 South Prescott, Suite 201  
Memphis, Tennessee 38111  
901 324-2014

A fascinating ministry created through a partnership between Memphis Leadership Foundation, Hope Christian Community Foundation, Neighborhood Christian Centers, Second and Hope Presbyterian Churches and Crichton College. Offers practical theological and doctrinal training and education to Christian leaders who may not have access to biblical education and who serve in Memphis' urban and inner-city communities.

### **Memphis School of Preaching**

<http://www.msop.org/>  
3950 Forest Hill Irene Road  
Memphis, TN, 38125  
901 751 9964

It is the desire and intent of this school to send forth men who love the Lord into the fields of labor, and who will always be set for the defense and proclamation of the gospel of Christ. Effort will always be made to conduct this school in a manner worthy of the confidence and support of those who love the truth.

### **Memphis Theological Seminary**

[www.memphis-seminary.edu/](http://www.memphis-seminary.edu/)  
168 East Parkway South,  
Memphis, TN 38104  
901 334-5800

An ecumenical Protestant seminary serving from the Mid-South region, is committed to providing theological education for church leaders throughout the world, an institution of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. As a Christian seminary, seek to cultivate a love for scholarship, piety and justice. Intentionally,

we foster ecumenical cooperation, support the full ministry of women and men of all races and cultures and provide resources for the church's life and witness.

### **Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary**

[www.mabts.edu](http://www.mabts.edu)

P. O. Box 381528,  
Germantown, TN 38183-9806  
901 751-8453

A school whose primary purpose is to provide graduate theological training for effective service in church related and missions vocations through its main campus and designated branch campuses

### **MidSouth Christian College**

<http://www.midsouthcc.org/English/Home.htm>

3097 Knight Road,  
Memphis, TN 38118  
901-375 4400

Exists to cooperate with Christian Churches in raising up individuals called by God to fulfill the global vision of Christ by facilitating their academic, practical and spiritual preparation.

## **Workforce Training**

### **Memphis City Schools, Adult Education**

[http://www.mcsk12.net/admin/communications/Dept\\_Curriculum/Careers\\_Tech/adulteducation.htm](http://www.mcsk12.net/admin/communications/Dept_Curriculum/Careers_Tech/adulteducation.htm)

Many career and technology courses are available. Messick is the central administrative and program site for Adult Basic Education and General Education Diploma (ABE/GED) Programs, the Families First ABE/GED program, English as a Second/Other Language for adults, Adult Vocational Training Programs, Vocational Services for Internationals, and Memphis Adult High School. The center provides day and evening classes, twelve months a year, for adults with a variety of educational needs. The student profile is as diverse as the community served and reflects the difference in cultural, social, and economic strands of the Memphis metropolitan area. Adult Education programs are open to anyone seventeen (17) years of age or older, who is not presently enrolled in a regular secondary school program. Pupil Services of Memphis City Schools or Juvenile Court may grant age waivers to students less than seventeen (17) years of age.

East Career and Technology Center 3225 Walnut Grove Road, Memphis, TN 38111 901.416.6200

Kansas Career and Technology Center 80 West Olive Avenue, Memphis, TN 38106 901.416.7300

Sheffield Career and Technology Center 4350 Chuck Avenue, Memphis TN 38118 901.416.2340

Kingsbury Career and Technology Center 1328 North Graham, Memphis, TN 38122, 901.416.6000

Southwest Career and Technology Center 3746 Horn Lake Road, Memphis, TN 38109 901.416.8186

Trezvant Career and Technology Center 3224 Rangeline Road, Memphis, TN 38127 901.416.3800

Messick adult education Center 703 S. Greer Street, Memphis, TN 38111 901.416.4840

Telecommunications Center 2485 Union Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee 38112 901.416.3460

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER 620 South Lauderdale, Memphis, TN 38126 901.416.7259

### **Tennessee Technology Center at Memphis**

[www.memphis.tec.tn.us](http://www.memphis.tec.tn.us)

550 Alabama Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38105  
901-543-6100

Premier provider for workforce development throughout the Memphis Metropolitan area.

### **William R. Moore College of Technology**

[www.williamrmoore.edu](http://www.williamrmoore.edu)

1200 Poplar Avenue,  
Memphis, TN 38104

A private, non-profit, two-year educational institution above the high school level offering occupational curricula in the fields of basic industrial, vocational and technical areas. The emphasis in all cases is on the application of "hands on" knowledge. Courses available are Maintenance technology, computer repair, Industrial electricity and plant maintenance, air conditioning/refrigeration and heating, machine shop and welding

## **Union**

**Memphis Education Association**

[www.gomea.com](http://www.gomea.com)

126 Flicker Street

Memphis, TN 38104

901.454.0966

Labor Union. The Memphis Education Association, as the collective voice of its members, promotes, advances and protects: quality education, the rights and interests of members, learning for all children, and the education profession.