

Mission

The mission of The Chandler School is to empower talented and bright students with dyslexia or other related language-based learning differences to become effective learners. By addressing both learning needs and intellectual strengths, we promote a love of learning that inspires our students to become strong self-advocates and confident lifelong learners prepared for the intellectual and social challenges of academics and life.

The Student Body

- The Chandler school serves 60 students in Kindergarten through 8th grades who are gifted and/or dyslexic.
- The student body is comprised of unique and talented children with a wide range of learning styles who benefit from small class size, specialized teaching techniques and individualized curriculum.

School Size

- Our student to faculty ratio is 8:1 in content and 1:1 or 2:1 in tutorial.
- Classes range in size from 1-on-1 tutorials to 7 students for the primary grades and up to 12 students for the upper grades, allowing Chandler teachers to provide customized education for every student.

Instruction

- All Chandler School faculty is Orton-Gillingham trained. We teach our students to read, comprehend, and write through a structured, sequential, multi-sensory, systematic, alphabet-phonetic approach to instruction.
- We provide individualized reading and language tutorials and small group instruction in the student's areas of greatest academic need.
- Chandler trains students in executive function skills through a physical and conceptual system of organization for homework and schedules.
- The curriculum meets all South Carolina independent school standards for language and literature, math, science, social studies, history, and physical education. All classes employ a kinetic/hands on approach to learning.
- Electives include drama, studio art, journalism, and dynamic learning in science, technology, engineering and math through ACE (Automotive Culture and Engineering), Autobotics (robotics), and Game Theory (Chess).

School Year

- The Chandler School is based on a nine-month trimester schedule that begins in August and ends in early June. Monday-Thursday are full school days and Fridays are always half days. All school days include additional pre- and post- school day options.

Summer Camp

- Our summer camp is a four-week, full-day program for children ages six to thirteen at our Augusta Street campus. Mornings are devoted to hands-on learning for dyslexic and ADHD children. Afternoon activities include water parks, rock climbing, field games and hikes.
- For camp information contact Hunter Patterson at (864) 320-2670.

Tuition

- The tuition for 2017- 2018 is \$19,950. Families can inquire about possible scholarship funds through the Exceptional SC program.
- For admission information contact Monica Cox at (864) 991-8443.