



IVY CLASSICAL ACADEMY

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Our full uniform guide and a link to purchase uniform items is now available **on our website**. Plaid jumper and skirt options will be made available later in the fall. Please remember that French Toast is the sole uniform provider for Ivy Classical Academy!

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Bring a Friend

We still have just a few seats available at several grade levels. Encourage the parents of your children's friends to **apply** for their child for the 2024-2025 school year. All remaining seats will be awarded on a first come, first served basis, so don't delay!

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NOW](#)



JOIN THE
**Parent Service
Organization**

We need parent volunteers! Our **Parent Service Organization** (PSO) supports the mission of Ivy Classical Academy through volunteering, fundraising, and other supportive activities. Membership in the PSO is open to the parents, grandparents, and guardians of any student currently enrolled at Ivy Classical Academy. All parents, grandparents, and guardians, are encouraged to sign up and participate in our weekly PSO meetings and other PSO activities. The annual membership fee is \$10.

JOIN
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Listen here to the second episode of the **Ivy Classical Education podcast**. In this episode, Dr. Withun provides some updates on the progress of opening the school and discusses Ivy Classical Academy's mission and what sets an American classical education apart.

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Letter from the Head of School

Dear Ivy Classical Academy Families and Friends,

April was another exciting month of progress in the opening of Ivy Classical Academy.

Our uniform guide is now **live on our website**. Please remember that **French Toast is the sole uniform provider for Ivy Classical Academy**. All uniform items, except belts, socks, and shoes need to be purchased from French Toast. Belts must be all-black, socks must be all-black, all-white, or all-navy blue, and shoes must be athletic shoes (not dress shoes) and either all-white or all-black. If you have any questions about our uniform, please check the uniform guide on our website. You can also email **info@ivyclassical.org** if the guide does not answer your questions.

We are looking for parent volunteers! We are looking for moms and dads who want to contribute to our school by being the founding members

and leaders of our Parent Service Organization (PSO). If you are interested, please [sign up on our website](#).

Finally, please be on the lookout for some important upcoming dates, including a groundbreaking ceremony and some dates in July to help us move in, set up our furniture, and get ready for the coming school year.

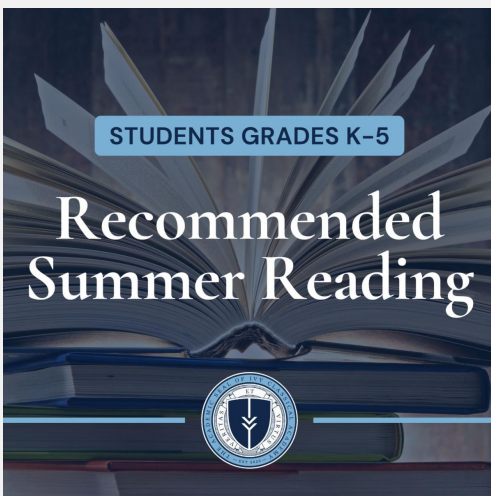
I am very excited as the beginning of our first school year approaches on **August 7th**. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to us at info@ivyclassical.org or call us at (334) 595-5580.

All the best,
Dr. David Withun
Founding Head of School

Curious about Our Curriculum?

We encourage you to explore our curriculum maps on the Ivy Classical website. They provide detailed insights into the exciting topics and subjects your children will engage with throughout the academic year.

[VIEW CURRICULUM MAPS](#)



Recommended Summer Reading

Summer Break is just around the corner and provides lots of opportunities for rest, relaxation, and spending time with friends and family. Summer is also a great time to read great books. Take a look at our recommend summer reading list by grade level [here](#) and enjoy a good book with your student this summer!

[Recommended Reading | The Classical Classroom](#)





Why take notes?

Every teacher across America has students take notes in class. But why? Are notes only useful as a study tool, or are there some other ways that notes are beneficial to students and teachers? Read through **this post** by Hillsdale College K-12 Master Teacher Jenny Mulvey's thoughts!



How Pinocchio helped him

The power of good literature is not to be understated. Hillsdale K-12 Master Teacher Lyna Heaton **shares one of her favorite memories** in her teaching career, recounting the time that the story of Pinocchio had a real and lasting impact on one of her students!



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