RIVERSIDE STUDENTS THRIVE thanks to small class sizes that allow our highly trained teachers to focus on each student's individualized needs. With high success rates, our programs are appropriately and academically challenging and designed to foster student confidence.





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Riverside School is a private, non-profit organization that admits students of any race, color, creed or national or ethnic origin.





PERSONALIZED INSTRUCTION

Riverside provides a tailored curriculum and utilizes the Orton-Gillingham Approach to support the needs of students in grades K-8 with dyslexia and similar language-based learning differences.

EXPERT FACULTY

Riverside teachers are exceptionally well trained and prepared to educate children with different learning needs. Our highly committed, experienced, and creative faculty have access to the latest research, best practices, and technological resources.





SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITY

Riverside offers a nurturing educational environment that helps to unlock life-changing potential in our students. Students thrive in our supportive community and are empowered to realize their highest potential.



OUR MISSION:

Riverside School transforms the lives of students with dyslexia and similar language-based learning differences while supporting a community of highly trained teachers and staff who specialize in educating these students to their highest potential.

THE ORTON-GILLINGHAM APPROACH

While the symptoms of dyslexia are common, each child has differences in their language needs. Our teachers utilize the Orton-Gillingham Approach, a research validated approach to reading instruction. All Riverside teachers are specially and extensively trained in the O-G Approach. It serves as the foundation for our program and is fully integrated into classroom core subject instruction.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Year Established: 1974

Grades: K - 8

Enrollment: 90 students

Faculty/Staff: 23 full time, 28 part time

Student/Teacher Ratio: 1:1 Language Fundamentals, 10:1 Classroom

Financial Information: Tuition information available online. Financial aid and

adjusted payment plans available.

Campus Facilities: Ten-acre campus includes four academic buildings, a gymnasium, library, art studio, 1-on-1 Language Fundamentals rooms, two athletic fields, and playgrounds.

Co-curricular Activities include physical education, art, music, library, and ballroom dance. Riverside students enjoy after-school offerings including soccer, basketball, tennis, art class, band, chess club, and more.

The Orton-Gillingham Approach is:

- Cognitive
- Direct and Explicit
- Structured, Sequential, and Cumulative
- Multisensory
- Emotionally Sound
- Diagnostic and Prescriptive



Our hallmark 1-on-1 Language Fundamentals instruction is provided to all students for 45 minutes a day, 4 days per week. It uses the O-G Approach to provide highly-specialized, multisensory instruction. The LF program builds close teacher-student relationships, allowing for continuous feedback and positive reinforcement which lead to a high success rate, increased self-confidence, and a bright future for your child.

