

GREENVILLE MIDDLE  
ACADEMY OF  
TRADITIONAL &  
GLOBAL STUDIES

## OUR MISSION

The mission of Greenville Middle Academy is to collaborate with home and community to provide diverse, academically challenging, educational experiences to prepare emerging adolescents to become self-directed, confident, lifelong learners in a changing technological world and to become productive participants in our democratic society.

## SYSTEMS OF SUPPORT

## WHO TO CONTACT

If your student is struggling, please reach out to our school counselors. We encourage parent involvement and student advocacy. We strive to ensure all students feel connected and supported at GMA.

### School Counselors:

Megan Giordani, 6th Grade  
Taki Johnson, 7th Grade  
Pam Cao, 8th Grade  
Darrah Heinold, Part-Time

### Mental Health Counselor:

Krista Day

### Magnet Coordinator:

Susan Simpson

### Administrators:

Nicky Andrews, Principal  
Randy Jenkins, 6th/7th Administrator  
Debbie Goulart, 7th/8th Administrator

## CONNECT WITH US

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### Social Media:

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Facebook: @gvillerrams



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1938

## ACADEMIC SUPPORTS & OPPORTUNITIES

- Help Sessions Offered by All Teachers
- French Immersion Program
- Inclusive Services for Students with Disabilities
- Read 180/System 44 Intervention
- Ed Support
- ESOL Support
- Social Emotional Learning Support
- Classroom Guidance Lessons
- Advanced & High School Level Courses (Math 6/7; Math 7/8; Algebra I; Geometry; Gifted/Talented English; English I; Spanish I; French I; French Immersion; Computer Technology)
- Career Readiness
- Arts Integration through SmartARTS
- Career Exploration & Career Day
- Field Experiences
- Latin/Greek Stems Vocabulary
- Fine Arts & Related Arts Offerings (Band, Art, Strings, Chorus, Yearbook, Spanish, French, Physical Education, Global Studies, Multimedia Basics, Gateway to Technology)
- Over 25,000 Titles in our Media Center/Library

*"Andrea has had an amazing year and overall we have had an incredible experience that was better than we expected! I felt like she learned so much and came home enthusiastic to complete assignments. The electives she chose turned out great! She loved Global Studies, Media Lit, and GTT. She learned many new things and shared them with us regularly."*

*Parent of a 6th grade student*



## PARENT SUPPORTS

- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Parent/Counselor Conferences
- PTA/School Guidance Events
- Lunch & Learn Sessions
- Individual Graduation Plan Conferences w/ Every 8th Grader
- Curriculum Night
- Parent Teacher Association
- School Improvement Council



## STUDENT SUPPORTS

- Rising 6th Grade Orientation
- Rambassadors
- Peer Mentors
- Honor & Service Clubs
- Various Interest Clubs
- Middle School Sports (Volleyball, Basketball, Softball, Baseball, & Soccer)
- RAM Time during the day (extension, support, remediation)
- Mentoring Program through Upstate Mentor
- Small Group & Individual Counseling
- A School Counselor at Every Grade Level
- On-site Mental Health Counselor
- School Resource Officer