

5 REASONS TO Do the SMART Thing

1 SMART Opportunity
74% of elementary and middle school parents would pay for affordable academic enrichment if available.

2 SMART Access
85% of adults believe it is difficult for parents to find after-school programs for children in their communities.

3 The SMART Idea
We offer high quality (K-12) math and ELA instruction (after-school, weekends and summers) in school and community sites for as low as \$17 per hour.

4 SMART Results
Our students average a minimum gain of one proficiency level in math and/or ELA in 30 weeks.

5 A SMART Investment
ENROLL TODAY!



SMART ACADEMY LOCATIONS

Duke Energy Learning Center
781 Bright Creek Way
Raleigh, NC 27601
(Behind Ligon Middle School)
Grades 3 - 12

Capitol Park Learning
971 Harp Street
Raleigh, NC 27604
(Behind William Peace College)
Grades K - 2

Rolesville Middle School
4700 Burlington Mills Road
Rolesville, NC 27571
Grades K - 8

Knightdale High School
100 Bryan Chalk Lane
Knightdale, NC 27545
Grades 9 - 12



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THE SMART ACADEMY

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WHO WE ARE

For more than 25 years, Communities In Schools of Wake County (CIS Wake) has partnered with the Wake County Public School System (WCPSS) to help students stay in school and achieve in life.

In Spring 2013 CIS Wake launched the SMART Academy, as an academic enrichment program that ensures that **Students Maximize Academic Resources through Technology.**

Thanks to the support of our partners at Duke Energy, Biogen and Cisco, the SMART Academy offers year-round programs and services designed to develop the 21st Century thinking skills of students in grades K-12.

"According to my calculations he will have moved both Science and Social Studies from D's last quarter to Bs this quarter!!"

Christy Miller
Parent of 7th Grade Student

OUR LESSON PLAN:

SMART Weekend School: Grades K – 12

During SMART Weekend School, we assess student math and reading levels in order to develop individualized lesson plans based on grade level benchmarks and SMART growth goals. The Weekend agenda calls for 4 rotations of ELA, math and project-based learning instruction aligned with Common Core Standards. In addition to instruction we make learning fun through SMART Adventures (engaging field studies).

SMART Evening Instruction: Grades K - 12

SMART Evening Instruction provides students in grades K – 12 access to certified teachers in math and ELA who assist in homework tutorial.

SMART End of Grade (EOG) Camp: Grades K – 8

SMART EOG Camp provides intensive review sessions for students in grades K – 8 on the weekends. EOG Test preparation

SMART Summer Camp: Grades K – 8

SMART Summer is a full-day camp where students develop and reinforce academic skills to help them in the classroom. Led by certified teachers, our SMART Summer Camp includes: 90 – mins of math, 90 – mins of ELA, and Project-Based Learning experiments daily. Students focus on enrichment and acceleration activities utilizing Triumph Learning Online which aligns with Common Core Standards.

OUR ROTATION MODEL:

- **Project-Based Learning (experiential learning):**
Students practically apply the math and ELA principles that they have learned in a fun and interesting science-project.
- **Interactive Instruction (data driven instruction):**
Individualized lesson plans are developed using benchmark data to monitor goal achievement. Lesson plans are loaded in each student's on-line portfolio for work in our computer labs or at home.
- **Small Group Instruction (differentiated learning):**
With a low teacher-student ratio, instructors help students develop a deeper understanding of core concepts. Students work together to achieve group performance goals and targets during each session.
- **Real World Application (social impact filtered via historical/current affairs lens):**
Students make connections by discussing what they've learned in the context of current events. This makes their learning relevant.

