



Buice Center

ADAPT/BRIDGE/STRIVE

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Dear Students and Parents,

I hope you are enjoying your summer break. We are excited about the upcoming 2022/023 school year and would like to share some information. Our back-to-school celebration and registration will be **Friday, July 29, 2022**. Our address is **1225 Northbrook Parkway, Suwanee, GA 30024** (**GPS will route you to the middle school next door).

Registration times are as follows:

STRIVE Program: 8:00 am - 10:00 am

ADAPT Program: 8:00 am - 11:30 am and 1:00 pm - 2:45 pm

We are looking forward to this day for several important reasons:

- You will meet your caseload teacher and other support staff.
- Tour the building.
- Complete required paperwork necessary for the school year.
- If needed, you may drop off medication and complete appropriate paperwork. Please remember regardless of age, medication may not be sent with the student on the school bus.
- **School pictures** will be made for the school year, dress accordingly.
- You will receive the student handbook and have time to review and understand the expectations, policies and procedures.
- Receive assistance with Parent Portal if needed. This is the main communication platform to gain knowledge about your student and other information from the school and the district.
<https://www.gcpsk12.org>
- Meet with School Nutrition Personnel if you have questions or need assistance with paperwork with MyPaymentsPlus or completing the Free and Reduce application:
<https://www.nlappscloud.com/District.aspx#loaded>
- Visit our school store for Spirit Wear and supplies.

STRIVE Program Only:

The Gwinnett County's audiology and vision team will be in the building to perform hearing and vision assessments on STRIVE students that will require any type of evaluation or assessment in the 22/23 school year. Please bring glasses or hearing devices if you wear them for any reason.

Vision Statement

The Buice Center will provide an engaging, rigorous, academic environment. We will ADAPT teaching, BRIDGE gaps, and STRIVE to prepare each student with the knowledge needed to be independent, successful individuals.

School begins Wednesday, August 3, 2022. Our school hours for ADAPT students is 7:10 am to 1:40 pm, STRIVE students is 7:00 am – 1:00 pm. Please visit our school website for more information at <https://www.gcpsk12.org/BuiceCenter>.

Transportation will contact you about your student's route between July 28 and August 2, 2022.

Thank you for your assistance as we prepare for a smooth start in August. If you have questions or concerns, please let us know. You may reach us at 678-542-2330 or email me at Kim.Mankin@gcpsk12.org or Lucille.Robinson@gcpsk12.org. There is limited staff in the building until July 18, so if you leave a phone message it may be the next day until your call is returned. Also, while we work Monday- Thursday for the month of July, we occasionally have off-site meetings. Email will be the quickest way to reach us should you have a question.

We look forward to welcoming our new and returning students and families.

Sincerely,

Kim Mankin,
Principal