

Prayer Focus Schools/Education Systems

As students, administrators, faculty and support staff return to the education system, we lift them all in prayer – from Elementary to College, in both private and public environments.

Evangelism

- ◆ God, open the door for the message of Christ to be proclaimed on education campuses throughout Austin. Give Your people, from the youngest to the oldest, words and boldness to make it known. Open the hearts of students, faculty, staff, and administrators so they can respond to the message. (Col. 4:3-4; Eph. 6:19; Acts 16:14; 2 Thess. 3:1).

Students

- ◆ Lord, give students a hunger for truth and a curiosity about Your Word, followed by an understanding and love for it (Ps. 119:97,104).
- ◆ Help Christian students to become “long-haulers” who will stand firm and follow You for their entire lives and not just during their school days. Let nothing move them away from You. (1 Cor. 15:58-59).
- ◆ Holy Spirit, convict believing students of sin and help them to abstain from it wholeheartedly. Empower them to live such good lives that their unbelieving peers will see their good deeds and give You glory (1 Pet. 2:11-12).

Faculty and Administration and Staff

- ◆ God of all wisdom, help these learned men and women not to be puffed up by their knowledge. Give them humility so they will not be caught in the trap of thinking they know it all. Help them to recognize that the foolishness of God is wiser than all of human wisdom (1 Cor. 1:20-25, 8:1-2).
- ◆ Spirit of truth, guide teachers and textbook writers into all truth. Demolish strongholds of worldly, godless philosophies; demolish every argument and pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God. Help curriculum creators focus on what is true, noble, right, pure, lovely, admirable, excellent, and praiseworthy (Jn. 16:13; 2 Cor. 10:4-5; Phil. 4:8).
- ◆ Lord, raise up a generation of godly faculty, staff members, and administrators—young people with aptitude for every kind of learning, who are well informed, quick to understand, and able to teach even in a godless environment (Dan. 1:4).

Student Leaders

- ◆ Sovereign Lord, You establish all authorities. Bring students who hold authority positions to the knowledge of the truth so that everyone may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness (Ro. 13:1; 1 Tim. 2:1-3).

Spiritual Warfare

- ◆ Deliverer, protect believing students, faculty and staff from evildoers and enemies. Strengthen and protect them from the evil one, and direct their hearts into Your love and Christ’s perseverance (Ps. 59:1-2; 2 Thess. 3:3,5).

Missions

- ◆ Father, You have prepared good works for all Your children. Raise up new Christian leaders and send them into government, business, education, journalism, and the arts so they can make disciples of all nations (Eph.2:10; Mt. 28:19).