# Saint George Home School Community Learning Genter

**Academic Year** 

2022 - 2023

Saint George HSCLC is pleased to facilitate another year of Classical-and Charlotte Mason-inspired learning! Our mission is to provide affordable and specialized tutoring services in a nurturing Orthodox Christian environment. We serve homeschooling families with children ages 5-18, who participate in small mixed-age learning groups. Children are given the opportunity to progress at their own pace, while tutors work with the strengths of each child on an individual basis and help identify areas of need. We recognize parents as the primary educators of their children, with the Learning Center as a partner in this endeavor. Our focus is on a "living" education and the formation of the individual person through relationship and exposure to what is good, beautiful, and true. In addition, homeschooling families benefit from the balance and reinforcement that the Learning Center provides to their educational time in the home.

#### NOW OFFERING MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL!

Small Group Instruction
Elective & Enrichment Options
High School Literary Group
College Preparatory Skills
Experienced Instructors





#### PROGRAM OFFERINGS

### **Learning Groups**



Kindergarten

Level 1: Grades 1-3

Level 2: Grades 4-6

Level 3: Grades 7-9

Level 4: Grades 9-12

Please note: Because we are a small program, levels may be combined depending on the number of students.

#### **Enrichment Program**



We are excited to offer an afternoon program of classes like foreign languages, art, music, and life skills. Details will be forthcoming!



The Learning Center is held at St. George Greek Orthodox Church in Eugene, Oregon. Our full-time program takes place on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 8:45am-1:45pm. For those seeking elective-style classes, we are offering an Enrichment Program in the afternoons (schedule to be determined).

### Curriculum and Approach

Our approach to learning is inspired by the work of Charlotte Mason, a 19<sup>th</sup> century British educator, as well as classical education. Central to both philosophies is the truth that a child is a person created in the image of God, and therefore capable of becoming Christ-like and deserving of a nurturing education that will allow this to take place. An education like this emphasizes the great and beautiful works of literature, history, art, and science, as well as the rhythms of the natural world and the liturgical cycles of the Orthodox Church.

Our core curriculum is A Gentle Feast, a Charlotte Mason program for all ages which integrates the subjects of history, literature, science, art, and geography through different historical periods. We supplement this program as needed with other literature-based curricula. Our Kindergarten & Level 1 groups may also include Montessori-inspired methods and materials.

Our Middle and High School program incorporates elements of classical logic and rhetoric, emphasizes the development of the students' abilities to think and communicate critically, clearly, and effectively, and above all, encourages the growth of wisdom, a lifelong love of learning, and thoughtful engagement with the world.

## How to Apply

If you feel that this program may be the right fit for your family, please email us at <a href="https://hsclear.google.com">hscle@stgeorgeor.org</a>. We will provide you with an application, as well as answer any questions you might have. You may submit your application via email to the above address, or by mail to our address at: 202 Hillview Ln #1, Eugene OR 97408



Growing in Wisdom Together