

Defining Ourselves – Our Mission

Bright School, the oldest independent elementary school in Tennessee, is committed to the intellectual, artistic, physical, and moral growth of young boys and girls.

WE SEEK...

- **Academically talented students willing to engage in a program created to educate the whole child**
- **A school community of diverse cultural, racial, religious and economic backgrounds**

WE OFFER...

- **A rich and rigorous child-centered curriculum**
- **A learning environment designed to stimulate critical thinking, creative inquiry, and intellectual achievement**

WE DEVELOP...

- **A life-long love of learning**
- **High personal expectations**
- **Integrity**
- **A strong sense of responsibility for one's self, one's community, and the natural world**

Throughout their journey, Bright School students build a firm foundation upon which they will become wise and compassionate citizens of the world.

(Adopted by the Bright School Board of Trustees, September 2006)