



ANNUAL SNAPSHOT 2023

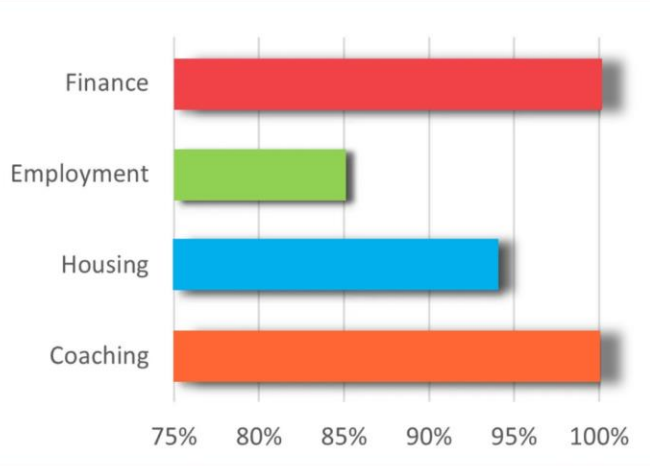


THE ACADEMY
Supporting working families

STUDENT PERFORMANCE

We offer students a high-quality curriculum and small class sizes, with an emphasis on student centered learning and life skills. It is not uncommon to walk into a classroom at our campus on Belle Avenue and see history, math, science and reading come to life.

In 2022, our first year of SOL testing, our students excelled despite two years of pandemic learning and they made additional gains in 2023. Academy students typically perform better academically than their peers in public school.



PARENT PERFORMANCE

- Attended/enrolled to attend a finance class
- Maintained or improved employment
- Families who maintained stable housing
- Families enrolled in coaching

Academy families are actively engaged in our coaching program and working towards their goals. We recently had a family purchase their very first home!

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

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FAMILY POPULATION

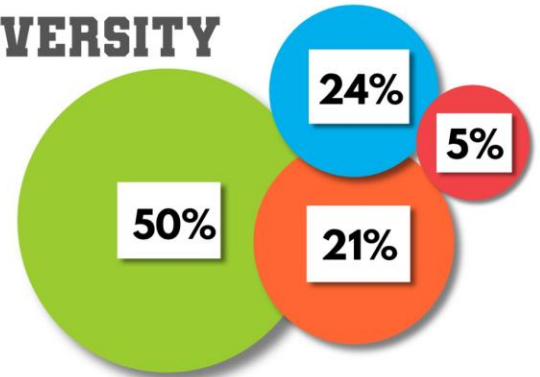
The Academy currently serves 63 students and families from a diverse range of backgrounds. Our students call many parts of the Roanoke Valley home but are concentrated in the SE and NW corridors of Roanoke City where poverty rates are the highest.

Families must meet income requirements that are within 300% or less of the federal poverty guidelines and must be employed or enrolled in an education or training program. The majority are single parents raising 2 or more children who work one or more jobs.



RACIAL DIVERSITY

- Black
- Mixed Race
- White
- Hispanic



PARENT REVIEWS

My son has been here for the past 2 years, and I couldn't be more satisfied with the quality of education he is receiving! The staff goes above and beyond to meet each child's specific needs, and to be sure the children's family's have what they need as well. I couldn't be more grateful for this wonderful establishment and all they have done for me and mine!!!



My child has attended the Academy at Belle since it all started I couldn't be more satisfied with the education they receive, the smaller classrooms gives the teacher the ability to tend to each child's needs individually, the support from the staff for the parents is out of this world. I wouldn't choose another school if I had to!



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