

**Lillie E. Suder Elementary School**

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Dear Parents and Lillie E. Suder Elementary School Community:

Welcome back to the 2021-2022 school year at Suder Elementary School! As *The Marathon Continues Towards Our High Performance*, Lillie E. Suder Elementary is a registered school of Cambridge Assessment International Education. As one of three schools in the state of Georgia, we are also part of a group of international schools that focuses on deepening our learners' global perspective while guiding them in developing an informed curiosity and a lasting passion for learning. The Cambridge international curriculum sets a global standard for education, and is recognized by universities and employers worldwide. Being a part of this prestigious program will help your child become a confident, responsible, reflective, innovative and engaged learner who will be ready to tackle the demands of tomorrow's world and capable of shaping a better world for the future.

As a Cambridge learner, students get to play an active role in the classroom. They are encouraged to think critically, learn how to construct an argument, evaluate evidence, and reflect on their learning so that they are able to build on experience and plan ahead. They will learn to work independently as well as collaborate with one another to bring a project to a successful outcome (and if it's not successful, they'll also learn lessons from reflecting on why that might be). Lastly and most importantly, our students will be encouraged to develop an international outlook, and become confident, global citizens which aligns with our district's vision statement.

Beginning this school year, Suder Elementary will offer the Global Perspectives curriculum in **every** K-5 classroom as well as the Cambridge Primary Art and Design, Music, and PE curriculum through our Fine Arts department. This curriculum will not take the place of any core content (ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies) but will be implemented in conjunction with these contents. As time progresses, we expect to see our scholars demonstrating the skills (Analysis, Evaluation, Collaboration, Communication, Reflection & Research) learned through the Global Perspectives curriculum in their core content areas.

If you would like more information about the benefits of being a registered Cambridge Assessment International Education school, please go to our school website <https://122.clayton.k12.ga.us/> and click on the Cambridge International School tab, or go to the Cambridge International website at <https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/>, or contact the Cambridge Site Coordinator, Evelyn Hodges, at [evelyn.hodges@clayton.k12.ga.us](mailto:evelyn.hodges@clayton.k12.ga.us). We are looking forward to a year of engaging our scholars and helping them develop an informed curiosity and a lasting passion for learning.

Sincerely,

Evelyn Hodges  
Cambridge AIE Lead Teacher

Lillie E. Suder Elementary is a registered school of Cambridge Assessment International Education. Cambridge International programs inspire students to love learning, helping them discover new abilities and a wider world.

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