

MOUNTAINBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am submitting this letter of intent on behalf of the Mountainburg Public Schools to apply as a District Conversion Public Charter.

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Mountainburg Middle School intends to apply as a conversion charter school.

The name of the school will be Mountainburg Middle School Brain Academy, and remain located at 129 Hwy 71 SW, Mountainburg, AR 72946. The school will serve grades 5-8, serving approximately 210 students.


The special emphasis of the school will be designed to deliver learning systems based on brain research and incorporation of physical activity into the instructional day to #BuildDragonStrong. MMS Brain Academy will take a three-prong focus on literacy and STEM academics, physical fitness, and strength of character, utilizing the Focus 3 character performance system to install a culture that trains and motivates all learners to train and perform at elite levels.

This three-prong approach includes:

- Purposefully designed instructional blocks anchored with literacy and STEM learning
- Individual and competitive emphasis on fitness and wellness with challenge fitness courses
- Dedicated performance systems to teach Above the Line behaviors and skills

Thank you for your assistance with this project.

Sincerely,



Dr. Debbie Atwell
Superintendent