

## Every local church has a local school.

Every local school needs community partners. Back-to-school season provides the opportunity to seek and strengthen these relationships.

### **LET'S PRAY FOR OUR AREA SCHOOLS**

**PRAY FOR YOUR SCHOOL BOARD AND SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIONS** to promote truth in local schools.

**PRAY FOR TEACHERS** as they often deal with a lack of supplies and parental support and are trying to help every student excel and learn.

**PRAY FOR FAMILIES** as they prepare their children for a year of school that will bring new exciting opportunities and difficult challenges

**PRAY FOR STUDENTS** to grow in truth and grace and to pursue excellence in school.

**PRAY FOR CHRISTIAN STUDENTS** to be salt and light in their schools.

**PRAY FOR YOUR CHURCH** to find new ways to engage their families, students, teachers and administration members this school year.

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As local schools begin the 2023-2024 school year, they need the support a local church can offer. How can your church encourage and partner with area schools?

Visit [sbcv.org/backtoschool](https://sbcv.org/backtoschool) to learn more about serving local schools or call the SBC of Virginia office at (804) 270-1848.