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MAKING A DIFFERENCE, ONE ACT OF SERVICE AT A TIME

Madison Academy students put their faith into action through a day dedicated to serving others and making a difference in our community.

On November 4, Madison Academy students in grades 7–12 stepped beyond their everyday routines and into the community for Student Service Day. The day centered on giving back, lending a helping hand, and putting into action the values at the heart of Madison Academy.

Our 9th–12th grade students took their service beyond campus and into the Huntsville community. Students visited several local organizations, including the Botanical Garden, a local soup kitchen, and Wreaths for Veterans. At each location, they served others, supported meaningful causes, and represented Madison Academy throughout the community. At Wreaths for Veterans, students helped assemble wreaths that will be placed on veterans' graves in December, honoring those who have served our country. This hands-on opportunity allowed students to be part of something meaningful while recognizing the importance of remembering and honoring our veterans.





Student Service Day reminds us making a difference doesn't always require something big. Sometimes, it looks like painting a wall, helping a teacher, preparing a meal, or putting together a wreath to honor a hero.

It's about recognizing a need and being willing to step in and help. At Madison Academy, we want our students to grow not only in the classroom but also in character, compassion, and their desire to serve others.

This is at the heart of what Madison Academy strives to instill in every student. As a private Christian school in Huntsville, Alabama, we are dedicated to providing a quality, Christ-centered education that nurtures the whole student—mind, body, and soul. While academic success is an important part of our mission, we believe education goes beyond the classroom. It is also about developing faith, building leadership, discovering purpose, and learning what it means to serve others.

We want to inspire students to grow in wisdom, in stature, and in favor with God and man. Opportunities like Student Service Day allow students to put these values into practice and see firsthand how their time, talents, and willingness to serve can make a difference. We hope they carry these lessons with them long after the day is over, continuing to seek opportunities to lead, encourage, and serve wherever God calls them.



> *Serving others becomes more than just a task; it creates a desire to use your gifts and talents to help others succeed beyond what they ever thought possible.* ELLIE BISHOP, 10TH GRADE