



## RABUN GAP

Rabun Gap-Nacoochee School

# Come Move Mountains

In Rabun Gap, Georgia, on 1,400 scenic acres in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, an exceptional boarding and day school stands uniquely positioned to offer a world-class education amid an intimate rural setting. Rabun Gap has evolved into a globally recognized leader in college preparatory education that teaches young people the skills and values necessary to thrive in the 21st century.

### Delivering a World-Class Education

Rabun Gap is a diverse community with students from approximately 15 countries and 18 states. The students are exposed to a range of perspectives and experiences that foster global awareness and cultural competency. According to Head of School John Marshall, "It is this rich cultural competency that offers our graduates, both domestic and international, a concrete advantage to succeed in our ever changing and complex world."

### Dedicated to the Success of Every Student

Each year every graduate is accepted into college, including such top institutions as Princeton, UNC-Chapel Hill, Vanderbilt, Emory, Georgia Tech, Davidson, Furman, the University of Georgia, Yale, Brown and the United States Naval Academy, among others. The 66 seniors from the Class of 2010 received 327 acceptances into 149 colleges and universities. The school's team of college counselors works with each student and family to identify the best college placement for their goals and long-term success.

### A Boarding School Tradition

The school's long history of being a close-knit and cohesive community is clearly reflected on campus today.

#### Facts at a Glance:

- 100% College Placement
- SAIS/SACS accreditation
- Founded 1903
- Work Study Worship motto
- 350 students, grades 6-12
- 16 Advanced Placement courses
- 27 Athletic teams
- Highly acclaimed Fine Arts program
- Outdoor recreation and environmental programs
- Less than 2 hours from Atlanta, Greenville and Asheville



Director of Admission Gayle Holt recounts, "We are often asked by visitors and parents, how does Rabun Gap foster such an authentic sense of community on campus?" Marshall believes the answer lies in the faculty's dedication to its students. "Our teachers have a huge heart for students and this deep devotion, along with our school's noble heritage, creates an ethos in which every student truly matters. At Rabun Gap each student is important not just to the faculty, but more poignantly, they are important to each other. There really are no cliques here because almost everyone is coming from a different part of the world."

### Thriving With Opportunity

Students at Rabun Gap benefit from arts, athletics, and environmental programs that offer a novice a place to begin and an expert an opportunity to flourish. "Rabun Gap provided me abundant opportunities to grow and to help me discover who I am and what I enjoy," says Chrissy Haney '09. "There are so many ways to get involved that everyone finds an activity that will benefit them."

Drawing inspiration from its magnificent mountain setting, dedicated faculty and staff, a remarkable 107-year history and an array of outstanding academic and co-curricular opportunities, Rabun Gap is a very special school that brings out each student's absolute best. Welcome to Rabun Gap.

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