



HIGH SCHOOL

Whitefield Academy Morris Hall Building

Mableton, GA

New Construction/Addition
Multi-use/joint-use building/space

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KEY STATS

Grades Served: 9–12
Capacity: 500 students
Size of Site: 1.25 acres
Building Area: 54,000 sq. ft.
Space per Student: 235 sq. ft.
Cost per Student: \$33,389
Square Foot Cost: \$142
Construction Cost: \$7,746,203
Completion Date: August 2012

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Whitefield Academy is a small independent K–12 school located just outside Atlanta. Morris Hall is the newest addition to the Whitefield Academy campus master plan and provides 54,000 square feet of science, art, lecture and flexible classroom space for its high school students. This new building also houses a state-of-the-art black-box theater used campuswide.

The building program hinges off of a large main entry hall with exposed architectural steel framing and wood decking ceiling. The design intent was to provide a sophisticated academic setting that fit well within the campus' bucolic landscape.

Per the master plan, Morris Hall is sited at the end north of the main quadrangle where it becomes the focal point of the campus. It is located adjacent to the middle school building. Continuing the already established architectural vernacular on site, it was important to work with this same rich palette of materials; fieldstone, glass, wood and steel.

