A LITTLE HISTORY

In the early 1920's, Jack P. and Annie Simpson purchased the farm where Hapeville Charter Career Academy now stands. In the early 1930's, during Roosevelt's presidency, Mr. Simpson opened Red Oak Dairies, Inc. The dairy was operated by power produced from a large water spring that also was used to water the cattle.

Mr. Simpson was a founder of Atlanta Dairies, now known as Parmalat Dairy, Inc. Atlanta Dairies and Cloverdale Dairy (Mr. Simpson's business) were the largest dairies in Atlanta for many years. They delivered milk daily to customers' homes and to businesses in and around Atlanta.

The pecan trees, which still stand on the campus of HCCA, were planted for Annie Mae Simpson, in 1929. Pecan trees may live and bear pecans for more than 300 years. The tree takes many years to come to full fruit-bearing potential. It is a tree that is enjoyed for its beauty, its shade, and its fruit. The pecan trees on our logo represent our commitment to a lifelong involvement in education; the enjoyment of education; and the product of education.

Since its inception in 2004, Hapeville Charter School (HCS) has actively associated itself with community and business leaders in the South Fulton County area. These partners have helped to ensure that the school's educational approach supports the needs of the community and that the student's educational experience is current and relevant with emerging economic needs.

Current HCS projects include NATEF (National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation) certification and Hapeville Charter After Hours, a continuing education program for students and adults. For further information, contact Dr. Gary Martin, President, Hapeville Charter School at gmartin@hcafterhours.org.

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VISION AND MISSION

HAPEVILLE CHARTER AFTER HOURS

VISION

Hapeville Charter After Hours is committed to lifelong educational opportunities for adults and to the philosophy that LEARNING IS FOREVER!

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MISSION

We will diversify and improve programs and services for the benefit of the community; build partnerships with public, private, and community-based agencies to better respond to educational, economic, environmental, and societal needs; and foster the participation of our students and employees in community life. We will exchange expertise and innovation to improve the community.

Hapeville Charter After Hours, Inc. is a non-profit corporation established within the State of Georgia in 2012 (Ga. Sec. of State Control #120084232.)

Hapeville Charter After Hours, Inc. is in the process of applying for 501(c)(3) status.

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