

Georgia Charters

One hundred forty schools in Georgia received grants from the federal Charter Schools Program between 2006-2014. At this time, at least 75 (54%) of those charter schools are closed or never opened at all.

Oddly, of those 75 closed schools, 39 with the same name and/or NCES number of the awardee are public schools. We found four cases in which the school had been a public school, became a charter school, and then reverted back to a public school prior to 2006.

All findings were confirmed by searching the list of Georgia charter schools [here](#) and then then confirming the school's status using the NCES number of the school [here](#). If results were uncertain, the Internet was searched.

In total, \$23,107,708.00 was awarded to Georgia charter schools during those years that either never opened or shut down. Because Georgia does not publish a list of closed charters, we cannot determine which schools never opened at all.

The chart below shows the names of all of the closed Georgia charter schools that received CSP grants between 2006-2014. Those highlighted in dark maroon are public schools. The rest are grant recipient schools that are not currently operational. The federal grant amount is to the right of the school's name.



Name of Charter School	Grant Amount
Atlanta Preparatory Academy	\$400,000
Challenge Charter Academy	\$400,000
Chattahoochee County H.S.	\$400,000
Chestatee Academy of Inquiry and Talent Development	\$200,000
Chestnut Elementary	\$257,820
Connected Academy	\$400,000
Destiny Academy of Excellence	\$400,000
Destiny Achievers Academy of Excellence	\$103,558
Dooly County High School	\$200,000
Dougherty Comprehensive High School	\$400,000
Dougherty International Education Middle School	\$400,000
Dunwoody Springs Elementary	\$200,000
Effingham Gateway to College	\$400,000
Emerson Elementary	\$123,000
Erwin Mitchell	\$5,000
Fargo Elementary	\$252,573
Forsyth County Academy	\$400,000
Fulton Sunshine Academy	\$400,000
Gateway to College Academy	\$400,000
Gina Harbort	\$5,000
Gwinnett Charter School (AMST)	\$400,000
Gwinnett Online Charter	\$425,000
Heritage Preparatory Academy School	\$1,216,123
Hickory Flat Charter Elementary	\$425,000
Int'l Academy of Mableton	\$400,000
Intown Academy	\$400,000
Ivy Preparatory Academy	\$750,000
Ivy Preparatory Academy - Boys	\$121,398
Jenkins-White Elementary	\$200,000
KidsPeace	\$900,974
Kingsley Elementary	\$123,000
KIPP Achieve Academy	\$294,120
Latin Academy Charter School	\$550,000
Macon Charter Academy	\$167,680
Marietta Charter School	\$400,000
Martin Technology Academy of Math and Science	\$200,000
McEver Arts Academy	\$200,000
Mercer Middle	\$203,000
Morgan County Elementary	\$200,000
Morgan County High School	\$400,000
Morgan County Middle School	\$200,000
Morgan County Primary	\$200,000
Murphey Middle Charter Academy	\$200,000
North Springs High School	\$270,735

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Opportunity Academy	\$123,000
Patricia Lewis/Lewis Academy	\$405,000
Peachtree Hope Charter School	\$199,430
PEARLS	\$5,000
Rainbow Elementary	\$123,000
Reese Road Leadership Academy	\$200,000
Sandy Springs Charter Middle School	\$200,000
Sardis Elementary Charter School	\$200,000
Savannah Arts Academy HS	\$123,000
Savannah Gateway to College	\$400,000
Sawyer Road Elementary	\$400,000
Scholars Academy	\$600,000
SIATech	\$333,526
Smoke Rise Charter School	\$150,899
Spalding Drive Elementary	\$478,687
Spout Springs Elementary School	\$375,000
Stone Mtn Middle	\$123,000
T.E.A.C.H Charter High School	\$400,000
Talbot Alternative Academy	\$123,000
Taliaferro	\$268,000
TECH High	\$400,000
Technical Career Academy	\$300,586
The Elite Scholars Academy	\$348,896
Trion City MS	\$123,000
UNIDOS Dual Language	\$400,000
University Community Academy	\$350,703
Walton Career Academy	\$400,000
Wauka Mountain Multiple Intelligences Academy	\$200,000
Webster County High School	\$400,000
Woodland Elementary	\$160,000
World Language Academy at Chestnut Mountain	\$200,000
Total	\$23,107,708