



A private, non-denominational, Christ-centered school for at-risk youth in grades 5–9 in the Glenwood neighborhood of Greensboro.

## Dreams coming true

A quick update from Hope Academy Nov. 2012

The look on his face tells how much he loved sitting in the most expensive Lexus on the market.

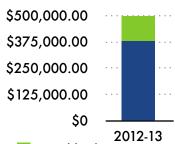
When we push students to work harder and longer in school than they've ever imagined, we have to give them a goal. Recently, each 8th grader completed a project on their future profession and presented their dream to the rest of the student body. Devondre wants to be a mechanical engineer. Not just any mechanical engineer; he wants to design cars for

Lexus. (Obviously, Devondre has great taste.)
One of the great benefits of Hope Academy to the students in Glenwood is our connections in the community. Once we knew Devondre's dream, we immediately arranged a tour of the local Lexus dealership to experience first hand the cars he wants to design. Jim Mumford did a great job explaining all the wonderful design features in the different Lexus models and patiently gave us a tour of every department in the dealership. As he toured the facility, Devondre's jaw dropped when he discovered that anyone waiting for their car to be serviced had free access to an iPad. "What a great place! That's customer service!" he said.

When we returned to school, Devondre said, "I want to be a mechanical engineer now more than ever!" He then became one of only four students to make straight A's on his report card.

Thanks for helping Hope Academy make dreams come true for students like Devondre.

## The Finances Where are we?



Total budget

Cash and pledges

## Student Baptism

There will be a baptism service for four Hope Academy students at Grace Community Church on December 9th at both services. Please join our celebration.

Thank you for all you have done for the students in Glenwood. Hope Academy could not exist without your generosity of time, donations, prayers and financial support. We are \$115,000 shy of funding our budget for the year. Please consider us in your year-end giving plans.

## Write checks to Glenwood Family Ministries Memo line: Hope Academy

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