

HORIZONS ATLANTA

LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Dear Friends and Supporters,

It is a tremendous honor to serve as the Executive Director of Horizons Atlanta and to be part of a mission that uplifts, empowers, and inspires our scholars through transformative summer learning experiences.

Every day, I'm reminded of the immense power of education and the collective spirit that makes our work possible. From our dedicated team, board members, and site staff to the tireless efforts of our volunteers, generous donors, and community partners — thank you. Your belief in our scholars fuels the momentum behind our mission and the impact we make together.

Over the past few years, our organization has experienced remarkable growth, reaching more young people, expanding our programs, and deepening our impact. This growth is a testament to the resilience of our community and the urgency of our shared vision. As we look ahead to this summer and beyond, we are laser-focused on the thoughtful, strategic work needed to sustain and build upon that momentum.

Together, we are creating spaces where scholars thrive, where they are challenged, supported, and seen. The future is bright, and I am excited to continue this journey with all of you.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ann Marie Bedtke". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of each name being capitalized and prominent.

Ann Marie Bedtke
Executive Director, Horizons Atlanta

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2024 IMPACT AT A GLANCE

Closing the opportunity gap.



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ATLANTA®

**370 Dedicated
Staff Members**



**1,576
Scholars
Served**

**14,476
Volunteer
Hours**



**806 Hours
Swim
Instruction**

**107 Field
Trips**

**1,058 Hours
Social-
Emotional
Learning**

11 Sites Across Metro Atlanta



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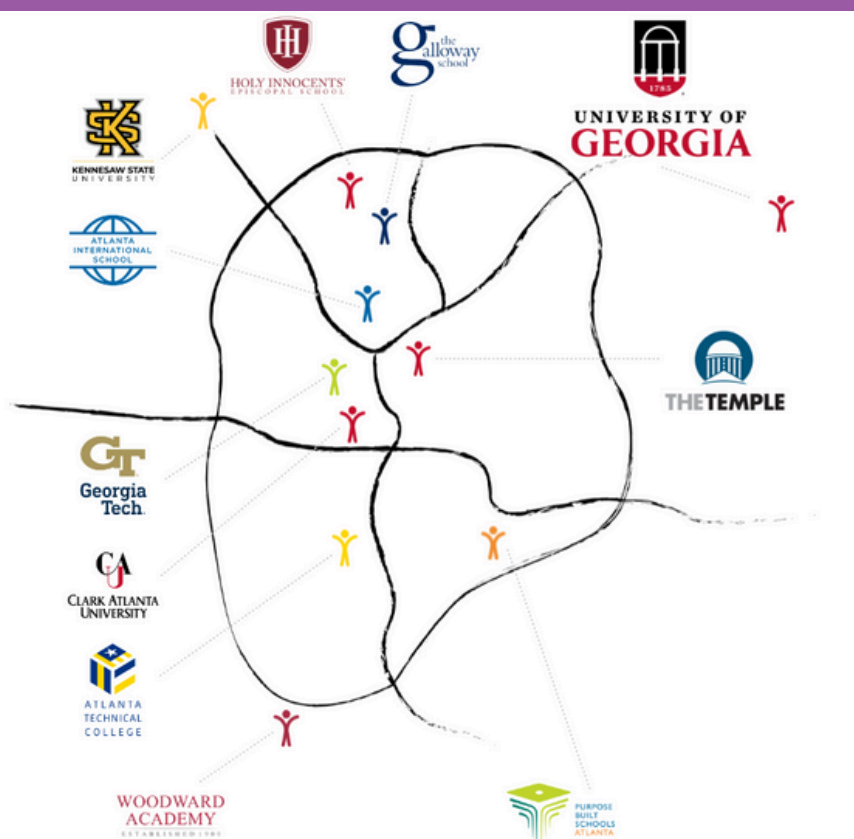
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SITE LOCATIONS



Mission

The mission of Horizons Atlanta is to close the opportunity gap through high-quality academics in an engaging and enriching summer learning program.

Regional Staff and Site Leadership

Ann Marie Bedtke, Executive Director
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