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Harrisburg Academy Named #1 Private School in Central Pennsylvania

WORMLEYSBURG, PA – Harrisburg Academy has been recognized by *Central Penn Parent* magazine readers as the #1 private school in Central Pennsylvania.

“Harrisburg Academy continues to evolve into a ‘school of the future,’” said Jim Newman, head of school. “We remain committed to educating the ‘whole child’ and reinforcing the ‘Three Rs’ while encouraging 21st century critical thinking, communication, collaboration, and creativity competencies with our students.



“We couldn’t be more pleased that Central Pennsylvania parents recognize the value of our mission and the outcomes of our graduates,” he added.

Central Penn Parent magazine’s Family Favorite award competition highlights a wide range of businesses, non-profits, schools, and more across the region as voted on by thousands of Central Penn Parent readers. More than 272,000 votes were cast in the 2011 awards contest. First-, second- and third-place winners in each of the 74 award categories were notified of their rankings in July. The complete list of winners and nominees will be published in the September 2011 issue of *Central Penn Parent*.

Central Penn Parent magazine is the area’s most-trusted source of family information, reaching out each month to 91,000 moms, dads, grandparents, educators and caregivers. Since its launch in 1996, the magazine has won numerous national awards for editorial and design excellence. *Central Penn Parent* is distributed at more than 700 locations throughout Dauphin, Cumberland, Lancaster, Lebanon, and York counties.

Harrisburg Academy challenges and inspires children in preschool through 12th grade to reach their full potential. An IB World School, Harrisburg Academy is the only school in the greater Harrisburg area to offer an established International Baccalaureate Diploma Program and merit scholarship.

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