



Communities In Schools (CIS) is the nation's leading organization dedicated to empowering students to stay in school and achieve in life.

The mission of Communities In Schools is to surround students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

By bringing caring adults into the schools to address children's unmet needs, CIS provides the link between educators and the community. The result: teachers are free to teach, and students – many in jeopardy of dropping out – have the opportunity to focus on learning.

For over 30 years, Communities In Schools has worked to ensure that every child needs and deserves these "Five Basics":

- A one-on-one relationship with a caring adult
- A safe place to learn and grow
- A healthy start and a healthy future
- A marketable skill to use upon graduation
- A chance to give back to peers and community

The CIS Student Support Specialist assigned to Andrews HS is Tamekia Stevens. If you would like more information or have questions about CIS programs at Andrews HS you can reach her via phone (336) 819-2800 ext. 1705 or email stevent@gcsnc.com.

CIS will be placing volunteers for the upcoming school year starting in late September. We are seeking male and female mentors, lunch buddies, tutors, and CIS Friends to help at events, with programs and school wide needs. If you are interested in receiving information about volunteering with CIS please contact Jennifer Reavis, the Director of Volunteers & Community Relations, at jenniferreavis@cisofhighpoint.org or 336-883-6434. Please provide your name, email and mailing address to receive information about upcoming volunteer orientation sessions.