



We absolutely loved the four years our daughters spent at Gavilan Hills Academy. There just isn't any place like it! GHA provided our girls with a warm, loving environment in which to grow and learn. We have yet to find another school with such small class sizes and individual attention given to each student. We were very pleased with the curriculum, and especially liked that the students were placed at the appropriate level per subject and allowed to accelerate based upon their ability. Although the students work hard, and accomplish so much during a school

year, they also have fun. At GHA, birthdays (and half-birthdays for those summer babies) are big celebrations! We especially enjoyed the holiday parties, always such fun with potlucks, costume parades, egg hunts, or gift exchanges. I don't think that any other school celebrates the 100th day of the school year like Gavilan Hills does! We'll never forget the time that an airplane flew overhead and dropped candy off for the kids! We have so many precious memories that we will never forget.

We have since moved to West San Jose, and our children now attend Harker and Challenger Schools, both regarded as academically challenging establishments. We have had several teachers express surprise at how well our girls are doing as new transfer students, (they always want to know what school they came from!) and we credit GHA for providing them with such a solid academic foundation and strong study habits. GHA is also a tremendous value. We currently pay twice as much at Challenger, and a whopping five times as much for Harker. We often wonder if it might be worth the commute to return to GHA! And we do return as often as possible, to visit the wonderful place and caring people that were our second home and family.

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