

Why Classical Education?

### Classical Education Organizes your brain for learning.

Imagine your brain being like a room with no closet, no shelving, no dressers and no drawers.

You start filling that room with stuff. Where are you going to put that stuff? --- In piles on the floor. That's the place you've got.

And, what happens when you run out of floor space? Then, where do you put your stuff.

You pile it on top of the piles that are already on the floor.

### What do you need to get this room organized?

You need a place to put your stuff...so that it's not just one big pile of mixed up stuff.

You need a closet, drawers, a book shelf. You need shelving, drawers and organizers.

And... SO DOES YOUR BRAIN!!!

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You learn the core subjects: Math, Science, History, Geography, etc.

You learn the key vocabulary that goes with each of those subjects.

The core subjects are the dressers. The vocabulary words are the drawers.

The Grammar Stage of the Trivium, stage 1, organizes your brain so that you have places to put all the information that you are going to learn in school.

This helps with the memory and retrieval of information.

If your room looked like this (messy room), how long do you think it would take to find that special shirt you are looking for? --- It could be awhile. People with messy rooms waste so much time trying to find things, and sometimes they never do.

**But what if** your room looked like this (clean room)? – Pretty quick, eh. You go to the dresser where your clothes are. You open the drawer where your shirts are, and there it is.

Similarly, **if your brain is organized**, you will remember information better and you'll be able to find that information in your brain when you need it.

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