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CLARKE COUNTY, GEORGIA

## **Lane Turner Norton Literacy Grant**



Lane Turner Norton is a graduate of Clarke Central High School and The University of the South. She and her husband Jim have been the owners of the Five Points business Homeplace Gifts and Toys since 1982. They have a daughter, Sarah, who is also a graduate of Clarke Central High School. During Sarah's time in the Clarke County School District, Lane was always actively involved with the PTO. She also taught French after school at Barrow Elementary School as a volunteer. After serving many years on the Clarke County Supporters for the Gifted, she became president of the organization and concurrently served on the Foundation for Excellence in Public Education. Following her first term on the board of the FFE in 1999, Lane became the director and served in this capacity for seven years. During her tenure she assisted with the implementation of many new endowed chairs and scholarship programs. The Lane Turner Norton Literacy Grant was established in her honor by her family.

The *Lane Turner Norton Literacy Grant* was established in 2008.