

The mission of DPCA is to guide students in knowledge, character, and faith to discover an authentic love of learning and a life of opportunity. This goal is what drives our staff daily and is the beautiful mission that we believe the Lord has given us. We would not be able to do this without YOUR help. **Thank you** for the way you support our school so that we can open our doors and provide exceptional education and learning experiences!

We are an **intentionally small** school in order to provide personalized care and instruction to meet the needs of each of our students and provide a safe, family-centered, environment. We value **rigor and joy**; our rigorous academics are hands-on, active, and engaging for all learning types. We work hard together, play hard together, and celebrate each other's growth and achievements with great joy.

Adventure is incorporated into our days with Outdoor Expeditions such as climbing, backpacking, and cross-country skiing. This allows students to take their learning beyond the classroom and develop confidence, communication, and teamwork skills.

Character development and **spiritual growth** are emphasized because we care about who students are becoming, not just what they know. Academic knowledge is also a high priority because it empowers our students to become agents of good in their local communities and around the world.

This is who we are. This is what we're about. We cannot do this alone! Your support helps bridge the gap between what we receive from tuition, what we are able to offer for tuition assistance, and what we supply in curriculum, employee wages, and running our facilities.

We value your contribution to our fundraising goal of \$75,000, in whatever form it comes, whether by monthly gifts, or a one-time gift. This is your chance to be a part of a lasting impact on our future generation.

~Ashley Blazer, Head of School

THE ONLY

FOUR DAY SCHOOL IN BUENA VISTA

Our schedule encourages hard work and hard play.

CHRISTIAN SCHOOL IN CHAFFEE COUNTY

We celebrate a Christian world view while welcoming students of all faiths.

CHRISTIAN EXPEDITIONARY LEARNING SCHOOL IN COLORADO

We combine adventures with academics to create unforgettable learning experiences.

FUNDRAISERS

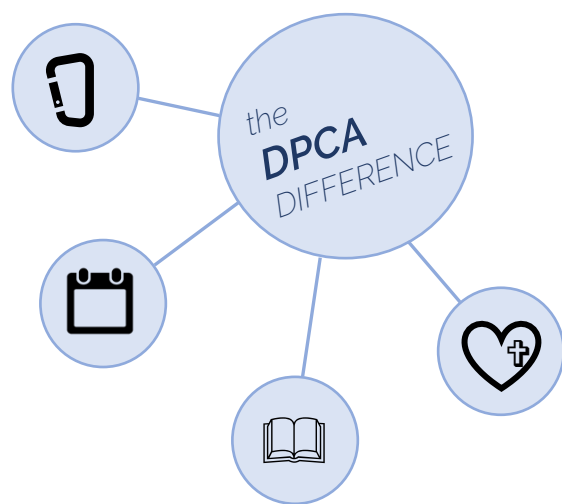
End of Year Giving
Network for Good
Spring Banquet

EXPEDITIONARY | FOUR DAY | CHRIST-CENTERED

DARREN PATTERSON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

learning that lasts

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION



EXPEDITIONARY | outdoor adventures focused on leadership, communication, and teamwork; hands on academic projects with real-world connections.

FOUR DAY | shorter weeks promote focused learning and allow more time for family and fun; students work hard and play hard, too.

CHRIST-CENTERED | culture, curriculum, and staff celebrate a distinctly Christian worldview, while welcoming students of all faiths.

FAMILY CULTURE | students are known and celebrated; they are encouraged to grow into their unique gifts as they discover who God has made them to be.

SMALL SCHOOL, BIG DIFFERENCE

Hear what donors, parents and teachers have to say about why they choose DPCA ...

"I support DPCA because I've been a teacher in Christian schools. I know that the employees are doing their best to serve God where He has planted them, loving the children along the way. The course of studies at DPCA focuses on positive and noble aspects of life. Students quickly learn how valued they are and why."

~Nat, Donor

"When looking for a school for our daughter, we knew that she needed one that offered a safe and nurturing environment, where she could grow in faith and create a strong foundation. We found that DPCA was a perfect fit."

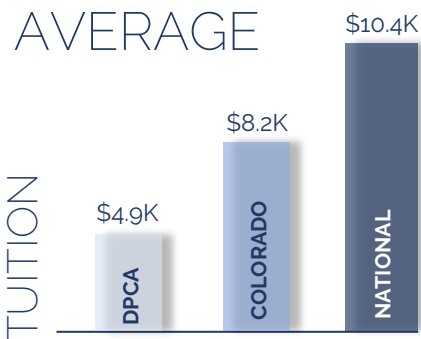
~ Lyndsay, Parent

"It is a privilege to me to teach students here. With expeditionary learning, I am not driving students to a set destination, but I am giving them tools and guidance to be in their own, individual driver's seats. These students are hungry to learn how to be avid learners. As a Christ-centered school, I know that no matter what classroom or subject my students or myself are in, Christ is being taught. I take great solace in that. Jesus, my Teacher, is teaching my students and continues to teach me."

~Philip, Teacher

THIS CHRISTMAS, MAXIMIZE YOUR GIVING

Support DPCA to give the gift of adventure and growth ...

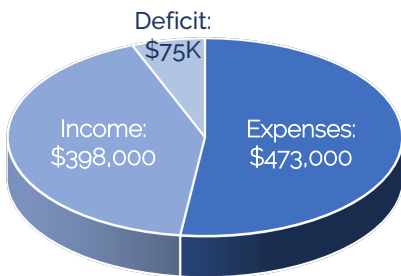


GROWTH

To reach financial stability without raising our current tuition, we need to grow to 100 students.. healthy growth would be 8 students each year over the next 4 years.



BUDGET



Help us keep costs low & quality high.

Spread the word & help us grow.

Contribute to our fundraising goal.