

WHY WOODLAWN



CEASELESS CURIOSITY

At Woodlawn, ceaseless curiosity is a mindset, a way of life that encourages us to embrace our natural curiosity. It's a path toward self-discovery, pushing boundaries, and unlocking our full potential by embracing the unknown, indulging in new experiences, and unlocking the magic that lies in every moment.

PURPOSEFUL PBL

Purposeful PBL places us at the center of our own learning journeys. We tackle real-world problems, work collaboratively, and apply intentionally integrative concepts in real world contexts. We are active participants in our education, gaining valuable life skills and insights that empower us to thrive in a diverse global society.



INNOVATIVE THINKING

We are innovators. We break past traditional lines of thinking to find new ways of problem-solving, approaching each task with new ideas, a positive outlook, and a determination to find solutions that are forward-thinking and limitless.



IDEAS LEAD TO SOLUTIONS

Ideas are transformative. When ideas are nurtured and encouraged, they have the potential to change the world. Trailblazers inspire individuals and communities to think outside the box, blend critical skills with creativity, and explore new possibilities that lead to solutions.



ABILITY TO ADAPT + EVOLVE

Trailblazers excel at challenging ourselves and pushing the boundaries of what we thought was possible. We are continuously learning, growing, and developing new skills. We adapt to new situations with confidence, evolving into the best version of ourselves. We have the power to create a future that surpasses our wildest dreams.

CONNECTION TO COMMUNITY

With a strong connection to our local community, we fulfill a greater sense of purpose. We work to uplift, inspire, and support our community through a commitment to our service partners across all grade levels. As lifelong learners, stewardship is at the core of becoming independent and inclusive leaders.





INDEPENDENT + INCLUSIVE



We are self-reliant while fostering a sense of belonging for everyone. A Trailblazer empowers individuals to stand tall on their own while creating spaces that celebrate diversity and promote equal opportunities. We believe in the power of independence and inclusivity and creating an inclusive environment where everyone feels valued, respected, and empowered to reach their full potential.

CHALLENGING THE STATUS QUO

We believe that challenging the status quo is a pathway to incredible growth and achievement. We are here to inspire, empower, and support one another. We embrace our uniqueness, unleash our potential, and redefine what's possible because greatness begins when we refuse to settle for anything less than extraordinary.



DRIVEN BY VISION + POSSIBILITY



We embody big dreams, set audacious goals, and believe that anything is achievable. For us, it's about having a clear sense of who we are, fueling our actions with passion, and imagination, and building a purposeful life with endless possibilities on our terms.



2022-23 ANNUAL REPORT

LETTER FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Dear Woodlawn Community,

The extraordinary generosity and commitment of our community - parents, students, alumni, parents of alumni, grandparents, faculty and staff, and friends - help Woodlawn School excel at inspiring lifelong learners who are responsible, contributing members of a diverse and global society.

Philanthropic support to the 'Blazer Fund fuels approximately 10% of the school's yearly budget. These resources ignite academic discovery, promote artistic expression, fuel our athletic teams, foster relationships, and contributes to virtually every program that nourishes the school's vibrant student experience. These funds allow us to strengthen our academic, athletic, and arts programs, and maintain and improve our campus while keeping tuition increases as low as possible.

Your gift goes to the heart of our school and supports today's initiatives to:

- + Provide our exceptional faculty and promising students with new material and resources they need to support their ongoing success.
- + Create more opportunities for experiential learning and field experiences.
- + Foster gold-standard professional development and teaching training for our faculty.
- + Bolster our athletic, arts, and co-curricular programs.
- + Support our outdoor learning classrooms and creative spaces.
- + Enhance our safety and security measures and resources.

Your support of the 'Blazer Fund shows your gratitude for the integrative and immersive education our students experience every day. From the big meaningful moments on the field, in the lab, or in the studio; to the smaller everyday pleasures that occur in advisory, passing to class, during lunch, reading outside, or on the playground--however big or small--these moments are formative in the creation of every Woodlawn student's journey.

We are deeply grateful for your generosity!



A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Holly Honeycutt". The ink is black and the signature is fluid and elegant.

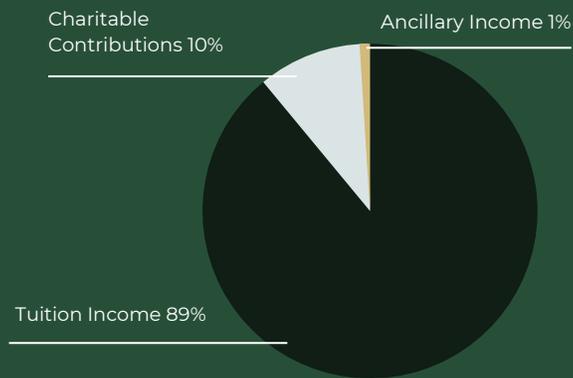
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Head of School



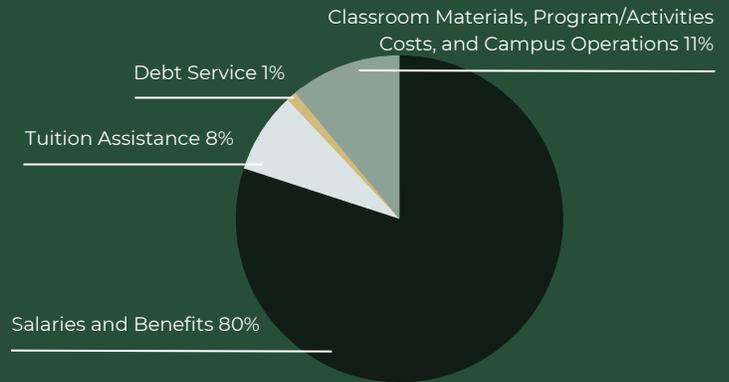
FINANCIALS

As in all independent schools, tuition only covers part of the cost of a Woodlawn education. The 'Blazer Fund supplements tuition income, enabling the school to maintain its high standard of academic excellence, retain skilled and professional master teachers, and create unique programs that reflect our philosophy and culture.

REVENUE 2022-2023



EXPENSES 2022-2023





THANK YOU TO OUR MANY 'BLAZER FUND DONORS!

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\$25,000 +

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Bright Funds Foundation
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Anonymous
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Joy + Steven Lindgren
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Natasha + Tom Nel
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Nobory Toys
Mooresville Derm
Ace Hardware
Ricky's Food Truck
Joy Coffee
KoolCat

THANK YOU

Your gifts unleash the
potential in every Woodlawn student!





FEASIBILITY STUDY

We believe that cultivating a plan for intentional growth, guided by our mission to produce independent, lifelong learners who are responsible, contributing members of a diverse global society will not only advance our vision for community and student wellness but also provide the opportunity to undertake key capital projects that continue cultivating a culture of excellence today, tomorrow and in the years to come.

Did you know? Unlike Annual Fund dollars, which are part of the operating budget as unrestricted funds and allow the school to take advantage of emerging opportunities throughout the year, capital funds are not part of the budget and are restricted to specific projects, as designated by the donors.



GRATITUDE

We want to express our immense gratitude for your continued support of the Woodlawn Way. Because of your love and commitment to cultivating a culture of excellence, we were able to grant all teacher wishes for the 2022-23 Academic Year.

