



Daycroft

The Daycroft School Foundation, Inc.

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DAYCROFT ONLINE LEARNING COMMUNITY DOLC

Engaging online homeschooling program for grades K-8.

ASHER STUDENT FOUNDATION

Comfortable, safe, homelike living for college and university students.

ALBERT BAKER FUND

Financial aid for college and graduate students. Support for job seekers through its Career Alliance.

TMC YOUTH

Support for youth through time4thinkers.com, CSO's, Internships, and Sunday School.

THE PRINCIPIA

Principia School, a day and boarding school for Pre-K through Grade 12. Principia College, a 4-year liberal arts college.

DISCOVERYBOUND

Regional and national year-round recreational, leadership and service activities for youth, adults, families and friends.

LINK SCHOOL

Alternative high school for students wanting or needing an experiential education.

SUMMER CAMPS

6 summer camps in Canada and the United States

- Adventure Unlimited Colorado
- Camp Bow-Isle British Columbia
- Cedars Camps – Missouri
- Crystal Lake Camps Pennsylvania
- Camps Leelanau-Kohahna – Michigan
- Camps Newfound-Owatonna – Maine



Organizations working together to serve CS Youth

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The Many Dimensions of Daycroft's Activities

As the front page of this newsletter indicates, Daycroft is proud to be part of a family of organizations serving Christian Science youth. Each organization has its own important role, and each organization appreciates and supports the others. Daycroft's role is multi-faceted. We provide funding for many youth programs, including all six summer camps and *DiscoveryBound's* National Leadership Council. For the past ten years, we have offered an online educational program - the **Daycroft Online Learning Community (DOLC)** - for Christian Science families who homeschool. This program has served the individual needs of over 150 students, living wherever there is a good internet connection! Additionally, Daycroft looks for new initiatives that need start-up support and encouragement. This past year we have been actively involved in E3: Elevating Education Everywhere, a new organization that works with CS-based schools in developing countries (see e3schools.org), and we have provided financial support to Stronghold School Systems.

Daycroft has always been about three things: young people, education, and Christian Science. Our programs and grants may change as needs become apparent and fresh opportunities arise, yet our commitment to Christian Science youth and to education based on moral and spiritual values remains the bedrock of our work.

The mission of the Daycroft School Foundation is to bring the universal truths of Christian Science to the education of young people.

DAYCROFT SUPPORTED THESE ORGANIZATIONS IN 2015

- Adventure Unlimited
- Camp Bow Isle
- Branch School
- Cedars Camps
- Crystal Lake Camps
- *DiscoveryBound*
- E3: Elevating Education Everywhere
- Camps Leelanau/Kohahna
- Link School
- Camps Newfound/Owatonna
- Stronghold School Systems

"I found that coming to camp has brought out what has been hiding inside me for 14 years. I am more responsible and enjoy life much more than I ever used to. I learned that I can do anything with God, that all those limits I placed on myself mean absolutely nothing. This is an awesome camp and I love it here."

CS-Based Schools Around the World

These schools base their work on the principles of Christian Science though their doors are open to children of all faiths.

Berkeley Hall School

Los Angeles, California

Branch School

Houston, Texas

Clairbourn School

San Gabriel, California

Claremont Fan Court School

Esher, Surrey, England

Dream Education Centre

Waithaka, Nairobi, Kenya

Groupe Scolaire La Tendresse

Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo

Huntingtower School

Melbourne, Australia

Japhet School

Detroit area, Michigan

Les Ecoles du Coeur

Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo

Ngochoni Petals of Africa School

Ngochoni, Migori County, Kenya

Stronghold School Systems

Ventura, California

Sunrise of Africa School

Near Nairobi, Kenya



"From when my son joined the school up to now he has grown spiritually and his performance is very, very encouraging in class. He always tells me that he is going to make sure that one day we leave the shanty we live in. He keeps on telling me that God is good always because he makes him top his class without considering where he comes from."

– Kenyon parent