

METROLINA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



2019-20 ANNUAL GIVING

THE CORNERSTONE FUND

ACTS 4:11

Every Family. Every Year.

“HE HAS TOLD YOU, O MAN WHAT IS GOOD; AND
WHAT DOES THE LORD REQUIRE OF YOU BUT TO
DO JUSTICE, AND TO LOVE KINDNESS, AND TO
WALK HUMBLY WITH YOUR GOD?

~ MICAH 6:8 ~

FAITHFUL GIFTS MADE TO MCA HAVE A FAR-REACHING IMPACT IN THE
LIVES OF OUR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE.



ANNUAL GIFT GIVING PROGRAM

The Cornerstone Fund is our annual giving initiative for Metrolina Christian Academy. It is our top giving priority where everyone associated with our school is asked to give a financial gift during the school year. This gift is in addition to tuition and fees and any other money you may give MCA throughout the year.

For Metrolina, the Cornerstone Fund is our most critical fundraising effort because it supports all programs and students (*Early Education through 12th Grade*) by providing for enhancements and improvements that are not otherwise covered by tuition.

The theme for the 2019-20 Cornerstone Fund is **"ONE FOCUS."** Our inspiration is Micah 6:8, which

declares *"He has shown you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God?"*

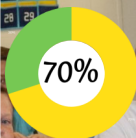
As MCA celebrates its 27th year of Kingdom education, this theme of **"ONE FOCUS"** embodies all that we seek to be as a school. To pursue the Lord our God with a passion that is stronger than ever and for all that we say and do to be for the greater glory of God!

God has poured out His grace and blessings on our campus. We are so grateful, and believe He has more to give. Please join us in making our gifts to the Cornerstone Fund count for God as never before! **Every Family. Every Year.**

2019-20 FAITH GOAL: \$350,000

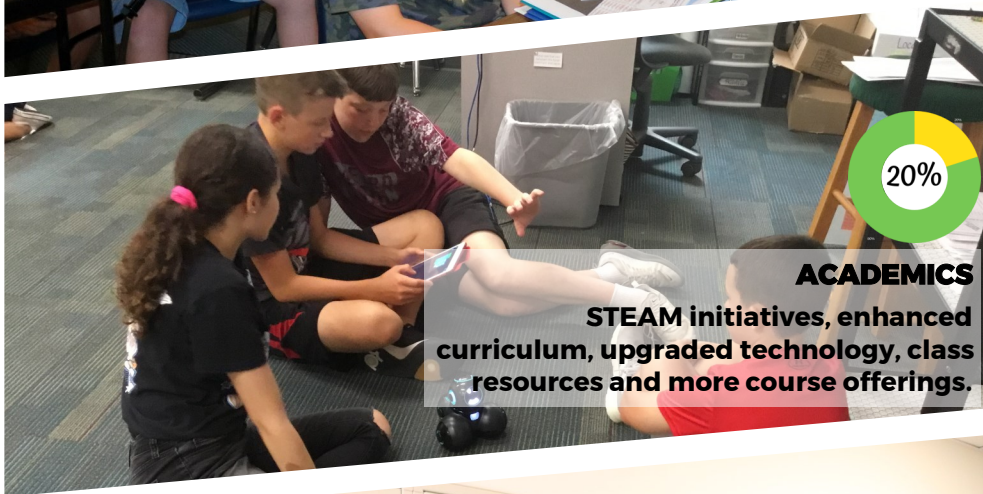
HOW WILL MY GIFT BE INVESTED?

Our students (*Early Education-12th Grade*) are the direct beneficiaries of your gift to the Cornerstone Fund. Your gift will be invested, by percentage, in the areas listed below for the 2019-20 year.



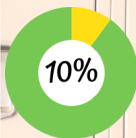
CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS

Expanding and improving our facilities so we can continue to offer exceptional academic, arts, and athletic programs along with better student life and improved safety.



ACADEMICS

STEAM initiatives, enhanced curriculum, upgraded technology, class resources and more course offerings.



TUITION ASSISTANCE

Helps families who need short-term financial assistance to continue being part of the MCA family.



DOESN'T MY TUITION COVER EVERYTHING?

Unfortunately not. With the breadth and depth of opportunity at MCA, tuition and fees simply do not cover all of the expenses for a dynamic school like Metrolina Christian.

THEN WHY NOT JUST INCREASE TUITION?

This strategy would be an easy solution, but not the right one. The MCA leadership always wants to keep tuition increases as gentle as possible, to make Metrolina Christian education accessible to as many families as possible. Gifts to the Cornerstone Fund greatly help in this effort.

WHO SHOULD GIVE?

The entire MCA community! Teachers and staff made their commitments early in the school year. Now parents, grandparents and other family members are encouraged to show their support too! Faithful and purposeful giving keeps tuition increases to a minimum while still providing for the excellence our families have come to expect.

HOW MUCH SHOULD I GIVE?

As with all stewardship giving, that's up to you and God. We simply ask for all in the MCA community to give something. Please consider an amount that is in keeping with your capacity to give.

Participation – at some level – is truly the key because your gift, regardless of the amount, will be a blessing to our students and an encouragement to our faculty and staff who educate and train the next generation of Warriors for Christ.



HOW DO I GIVE?

Simply complete the attached commitment card and mail to MCA. And of course, you may give online at metrolinachristian.org, click on Support MCA then Give Online. Choose a one-time gift or make a commitment to give on a monthly or other regular basis during the school year.

WHEN DO I GIVE?

Now! MCA asks all its families and friends to make their financial commitments during the four-week Kick-Off Event for the Cornerstone Fund, which is September 23rd – October 18th. We are intentionally bold in our fundraising efforts during this four-week period, so all the money raised can be invested immediately in programs, projects and enhancements for our students.

If you are unable to give during the Kick-Off Event, you have until June 30, 2020 to give in support of the Cornerstone Fund at MCA.



KICK-OFF EVENT | SEPT. 23 - OCT. 18

This 4-week Campaign is an intentional effort to raise as much of our **\$350,000 Faith Goal** as possible. The monies raised will be invested right away in programs, projects and enhancements that directly impact our students.

THE **WARRIOR** CHALLENGE

As MCA celebrates its **27th year** as a distinctively Christian school, we are asking every family to pour out a blessing on MCA and meet **THE WARRIOR CHALLENGE** with a one-time gift or a recurring gift/pledge (*for 10 months or more*). Make your **WARRIOR CHALLENGE** donation during the **Kick-Off Event (Sept. 23 - Oct. 18)** to receive the following:

STUDENT WARRIOR

**\$250 or more
(or pledge \$25.00 /
10 months or more)**

Every student in the family receives the 'ONE FOCUS' 2019-20 Cornerstone Fund t-shirt.

FAMILY WARRIOR

**\$750 or more
(or pledge \$75.00 /
10 months or more)**

All members of the family - students & two (2) parents - receive the 'ONE FOCUS' 2019-20 Cornerstone Fund t-shirt.

ULTIMATE WARRIOR

**\$2,500 or more
(or pledge \$250.00 /
10 months or more)**

Receive two (2) adult MCA jackets, plus all members of the family - students & two (2) parents - receive the 'ONE FOCUS' 2019-20 Cornerstone Fund t-shirt.





MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY

GIVE THE GIFT OF KINGDOM EDUCATION... GIVE TO METROLINA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

YES! I/We want to bless MCA with a Cornerstone Fund gift for 2019-20.

- ☐ **One-Time Gift** of \$_____ (☐ Cash Enclosed ☐ Check Enclosed; made payable to Metrolina Christian Academy).
- ☐ **Pledge** of \$_____ (to be fulfilled by 6/30/20; reminders emailed monthly).
- ☐ **Matching Gift Amount** \$_____
- ☐ **TOTAL GIFT AMOUNT** \$_____

MATCHING GIFT INFORMATION

- ☐ My/Our gift will be matched by (name of company): _____
- ☐ I have enclosed a corporate matching gift form.
- ☐ I have filed for a corporate matching gift form electronically.

(Please check relationship to school): ☐ Parent ☐ Grandparent ☐ Relative ☐ Friend ☐ Student ☐ Employee ☐ Alumni ☐ Alumni Parent

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PHONE

EMAIL

☐ Please keep this gift anonymous.

DESIGNATE DONATION TO STUDENT(S) (Applies 09/23/2019 - 10/18/2019)

Please include first & last name.

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HOW

To Give



Online: metrolinachristian.org/support-mca
Give Online

Mail: Metrolina Christian Academy
Attn: Advancement Office
PO Box 1460, Indian Trail, NC 28079

Email or Call: dana.bostic@fbcit.org
shea.braswell@fbcit.org
704.882.3375

TEXT to GIVE: Text Metrolina to 50155

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