

TEACHER FEATURE

Jenn Van Otterloo has taught kindergarten, 1st, & 3rd grades at HCS for a total of 10 years since graduating Dordt Univ. in 2006, with a 7-year break teaching preschool in Denver.



Jenn has wanted to teach since accepting a middle school challenge to teach her brother to read. She has been most passionate about teaching since returning to HCS in 2019, knowing God wants her to help struggling kids thrive. Jenn is married with two kids, both Heritage students. We salute Jenn for all she's done for HCS!

ALUM FEATURE

The Stultz brothers are our featured alumni, with all three attending pre-K-8th grade. Levi, 21, and Andrew, 18, are both engineering majors at Iowa State.



Jesse is a sophomore at Mid-Prairie HS. Their mom, Dawn, said HCS equipped them with a biblical foundation that has helped them navigate life challenges and discern truth. Their Heritage experience helped them stand firm in faith and foster compassion for friends who don't know Christ. Thanks to the Stultz brothers for being model HCS alumni!

HERITAGE H.A.N.D.S.

HCS couldn't function without the incredible support of Heritage H.A.N.D.S. (Helping Assist Needs and Demonstrating Service). Its mission is to provide a purpose-driven support system within HCS encouraging development of family relationships, offering assistance to faculty and staff, and communicating the value of a Christ-centered education to the community. Our volunteers coach sports, serve lunches, drive for field trips, and support more than two dozen annual activities. We encourage and welcome your support for Heritage H.A.N.D.S.!



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HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ANNUAL FUND 2023

FAST FACTS

196 STUDENTS - PRE-K-8TH
15:1 STUDENT/TEACHER RATIO

\$8,012/YR K-8

\$7,613/YR PRE-K

73 STUDENTS APPROVED FOR
EDUCATION SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

ESA'S COVER 90% OF TUITION

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

VOLLEYBALL, SOCCER, BASKETBALL,
CHEERLEADING, TRACK & FIELD,
BAND, CHOIR, DRAMA



HOW TO SUPPORT ANNUAL FUND 2023

Unrestricted cash gifts are the most flexible, allowing monies to be utilized where the need is greatest; however, any gift makes a positive difference. We've enclosed a response form and envelope to send donations. If your company offers a matching gift program, please reach out to them to potentially double or even triple your gift in value!

ANNUAL FUND DOLLAR HISTORY

1

Tuition Assistance



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Technology



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Professional Development



4

Co-curricular support



5

Painting & Updates



STUDENT FEATURE

Avery Munson is an 8th grader at HCS and serves as the student council president. She is the last of four Munson children who have attended HCS and will move on to Liberty HS next fall. Avery has most enjoyed friends who share a love for Jesus. She said HCS challenged her to push past limits, and many public school friends tell her HCS alumni are better prepared for high school. Her best memory is Bible study with Mrs. McDonald because everyone really opened up to each other and shared the challenges they were going through.



FAMILY FEATURE

Nick and Miriam Lind are proud parents of Georgia (3rd grade), Harvey (kindergarten) and Ingrid, still at home. HCS wasn't on their radar until things changed with the local public schools during the pandemic. Nick was a med student and they couldn't afford to give up Miriam's sole income to pay tuition. Less than a month before the school year, HCS opened a second section of kindergarten and helped the Linds enroll Georgia. Miriam said HCS helped them get approved for tuition assistance in only a few days. The Linds have used TA and Education Savings Accounts for their children and they are grateful for how flexible HCS has been to help their family.

