

DFCS Newsletter

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Vacation Bible School

We would like to invite our DFCS families to VBS on July 25-29! This year's theme is "Jerusalem Marketplace." More information on how to register will be sent out closer to the event. We hope to see you there!



Important Parent Ambassador Update

DFCS will be starting a new Parent Ambassador program for the 2022-2023 school year!

If a Parent Ambassador (current family) recruits a new student for DFCS, they will receive \$100 for each new student that enrolls and stays in our school for at least 1 semester.

Once that time is up, the Parent Ambassador who recruited the new student will receive their choice of a gift card (tuition account must be current) or \$100 tuition credit.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Thank you for all your support!

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FLAG Camp

We are looking forward to FLAG Camp at Dover First SDA Church from June 27-July 1!

You can use the following link to find out more information about the program, as well as register your child.

Once you have put in your child's registration information, you can scroll down to find the Dover First SDA location.

https://chesapeakeconferenceyouth.regfox.com/2022-flag-summer-camp



February 14, 2022

Dear DFCS Parents,

We are so honored and blessed to be a part of the Lord's ministry as we care for, challenge, and strengthen your children. Raising up a generation that will speak truth, defend their beliefs, and continue to shine for Jesus and light the way, are the goals we strive to accomplish on a daily basis, but we cannot do it alone.

Thankfully, as a result of generous donations, participation in our fundraisers, and tuition, we have been able to make an important investment in your children and the future strength of DFCS. In these times, we are all experiencing an increase in the cost of living in our households and this holds true for DFCS. We have never had a tuition increase since the doors opened at DFCS in September 2014! Starting next school year 2022 -2023 we will implement a 3% tuition increase. We have accomplished a lot this year so far and wish to keep up our momentum.

During this current year, we have been able to add value in the following ways:

- -We are in the process of hiring a new Teacher's Assistant
- -We implemented a new reading curriculum and added guitar lessons
- -We have enriched our curriculum by "Friday Clubs" which consist of coding, art and science
- -We have purchased 10 tablets for students and intend to replace all tablets in the future
- -We increased the hours of our cleaning staff, the amount of sanitizing products and purchased a disinfectant fogger to combat covid-19 and keep our students safe
- -We provided a much needed pay increase to our teachers and staff

Each year we strive to carefully balance tuition costs with our goals for continued improvement and sustainability in the years to come. Thank you for valuing Christian education and the Godly Mission He has set before us all. Thank you for investing in the lives of all of the children at DFCS and helping us to be one of the best schools in Dover!

Blessings,

Michelle Lewis Board Chairman Dover First Christian School



