



Annual Report 2025



Christian
School
Foundation

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“It’s exciting to be involved in the way God is on the move through Christian education!”

Jason and Andrea Jensen* have long recognized the influence of an excellent Christian education – something passed down from their parents and reinforced over Andrea’s many years as a Christian school teacher.



*Not their real names

While they continue to be faithful supporters of their local Christian schools, they have also understood the potential for a broader and longer impact made possible through the Christian School Foundation. Jason has served on the Foundation’s Investment Committee for many years.

When they heard about the way Christian schools are growing right across the country and then were introduced to the Foundation’s New Christian School Start-Up Kit, they jumped in.

The Jensens are early donors to this program that walks alongside those interested in starting a new Christian school to ensure they have the best possible opportunity for not just a successful launch, but also for long-term sustainability. The Jensens are supporting new school start-ups by providing for an experienced mentor and helping connect these groups to vibrant Christian school associations who can provide ongoing support.

“We love the way the Foundation is leveraging the abilities of other organizations like the Herzog Institute, Edvance, Cardus and others to help plant new Christian schools that we know will have a tremendous impact on the lives of their students and families – and beyond that on our society and culture.”

- Andrea Jensen

Sharing Blessings

Appreciated Securities are an Effective Strategy for Giving

Ria Schaafsma was an early adopter of effective giving by using non-registered appreciated securities through the Christian School Foundation. Appreciated securities are publicly listed shares, mutual funds, exchange traded funds, and bonds that have increased in value.

While many people in Ria's generation have typically focused their giving through more traditional means, more and more of them are realizing - as Ria has - that they can have increased impact using this effective giving tool.



“ I have found the Christian School Foundation to be very easy to work with when I want to make these kinds of gifts. First with Henry Koornneef and now with Kevin teBrake, they have handled these transactions with real professionalism and kept things very straight forward for me. I have especially appreciated the opportunity to use one transaction to support multiple Christian schools that my grandkids attend.”

- Ria Schaafsma

“ Ria is someone who demonstrates what it is like to be a cheerful giver. She knows God has blessed her and she delights in being a blessing to others!”

- Kevin teBrake

Summary of Financial Position

CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION (CANADA) INC.

As of June 20, 2025	
Total Assets	\$32,022,858
Donations Received from Donors & Schools*	\$10,290,312
Investment, Other Income Earned	\$2,518,599
Donations/Grants Disbursed to Member Schools*	\$3,224,939
Donations/Grants Disbursed to Other Organizations	\$909,564
Estimated Number of Known Gifts in Wills through Christian Stewardship Services	1,218
Estimated Dollars of Known Gifts in Wills through Christian Stewardship Services	\$73,435,187

*Above amounts include donations that flow through directly to the schools and other organizations which are not reported on the Financial Statements.



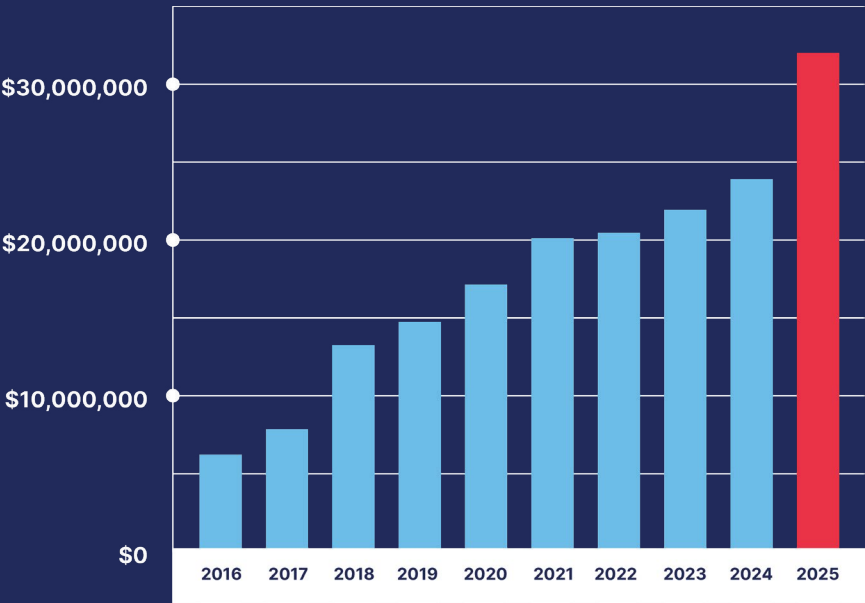
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Communal Investing

Many Christian schools have been blessed with medium and long-term gifts. Our hope is that eventually all are.

Being a good steward of these gifts can be a challenge for an individual school, but together we can strategically pool and invest our communal long term assets and gain access to better investment options and lower fees. While monies given for your school are held as externally restricted assets and can only ever be used for your school, your school still reaps the benefits of a much larger, professionally managed and diverse portfolio.

Ten Years of Growth in Assets



2016: \$6,226,652, 2017: \$7,854,832, 2018: \$13,255,944, 2019: \$14,747,652, 2020: \$17,142,088, 2021: \$20,126,929, 2022: \$20,474,994, 2023: \$21,943,603, 2024: \$23,899,472, 2025: \$32,022,858

Tuition Grants



81

Schools
supported



455

Families
supported



850

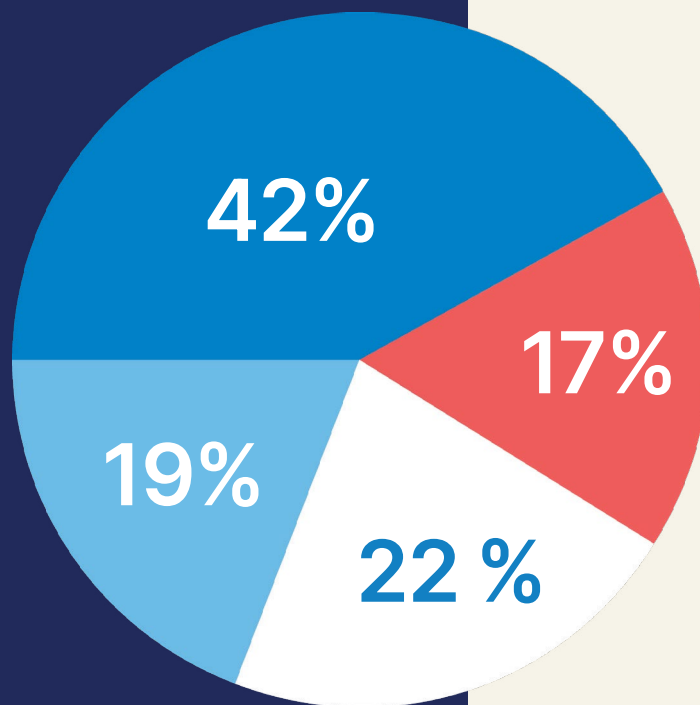
Students

Total: \$650,000

Grants and Disbursements

- Bursaries and Grants: \$1,740,060
- Fund disbursements: \$702,188
- Gifts to non-member charities and partner organizations: \$909,564
- Flow through gifts: \$1,602,813

Total: \$4,954,625



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We choose to donate securities because it allows us to give more generously. By passing along our investment gains in a tax-efficient way and receiving a charitable tax credit, we can maximize our impact.

The Foundation makes the process smooth and straightforward, which enables us to focus on what matters most—seeing Christian education flourish for generations to come. We look forward to continuing to give in the future so that more children can benefit from Christ-centered education.”

- Jeremy & Natalia McKellar



The Mustard Seed Society

If your school saw fifty planned gifts arranged by your supporters, how would that encourage your school leadership and community? God is going ahead of us and working in the hearts and minds of Christian school supporters! Are you among this group of faithful supporters?

If you know someone whose name should be included here, or who should be included anonymously, please contact them and then connect with us, so that we can make this as complete a list as possible.

The dots represent our goal of fifty planned gifts for each school. Dots in blue show donors who have arranged gifts.

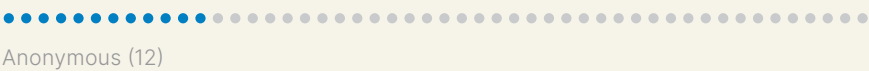


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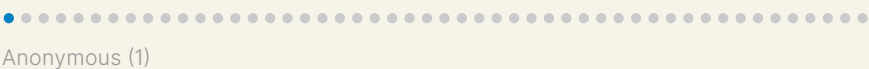
Central Alberta Christian High School, Lacombe



Lacombe Christian School



Ponoka Christian School



Rimbey Christian School



British Columbia

Abbotsford Christian School



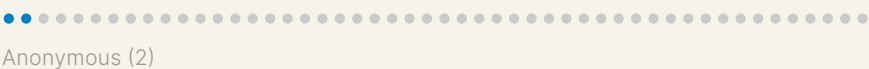
Credo Christian Elementary School, Langley



Credo Christian High School, Langley



Delta Christian School



Ebenezer Canadian Reformed School, Smithers



John Calvin Christian School, Chilliwack



Anonymous (3)

Kamloops Christian School



Anonymous (1)

Maple Ridge Christian School



Anonymous (1)

Nanaimo Christian School



Anonymous (3)

Surrey Christian School



Anonymous (22)

Vancouver Christian School



Anonymous (4)

West Coast Christian School, Vancouver



Manitoba

Calvin Christian School, Winnipeg



Anonymous (11)

Immanuel Christian School, Winnipeg



New Brunswick

Charlotte County Christian School, Pennfield



Nova Scotia

Halifax Christian Academy



Anonymous (1)

Ontario

Act 5, Hamilton



Alliston Community Christian School



Anonymous (3)

Beacon Christian School, St. Catharines



J&I Bezuyen | T&W Harris | P&E Heida | H Hunse | D&D Teeuwsen | T&M Van Geest | C&N Westerhoff | Anonymous (23)

Brantford Christian School

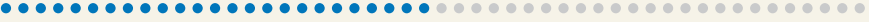


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Burlington Christian Academy



Cairn Christian School, Stoney Creek & Smithville



P&A DeBruyne | P&S Dekker | T&R Kamphuis | A Klamer | J&K Langendoen | T&A Meester | P&L Wierenga | A&JM Wiersma | R&S Zwier | R&C Hoiting | Anonymous (15)

Calvin Christian School, Hamilton



F&A Bennink | H&N Van Dyke | Anonymous (21)

Cambridge Christian School



J Bos | A&L Dzelme | R&G Klein-Geltink | Anonymous (23)

Chatham Christian School



R&D Grootenboer | J&M Janssens | J&H Wiersma | Anonymous (24)

Community Christian School, Drayton



R&I Drost | G&M Duimering | Anonymous (6)

Community Christian School, Metcalfe



B&M Cooper | M&A Dominique | M&R Heuving | F&K Vedder | J&C Vedder | Anonymous (12)

Cornerstone Christian School, Emo



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Dunnville Christian School



R&C Hoiting | Anonymous (11)

Durham Christian High School, Bowmanville



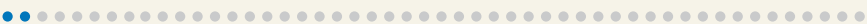
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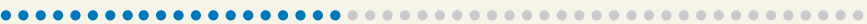
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Foundation Christian School, Winterbourne



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Guelph Community Christian School



R&G Klein-Geltink | Anonymous (19)

Halton Hills Christian School



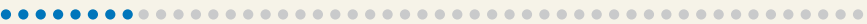
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Hamilton District Christian High School



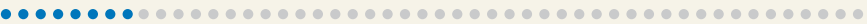
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Heritage Christian School, Lindsay



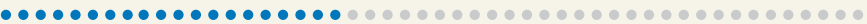
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Heritage Community Christian School, Addison



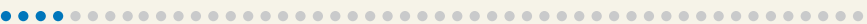
A&J Oosterhof | H Weima | Anonymous (6)

Huron Christian School, Clinton



F&M Bruinsma | A&M Uyl | B&K Van Wyk | Anonymous (17)

Immanuel Christian School, Aylmer



K&A Cameron | Anonymous (3)

Immanuel Christian School, Oshawa



C&G Alkema | Anonymous (8)

Issachar Christian Academy, North Bay



Jarvis Community Christian School



J&N Kraay | Anonymous (7)

John Knox Christian School, Brampton



P&P Rodrigue | Anonymous (14)

John Knox Christian School, Oakville



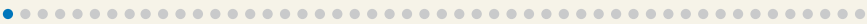
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John Knox Christian School, Wyoming



Anonymous (11)

Jordan Christian School

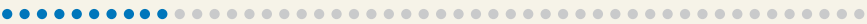


Anonymous (1)

Kawartha Classical Christian School



King Christian School



P&L VanderKooij | J&S Verkaik | Anonymous (8)

Kingston Christian School



Anonymous (1)

Knox Christian School, Bowmanville



J&T DeVries | H&S Reinsma | Anonymous (29)

Koinonia Christian Academy, Bloomingdale



Laurentian Hills Christian School



P&D Joosse | J&C Lammers | Anonymous (13)

Listowel Christian School



R&D Bakker | J&S Dreise | R&I Drost | A&M Uyl | Anonymous (17)

London Christian Academy



London Christian Elementary School



R&H De Smit | J&D Kassies | Anonymous (20)

London Christian High



J&D Kassies | J&M Kingma | R&C Nienhuis | Anonymous (49)

Maranatha Christian Academy, Windsor



Anonymous (1)

Milton Christian School



R&G Klein-Geltink | Anonymous (2)

Muskoka Christian School



Anonymous (2)

Niagara Classical Academy

Nimbus Christian Education

Northumberland Christian School

Anonymous (6)

Oak Hill Academy, Hamilton

Anonymous (3)

Orangeville Christian School

M&N Schaafsma | Anonymous (3)



Orillia Christian School

A&M Uyl | Anonymous (3)

Ottawa Christian School

M&W Mudde | L&C Triemstra | Anonymous (24)

Our Lady of the Wayside, Peterborough

Pickering Christian School

Anonymous (3)

Providence Christian School, Dundas

Anonymous (3)

Quinte Region Christian Schools

D&E Botting | A&G Prinzen | Anonymous (22)

Redeemer Christian High School, Ottawa

B&M Cooper | M&R Heuving | M&W Mudde | L&C Triemstra | F&K Vedder | J&C Vedder | Anonymous (33)

Rhema Christian School, Peterborough

J&T DeVries | E&T van der Veen | Anonymous (6)

Sarnia Christian School

F&C Berg | Anonymous (5)

Smithville Christian High School

J&I Bezuyen | P&S Dekker | T&R Kamphuis | T&A Meester | P&L Wierenga |
A&JM Wiersma | R&S Zwier | Anonymous (19)

St. Thomas Community Christian School

Y&G Boekestyn | Anonymous (10)

St. Timothy’s Classical Academy

Anonymous (2)

Stratford & District Christian School

Anonymous (8)

Strathroy Community Christian School

J&M Kingma | C&P Speelman | Anonymous (17)

Sudbury Christian Academy

Thunder Bay Christian School

Anonymous (6)

Timothy Christian School, Barrie

P&E Heida | Anonymous (11)

Timothy Christian School, Etobicoke

Anonymous (2)

Timothy Christian School, Owen Sound

Anonymous (7)

Timothy Christian School, Williamsburg

M&W Mudde | Anonymous (12)

Toronto District Christian School

T&B Hollaar | M&N Schaafsma | Anonymous (41)

Trinity Christian School, Burlington

Anonymous (13)

Unity Christian High School, Barrie

R&D Grootenboer | Anonymous (15)

Wallaceburg Christian School

Anonymous (11)

Willowdale Christian School

Anonymous (9)

Woodland Christian High School, Breslau

R&D Bakker | J&S Dreise | R&I Drost | G&M Duimering | A&L Dzelme | P&D Joosse |
R&G Klein-Geltink | J&C Lammers | Anonymous (57)

Woodstock Christian School

Anonymous (21)

Prince Edward Island

Immanuel Christian School, Charlottetown

Quebec

Emmanuel Christian School, Dollard-des-Ormeaux

Anonymous (1)

General Gifts

G&J Antonides | J&J Bakelaar | H&J Beishuizen | F&C Berg | J&S Bergshoeff | M Bergsma & D Bonsma | L&T Blydorp | J&H Boers | A&A DeJong | J DeVries | R Feddema | J&A Gerritsen | T&W Harris | T&H Horlings | T&R Kamphuis | H&J Koornneef | T&A Meester | D&J Nelson | K&M teBrake | J&J Wamsteeker | A&J Wiersma | Anonymous (57)

Should you join the Mustard Seed Society?

The vast majority of Mustard Seed Society contributors are regular folks who love Christian education. When you add your name it doesn't say anything about the size of your gift or the type of gift. What it does say is that you count yourself among those who want to see Christian schools thrive into the future. When others see your name, it helps them see that "people just like us" are making these arrangements and motivates them to consider this as well!

If you are interested in adding your name or setting up a planned gift contact Kevin at ktebrake@christianschoolfoundation.ca.

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