

Dear Prospective Parent,

My wife and I emigrated from Romania 21 years ago. Having grown up in a Communist country, our dream was to bring our kids up in a Christian environment- to give them a Christian education. We ended up living in Green Bay, Wisconsin, and through God's grace we were able to find a very good school. For health reasons in 2001, we had to move to California. Together with our kids we took a two week vacation, visited the area, and visited & interviewed five different Christian schools.

We decided on Cornerstone. What made us choose this school?

It was a very rigorous process of getting accepted into the school, and we liked that. We liked that other parents were of the same mindset as we were. We also sat in the classrooms and liked the way the teachers were able to reach students and apply God's word to every subject in the classroom. Believe it or not, even the discipline policy turned us toward the school, because we appreciated how seriously the school handled disobedience.

Our kids attended Cornerstone for 8 years- all three of them graduated from CCS, and we recommend Cornerstone to everyone we talk to. Cornerstone is our "other family" now. My wife volunteered many hours to help out at school functions, and we look at the staff members as our brothers and sisters in the Lord.

Cornerstone did wonderful things for our kids. It may be a small school, but there are so many activities for the kids. Our kids were never bored. Drama, choir, Boy Scouts, volleyball, Project Truth- all these extracurricular activities not only provided fun for our children, but they added to their resumes as well. We praise the Lord that all three of our children have gone on to be successful in different ways- our two sons are now attending military academies (one is in his third year at West Point, and the other is graduated from the United States Naval Academy in the spring), and our daughter is married and pursuing a career in nursing. We know that Cornerstone prepared them to be college students, hard workers, and faithful Christians.

We give God the glory for the freedom in this country, for the freedom we have had in raising our kids the way we wanted, and for the godly staff at Cornerstone who so lovingly worked with us in bringing up our children.

Sincerely,

Alex and Manuella Pop