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ENGAGING COMMUNICATORS

While interacting with grace, DCS graduates will convey truth that is rooted in scripture with both oral and written wisdom.

*Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time.
Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt,
so that you may know how you ought to answer each person.
Colossians 4:5-6*

Matthew 28:19-20 | Acts 20:27 | 2 Timothy 3:16 | 2 Timothy 4:2

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AFFIRMING BIBLICAL STANDARDS

DCS graduates will have a worldview that explains how God’s word is the source of unchanging truth. They will understand that God created everything good, and that their ability and status in the world is evident through their interactions with others.

*“You are the Lord, you alone. You have made heaven, the heaven of heavens,
with all their host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them;
and you preserve all of them; and the host of heaven worships you.”
Nehemiah 9:6*

Genesis 1:1-2:3 | Exodus 20:11 | John 1:1-3 | Romans 12:2 | Colossians 1:16

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GROWING SPIRITUALLY

DCS graduates will demonstrate growth by exhibiting the fruit of the Spirit. This growth will be marked by their service, prayer, study of scripture, and participation in corporate worship.

*Have nothing to do with irreverent, silly myths.
Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value,
godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life
and also for the life to come.
1 Timothy 4:7-8*

Joshua 1:8 | Matthew 7:24-25 | Hebrews 10:24-25

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LEADING THROUGH SERVING

DCS graduates will seek to be a servant of God and others by loving and serving them with compassion. They will exhibit a strong work ethic with humility simultaneously.

*In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way
we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus,
how he himself said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’
Acts 20:35*

Matthew 20:25-28 | Mark 9:35 | Colossians 3:23-24

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EXHIBITING CRITICAL THINKING

As lifelong learners of knowledge and understanding, DCS graduates will clearly and logically engage in the world and its culture by measuring its messages against scripture.

*Beloved, do not believe every spirit,
but test the spirits to see whether they are from God,
for many false prophets have gone out into the world.
1 John 4:1*

Proverbs 14:15 | I Thessalonians 5:21 | 2 Timothy 2:7



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