

Beyond Boundaries

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THE CAMPAIGN FOR HACKLEY'S FUTURE

ALL-IN

Going beyond boundaries requires that we first go all-in.

And every day, every member of the Hackley community goes all-in to grow in character and scholarship.

United, we challenge and support one another to dig deep, explore, and foster an inclusive community; together we reimagine accomplishment.

With focus, commitment, and unreserved effort, our community developed a bold strategic plan for the future of Hackley. We utilize those same qualities now in our ambitious *Beyond Boundaries* campaign to help actualize that plan.

Are you all-in?

Each of us appreciates Hackley as a special and unique community, one to which we are deeply committed and that positively impacts our lives and those of our students.

Our commitment to the school and to one another has never been more important, as we look to realize the bold vision articulated by *Redefining Excellence*.

By marrying our strengths with our ambitions, we can deepen—and even transform—the impact of a Hackley education.

Your support is critical to our success. I hope you will join me in writing Hackley's next great chapter.

Michael C. Wirtz P '29, '31
Head of School



TOGETHER, WE WILL...

UNITE: HACKLEY FUND

Each member of the Hackley community is integral to our success. One meaningful way each of us strengthens Hackley is through the Hackley Fund, which provides the resources necessary to support the programs and people that make a Hackley education so exceptional. As the philanthropic priority of our school, investing in the Hackley Fund solidifies Hackley's foundation.



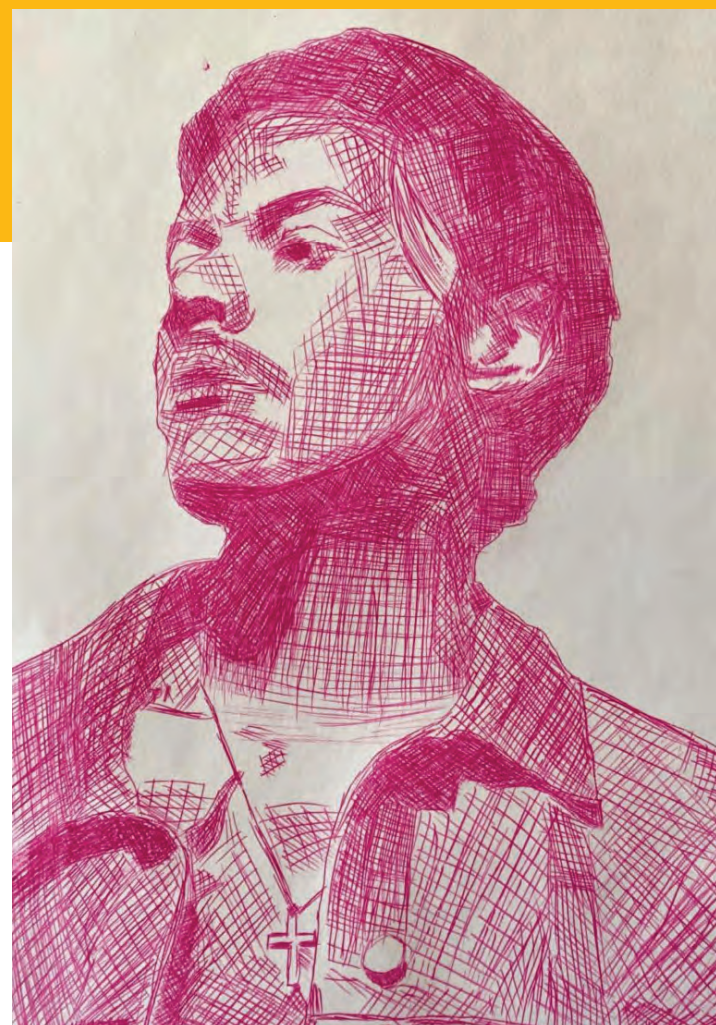
ELEVATE: ENDOWMENT

With a strong foundation, we can plan for the future, freed from limitations. Growing our endowment will provide the long-term financial stability to support the initiatives adopted by our community-created strategic plan, *Redefining Excellence*. Our endowment funding priorities are:

- Experiential Education
- Financial Aid & Affordability
- Public Purpose
- Faculty Support
- Curricular Connections

Unhindered, we can go beyond boundaries and make our biggest dreams for Hackley a reality.

Jackie,
12th grade



Giulia, 8th grade

CREATE: THE CENTER

Teaching students new ways to see, understand, and address problems in the context of meaningful real-world learning experiences is increasingly critical to prepare our graduates for life and careers in the 21st century. The Center for the Creative Arts and Technology will foster creativity in its many forms; elevate computer science and the visual and performing arts; and increase interdisciplinary teaching, learning, and collaboration.

"PERFORMING ARTS—
FROM SINGING TO BAND
TO THEATER—HAS BEEN
ONE OF THE GREATEST
SOURCES OF CREATIVITY
AND JOY IN MY CHILDREN'S
EDUCATION."

~ Chitra Dhakad P '19, '22, '26



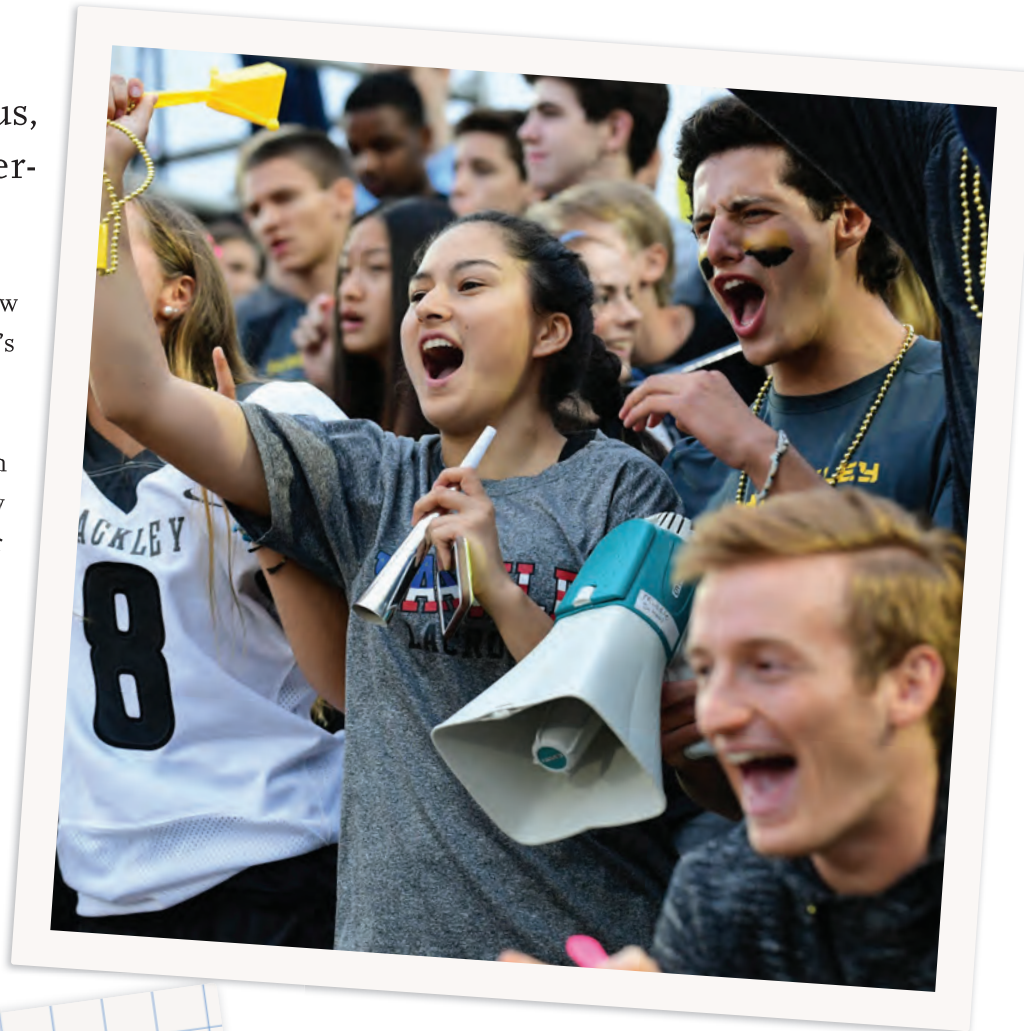
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With over 100 years behind us, we are adapting for an ever-changing future.

Whatever the future may hold, we know the status quo is not sufficient for today's Hackley students, nor for tomorrow's.

The flexibility to adapt—and the wisdom to preserve the essence of a Hackley education—are critical as we prepare our graduates for a changing world. We can only do this when the community comes together, united in our shared values, vision for Hackley, and commitment to every student, every day.

The Hackley Fund, our annual fund, is essential in setting Hackley apart from its peers by supporting the people, places, and programs that make Hackley a remarkable school.



"BY HELPING CHILDREN SEE THEIR CONNECTEDNESS TO PEOPLE AROUND THE WORLD, WE GROW THEIR SOCIAL INTELLIGENCE AND INSTILL HABITS OF GIVING AND HELPING OTHERS."

~ Roni Kanter, Lower School teacher

"Hackley helps create an environment where I feel safe sharing my ideas and bonding with my peers over them. This translates into a continued connection with my classmates outside the classroom."

~ Saifan '28



"HACKLEY OPENED MY EYES TO A NEW WORLD OF EXPERIENCES WHILE PROVIDING ME THE LANGUAGE AND OPPORTUNITY TO ARTICULATE WHO I WAS (AND AM) THROUGHOUT."

~ Sean-Patrick '07

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When we launched our strategic plan, *Redefining Excellence*, in the 2018–2019 academic year, we couldn't have predicted some of the challenges the world and our school would face.

More than a tactical plan, we created a roadmap for our school's future that is rooted in an ethos that has allowed Hackley School to thrive even in difficult times. Today, our commitment to *Redefining Excellence* remains stronger than ever.



"A HACKLEY EDUCATION IS OF INESTIMABLE VALUE BECAUSE OUR GRADUATES ARE PREPARED TO ENTER INTO A WORLD THAT IS CONSTANTLY CHANGING— BOTH EVER-WIDENING AND EVER-SHRINKING. HACKLEY STUDENTS GAIN NOT MERELY KNOWLEDGE, BUT A THIRST FOR KNOWLEDGE, AND A PERVAIDING SENSE OF JUSTICE, ACCEPTANCE, AND EMPATHY."

~ H. Rodgin Cohen P '08, President of the Board of Trustees



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The *Beyond Boundaries* campaign will strengthen our endowment, supporting the following key initiatives:

EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION

Learning takes root when students apply knowledge and skills beyond the boundaries of the classroom. Outdoor and environmental education, interdisciplinary studies, and domestic and international travel that is accessible to all stretch our students' understanding of their environment, their communities, and the world.

FINANCIAL AID & AFFORDABILITY

We remain committed to making the full Hackley experience ever more accessible. Financial aid, in the form of tuition and extracurricular activities grants, bolsters our dynamic liberal arts learning environment and facilitates learning from varying perspectives and backgrounds, providing critical resources for students who would not otherwise be able to afford Hackley.

PUBLIC PURPOSE

With a goal to *go forth and spread beauty and light*, Hackley students learn to act with humility, integrity, and a sense of responsibility toward the greater good. Endowment for public purpose will support community service and service-learning—including Hudson Scholars—and civic engagement and civil discourse initiatives.

FACULTY SUPPORT

Our faculty lie at the heart of a Hackley education. Attracting and retaining exceptional educators—those whose impact lasts a lifetime—must remain at the top of our priorities. Improved faculty compensation and funding for professional development is essential for our school, our students, and our future.

CURRICULAR CONNECTIONS

Our K-12 liberal arts approach centers around the connections that exist within and between disciplines. An investment in collaborative programs allows Hackley students to engage with curricula and learning experiences that transcend departments, connect multiple areas of study, and create deeper meaning.

"A HUDSON SCHOLARS ENDOWMENT WOULD BE A GAME-CHANGER FOR THE PROGRAM! IT WOULD ALLOW US TO CONTINUE TO MAKE TRANSFORMATIONAL IMPACTS ON STUDENTS AND FAMILIES FROM OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY, TO PROVIDE INVALUABLE LEADERSHIP AND GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES TO OUR UPPER SCHOOL STUDENTS, AND TO GIVE MEANINGFUL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TO HACKLEY TEACHERS."

~ David Sykes, Upper School teacher and Director of Hudson Scholars

"Hackley's outdoor education is awesome because we explore nature and learn about the world that we live in. Our teachers use the amazing Hackley campus and trails to bring the classroom outdoors."

~ Cadey '28



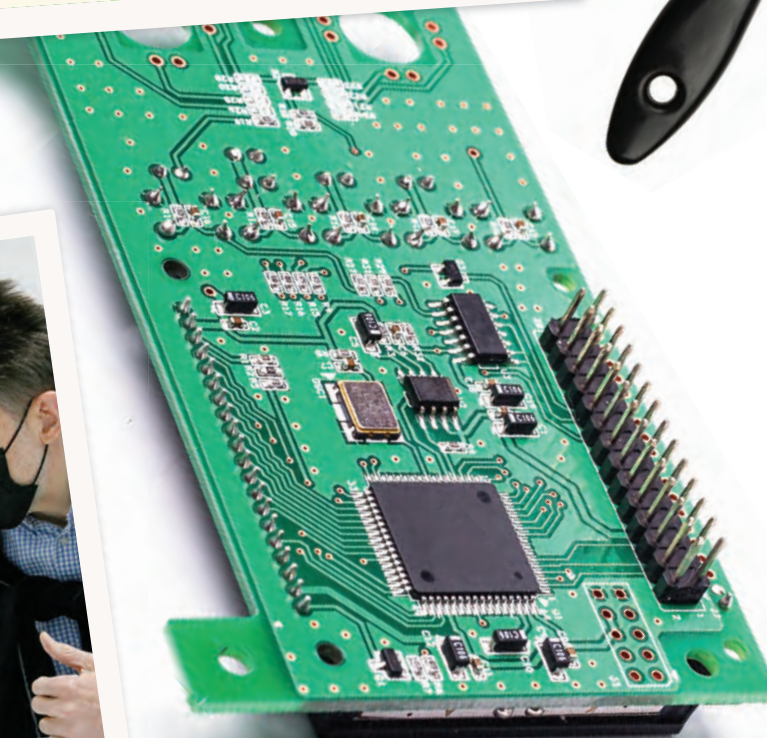
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A Hackley education is valued for its enduring impact on the lives of our students and alumni.

For that to remain true, Hackley must continue to grow and evolve. And for our school and graduates to compete in the 21st century, we must invest in the facilities that will help them advance beyond boundaries.

The Center for the Creative Arts and Technology elevates the creative process by bringing together computer science and the visual and performing arts. With 50,000 square feet dedicated to imagination and creativity, our students will have unique, cutting-edge opportunities to learn and create.

The 550-seat auditorium and 100-seat black box theater will spotlight Hackley's student actors, artists, musicians, and technicians, and serve as a shared space across disciplines. Instructional spaces, rehearsal and practice rooms, scene shops, dressing rooms, and control rooms will foster creativity in its many forms and elevate the visual and performing arts at Hackley. The Makerspaces, studios, and flexible computer science classrooms will create a learning environment for superior computer science instruction across disciplines.



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~ Greg Cice, Middle and Upper School teacher and Visual Arts Department Chair

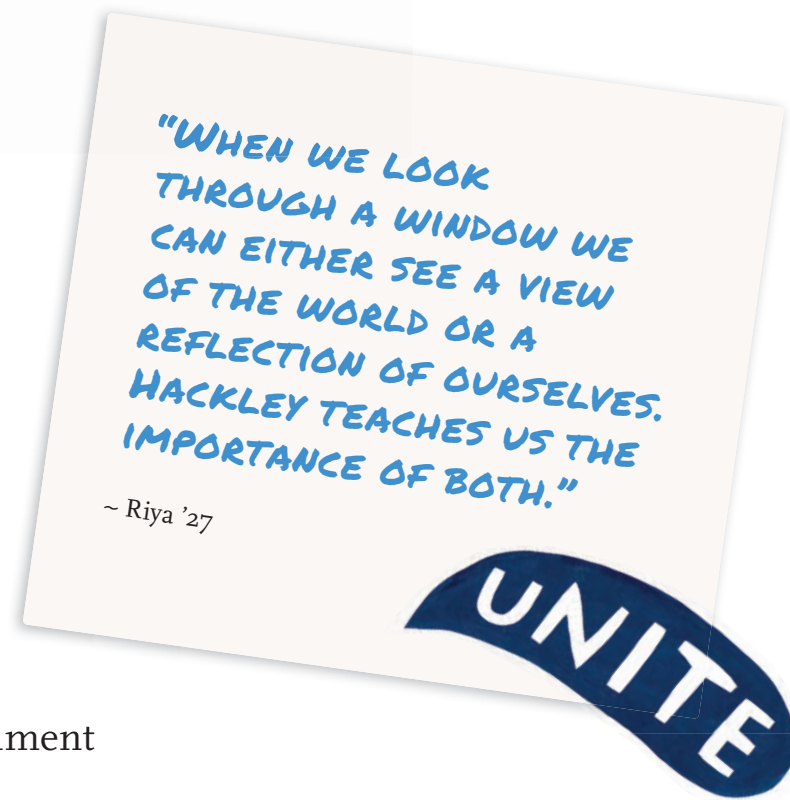


Beyond Boundaries

We are proud of Hackley's accomplishments, and we know you are as well.

When you join this campaign, you become a catalyst for realizing our strategic plan and ensuring our graduates are prepared for lives and careers in a world that exists beyond boundaries.

Join us in reimagining accomplishment and redefining excellence.



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Be part of Hackley's future.

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"WITH ALL FOUR OF OUR CHILDREN AT HACKLEY, WE ARE COMMITTED TO DO ALL WE CAN TO BE GOOD STEWARDS OF THIS VERY SPECIAL SCHOOL COMMUNITY; THIS IS AT THE CORE OF OUR SERVICE AS CO-CHAIRS OF THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN. WE'RE ENTHUSIASTICALLY ROLLING UP OUR SLEEVES TO HELP HACKLEY HAVE THE RESOURCES TO INSPIRE THE BEST IN OUR STUDENTS AND FACULTY—TODAY, TOMORROW, AND BEYOND."

~ Linda and Glenn Greenberg, P '22, '24, '28, '29



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