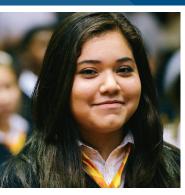
# Build a Bridge to the Future

# SPONSOR A SCHOLAR









The School That Works

## **Cost to Educate a Student**



- 45% Student Work Study Earnings
- 5% Family Contribution
- 50% Philanthropic Support

#### **EVERY CRISTO REY STUDENT**

earns a significant portion of the cost of his or her education by working at one of our corporate partners through our Corporate Work Study Program. Additionally, each family commits to pay an appropriate amount of tuition, based on their financial situation. However, even after a student's earnings and his or her family's contribution, there is a gap of approximately \$10,000 to fully fund a Cristo Rey Orange County education.

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Our students need benefactors to bridge the gap between what they earn through work study, what their families pay, and the cost of a quality Cristo Rey education.

We invite you to build that bridge by participating in our Sponsor a Scholar Program.

Your generous support will provide a Catholic, college preparatory education and work experience to a young person who needs it. And one who will most likely be the first college graduate in his or her family. We encourage you to make a four-year commitment to sponsor a scholar, so they have the certainty of knowing they have your support through graduation. You can also make a one-time gift. However you choose to give, your partnership will provide a life-changing opportunity to a Cristo Rey student.



# WHY SPONSOR A CRISTO REY STUDENT?

- Personally invest in the promise and potential of a student who would otherwise be unable to afford a Cristo Rey education.
- On average, students from low-income families enroll in college at a rate of 46%. Among Cristo Rey graduates, that rate is 90%.
- Cristo Rey graduates are nearly 3X more likely to earn a bachelor's degree than their socio-economic peers.
- Families on average pay \$882 in tuition towards a cost per student for education of approximately \$20,000.
- Students earn approximately \$9000 towards their tuition through the Corporate Work Study Program.

### **OPPORTUNITIES** TO SPONSOR A SCHOLAR:

\$10.000 supports one student with a scholarship that fully funds a Cristo Rey education after student work study earnings and family contributions.

\$20.000 bridges the gap for two students for one school year.

\$40,000 provides a full scholarship for one student through graduation. Pledges may be payable over four years.

Gifts in any amount are gratefully accepted and will help provide crucial funding for our students.

**Sponsor A Scholar Today** 







**ALL BENEFACTORS** WHO SPONSOR A SCHOLAR WILL **RECEIVE:** 

**Periodic letters** and updates from sponsored student(s)

Invitation to annual Mass and reception with Cristo Rev students, staff, and board

Monthly electronic newsletter

Exclusive invitations to special events



If you are interested in sponsoring a scholar or in other ways to support our mission, please contact

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