



# TRI-STATE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

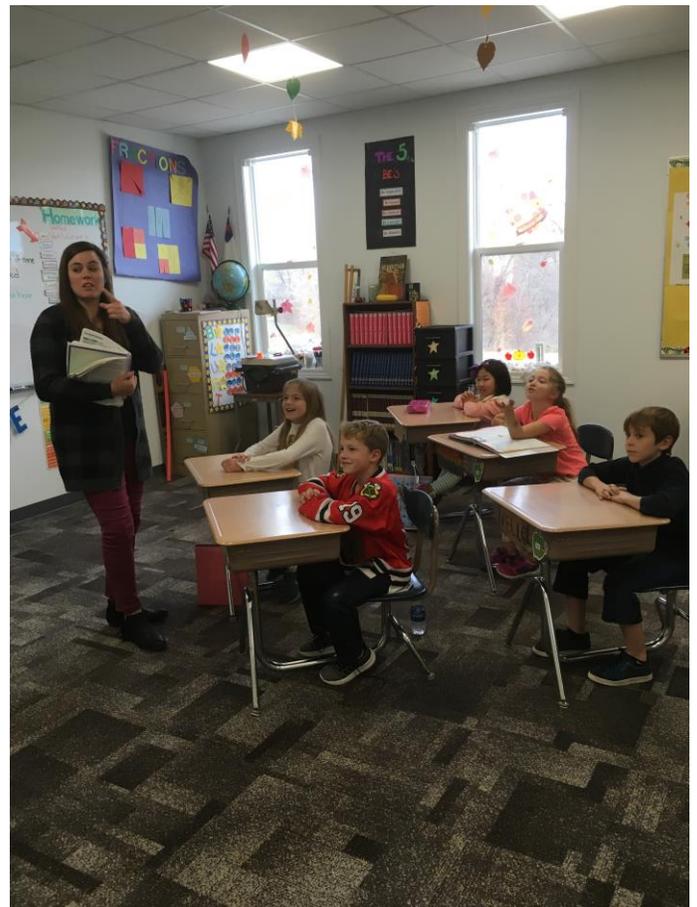
## TSCS Scholarship Matching Grant:

We have been blessed by several donors with a matching grant opportunity this year of \$12,500, which when successfully met will provide \$25,000 to help pay for our scholarship program. Many children who greatly benefit from the Christ-centered education we provide, are able to attend only because of our financial aid program. In addition, the tuition paid by parents only begins to cover the full cost associated with providing the Christian education that is the hallmark of Tri-State Christian School. Because of this gap between expenses and tuition, we are dependent on the Lord and His people to make up the difference.



As we consider the state of education in America today, we clearly see what a blessing it is for our children to be able to attend Tri-State Christian School. The environment at the school is Christ-centered; the administration, board members, teachers, and staff are all individuals who love the Lord and proclaim Jesus Christ as their personal Savior; the Bible and prayer are central to everyday student life; and the classes and curriculum are designed to provide a consistent Biblical perspective throughout all aspects of the educational program.

**As many of you make year-end financial decisions, I would ask that you support God's work here at Tri-State Christian School with a gift to our matching grant.**





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## School Move Update:

This has been a historic and exciting year for Tri-State Christian School. We have remodeled a church building in Dubuque, Iowa, and successfully moved our grade school program into it for the start of the 2018/2019 school year.

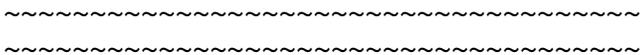


In addition, we purchased three modular classrooms for our secondary program and have almost finished remodeling them so that our 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students can join the grade school at our new Dubuque campus. We have also sold our building in Galena and used the proceeds to pay for the new Dubuque property and remodeling work. We enrolled 26 new students this year and anticipate more students joining Tri-State by the semester break. Now that the remodeling work is completed, we anticipate a very strong enrollment cycle this spring and summer.



## ACSI Accreditation Update:

Tri-State Christian School has been working for three years towards accreditation with ACSI (Association of Christian Schools International), the largest Christian school accreditation agency in the world. The self-study process helped our school identify our strengths and weaknesses, which should move us closer to our goal of excellence in the years ahead. We just completed our accreditation visit in November and received the standard five-year accreditation they offer schools. With our ACSI accreditation, we will be considered an accredited non-public school in Iowa, which qualifies us to participate in a number of state programs that will be beneficial for students and parents alike. We greatly appreciate all the hard work everyone put into the process and praise the Lord for the successful outcome.



## 2018-2019 Matching Grant

**If you would like to contribute to the matching grant, please click on the “Support TSCS” button located at the bottom of the website. We appreciate your prayers and support in our efforts to provide Christian education to children.**

*We wish you and your family a very blessed and Merry Christmas!*

