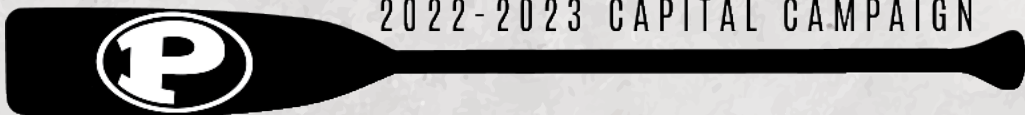


ROW THE BOAT

2022-2023 CAPITAL CAMPAIGN





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about FPD's Row the Boat
Campaign



Viking Nation -

Together, we have accomplished so much over the last few years. We've made upgrades to our entry and exit roads to campus, to the MAC Gym, and to our weight room. We were able to remodel our elementary, middle, and high school buildings while building out the second floor of our 300 building to create a new 5th-grade space. We've also added two new STEM labs, installed new preschool and elementary playgrounds, built "The Park" (an outdoor area for our middle school students), and added the Larry Lee Hitting Center for our softball program. And, we have beautified our campus with new landscaping which has been recognized by the city of Macon. WOW! Well done, Viking Nation, WELL DONE! Yet, as we enter into our Row the Boat Campaign for 2022-23, I say this:



"WE ARE JUST GETTING STARTED!"

We are excited to announce the launch of the 2022-2023 Row the Boat campaign. Why "Row the Boat?" Rowing a boat takes teamwork, cooperation, and grit. We humbly ask you to jump in our Viking ship, grab an oar, man a sail, and start rowing towards the incredible future God has planned for us at First Presbyterian Day School. Together, we will continue to build upon FPD's Christ-centered, academically excellent foundation.

We have identified two "Row the Boat" projects, based on input from Viking Nation, TEAM FPD, and the Development Committee of the School Board. These improvement projects will enhance our campus and the educational experience for our students. They are outlined on the following pages.

Join me and let's "Row the Boat" together. If you have any questions or would like more information about the projects listed, please reach out to me or our Advancement team. Thank you for supporting FPD's mission of *educating and equipping students to change the world for God's glory.*

GO VIKINGS!

Head of School, First Presbyterian Day School



Library/Media Center

An upgraded library space will act as a true “third space” on our campus — a place, between school and home where students can spend time together with no schedule and no agenda. A place where curiosity is sparked, ideas flourish, and Christian support is offered.

Currently, our students enjoy opportunities that include weekly story time for students in 3K – 5th grade; year-long book checkout; birthday book club; annual author visits; book “tastings” for middle and high school students; Bible Buddies mentor program meetings; research support/instruction; student-led Bible study group meetings; middle and high school book clubs; and much more.

Our vision is to create an environment for our middle and high school students that includes a journalism/media space; collaborative spaces for group work; and inviting book displays that promote and nurture reading. For our lower school students, that includes an inviting new story time corner with raised seating; updated, creative furniture for book displays and shelving; and an imaginative entry for the lower school side of the library.



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Fine Arts Auditorium

Our comprehensive Fine Arts program serves students from preschool through graduation with beyond-the-classroom opportunities. These opportunities equip students in learning how to develop and use their God-given creative talents in a supportive environment that also encourages the development of critical thinking, communication, and team-building skills.

In addition to our Fine Arts programming, the auditorium serves our spiritual development programs. Students from preschool through high school gather in the auditorium for weekly chapel meetings. Chapel is a time where students worship together and engage with God's Word as it is shared by various speakers from within our school and the community at large. Our chapel program is distinctive of the education at FPD and sets our school apart from other private schools in the area. The Fine Arts lobby also serves as not only a gathering place for FPD's community but for the middle Georgia community at large.

The Fine Arts auditorium will be upgraded with new seats, flooring, and stage curtain. The Fine Arts lobby will also be updated to reflect its role as a community gathering place.



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BECOME A MEMBER



GIVE \$1,000 OR MORE

Each family giving \$1,000 or more annually to the FPD Fund gains automatic membership to FPD's Day School Society. This group of leadership givers shares in the spirit and camaraderie of Viking Nation and is honored at a special event each spring.

Please consider becoming a member of FPD's Day School Society by giving \$1,000 or more annually to the FPD Fund. Donors who make lifetime gifts totaling \$100,000 or more are considered Life Members of the Day School Society.

For more information or to make a gift, please contact Kathy Tolbert, Director of Advancement, at kathy.tolbert@fpdmacon.org or 478.477.6505 ext 178.



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING

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If you would like more information, or to make a gift visit
www.fpdmacon.org/rowtheboat



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