



HAYDEN CANYON CHARTER

AN EXPEDITIONARY SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES



About Hayden Canyon Charter School

In September of 2020, Hayden Canyon Charter School (HCC) opened its doors to 300 eager students, grades K-8. This Expeditionary Learning school brings a unique educational experience to North Idaho children, helping them develop lifelong-learning through hands-on discovery and real world application.

Our First Year

Our first year has been a resounding success. Watching our students learn, grow and thrive in our school has been incredibly encouraging. Families report that students are eager to go to school, enjoy sharing what they've learned, and are overall much happier than in past schools. We ensure our students cultivate a sense of belonging, feel supported and safe to take risks, and have the tools they need to achieve their own personal breakthroughs in academic excellence and character development.

Expeditionary Learning

What makes this school unique is our approach to learning. We use hands-on education with student-centered learning and assessment to meet each child's needs. We take many lessons outdoors and spend time hiking and exploring the world around us.

Proven results of Expeditionary Learning include:

- Active engagement and deeper understanding
- Effective retainment and application of learning
- Scholarly habits of mind
- Enhanced physical skills and emotional well-being
- Greater ability to critically problem solve
- Outperforming peers in English and math
- Higher graduation rates



The Future of Hayden Canyon Charter School

HCC is just getting started! In the next couple of years, we plan to expand our school building, increase student enrollment and matriculate into high school. We will continue to build upon our first year and prepare each student for engagement in productive, thoughtful citizenship.

Learn more about our school at: HaydenCanyonCharter.org

“HCC has changed what school means for us. In just a few months, my daughter has gained incredible confidence, problem-solving skills and a love for learning that I didn't know was possible. I can't imagine her attending anywhere else.”

Daniella, 1st grade parent



“Since starting at HCC, my boys are excited to go to school in the mornings! The hands-on curriculum keeps them engaged and fuels their learning far beyond the classroom. I'm thrilled to see them laying the groundwork to become life-long learners.”

Marja, K & 3rd grade parent