# Expanding Excellence

# **Cottonwood Classical** Capital Campaign

### The Expanding Excellence Campaign is a three-year effort to secure \$1.3 million in private philanthropy.

Cottonwood Classical is a public charter school, open to all students in grades 6-12, via a lottery system. It has been consistently ranked as one of the nation's best schools, with hundreds of families eager to enroll their children each year.

To continue on the path of expanding excellence, and to be able to increase enrollment to meet the needs of more Albuquerque-area students, Cottonwood Classical is embarking on an exciting capital campaign that will provide mission-critical infrastructure including a theatre, gymnasium, cafeteria, music suite, library and expanded classrooms.

Donating to CCPS provides a world-class college-prep education to New Mexico students of every economic and cultural background – tuition free. Your support is critical to Cottonwood Classical's continued success.



Cottonwood Classical is one of the best schools in the nation. In 2020, of 17,792 nationally ranked schools and 166 ranked schools in New Mexico, *U.S. News & World Report* lists Cottonwood Classical: **#210 nationally in High Schools #49 nationally in Charter High Schools #2 in New Mexico High Schools #1 in New Mexico College Readiness #1 in New Mexico College Curriculum Breadth** 

CCPS students have achieved remarkable personal and professional success, with graduates transitioning seamlessly into college and then receiving degrees. More than 90% of Cottonwood graduates have enrolled in college.

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#### Jessica Garcia CLASS OF 2014

Bachelor of Business Administration with concentration in International Management "I never thought I would be leading the business pipeline for a contracting company and coordinating the technology transfer portfolio for an essential Air Force program as a contractor. Part of my success is undoubtedly attributed to CCPS and the environment that fostered my self-confidence, critical thinking and curiosity. Ultimately, I gained the value of my voice."

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Campus improvements have been planned for building in three phases, which ideally will be completed as a continuous project to obtain the best value in terms of construction dollars.

### Phase 1 Site Development

- $\cdot$  New shade structure for outdoor dining/assemblies
- $\cdot$  New basketball court, concessions and restrooms
- · Temporary portable classrooms

#### Phase 2 Building Addition

- · New 400-seat gymnasium
- $\cdot$  New black box theater multi-use space
- $\cdot$  New music suite and additional classrooms
- $\cdot$  Dedicated bus loop along Headline Boulevard

### **Phase 3 Building Renovation**

- · New library/media center
- $\cdot$  New technology lab and renovation of classrooms



### We appreciate you.

Cottonwood Classical Foundation thanks you for taking the time to learn about CCPS and humbly asks that you help by giving generously to the **Expanding Excellence Capital Campaign.** 

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