Your Generosity Made the Difference for Ben!

Without the help of donors like you, 2019 graduate Ben Guild may not have become a Laker. Ben is among the more than 60% of MPS students who needed assistance to make their Mercyhurst Prep education a reality.

“Thank you to everyone who donates to MPS scholarships! You have given me and so many others a gift.”

Ben says the Mercy charism core values of service, compassionate presence, justice, hospitality, and concern for the dignity of all persons are lessons that have shaped him as a person. Lessons that work both ways.

“I had some pretty serious health concerns recently that landed me in the hospital. The support and the compassion my teachers, classmates, teammates, and castmates showed me truly helped me to get back on my feet.”

“There are so many students out there like me right now who are dreaming about becoming a Mercyhurst Prep Laker. I know that when I am a successful business lawyer I will give back so that students like me can have the chance to attend this wonderful school.”

Thank you for helping Ben!
Your Generosity Changed Blanca’s Life!

Blanca Miranda, MPS ’12, loves her career as an oncology nurse at UPMC Hamot. She knows that she likely wouldn’t be where she is today if not for the generosity of donors like you.

“MPS gave me all the tools to be able to make my dreams come true, including the fire and drive to be successful every day. The kind hearts and generosity of my scholarship donors made it possible.”

“I come from a low income family. My parents tried to give me the best they could, but a Mercyhurst Prep education was out of reach. I wanted to make them proud, and I hoped MPS would be the door to success.”

Blanca was the first person from her family to graduate from high school. Seeing the pride in her parents’ eyes made her realize how precious a gift her scholarships and education truly were.

“Growing up I had always wanted better for myself and without the financial means I wasn’t sure how I would accomplish it. I couldn’t be more thankful!”

You helped to make this happen for Blanca!
Your Generosity Made Becoming a Laker a Reality for Lamere!

Your gifts have made it possible for Lamere, better known to his classmates as “Dewey,” to begin his journey as an MPS Laker.

Lamere is a member of the MPS class of 2022. He is being raised by his grandmother who is working two jobs to pay for his upbringing and education.

“As a single parent you do what you have to do to invest in your kids to try to give them the best opportunity possible.

When the chance for the scholarship came, I was overwhelmed with joy. It has really been a Godsend for both of us. We are so blessed.”

You are the reason Lamere is a Laker today!

“I am grateful for the gift I have been given and can’t wait to become a mentor to those who come after me.”

Lamere and his grandmother say they are grateful for the education, the caring, and the support they have received as part of the Laker family.

Their message to you? “Thank you and God bless you!”
You Can Make the Difference in the life of a deserving young student!

There are many families hoping and praying that their children can receive a Mercyhurst Prep education.

They work hard to make it happen, but can’t do it without you!

With your help, more young students can realize their potential, too!

Your gift today to the Mercyhurst Prep Fund helps to provide immediate scholarships and financial aid to students who truly need it. It also provides other vital student programs and services.

Please help young students realize their potential with your donation to the Mercyhurst Prep Fund.

Thank you!

Yes, I’ll help a deserving student realize their potential at Mercyhurst Prep.

Here is my gift to positively impact a student:

☐ $100
☐ $250
☐ $________ , to help as much as possible

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