



The Colorado Academy Endowment

Advancing Colorado Academy's Mission

What Is an Endowment & What Is Its Impact?

Behind every thriving independent school is a strong endowment. Colorado Academy's endowment represents decades of thoughtful giving from the alumni community, parents, and friends—invested wisely to protect our financial future while fueling the extraordinary learning experiences of today.

Our endowment transforms charitable gifts into lasting educational excellence and long-term stability.

Contributions to the endowment are pooled and invested, allowing for long-term appreciation and support of the school's mission to create curious, kind, courageous, and adventurous learners and leaders in perpetuity. Each year, only a portion of the endowment's investment earnings (around 4-5%) is used to advance the school's mission while keeping the endowment principal intact.

Income from the endowment allows us to invest in:

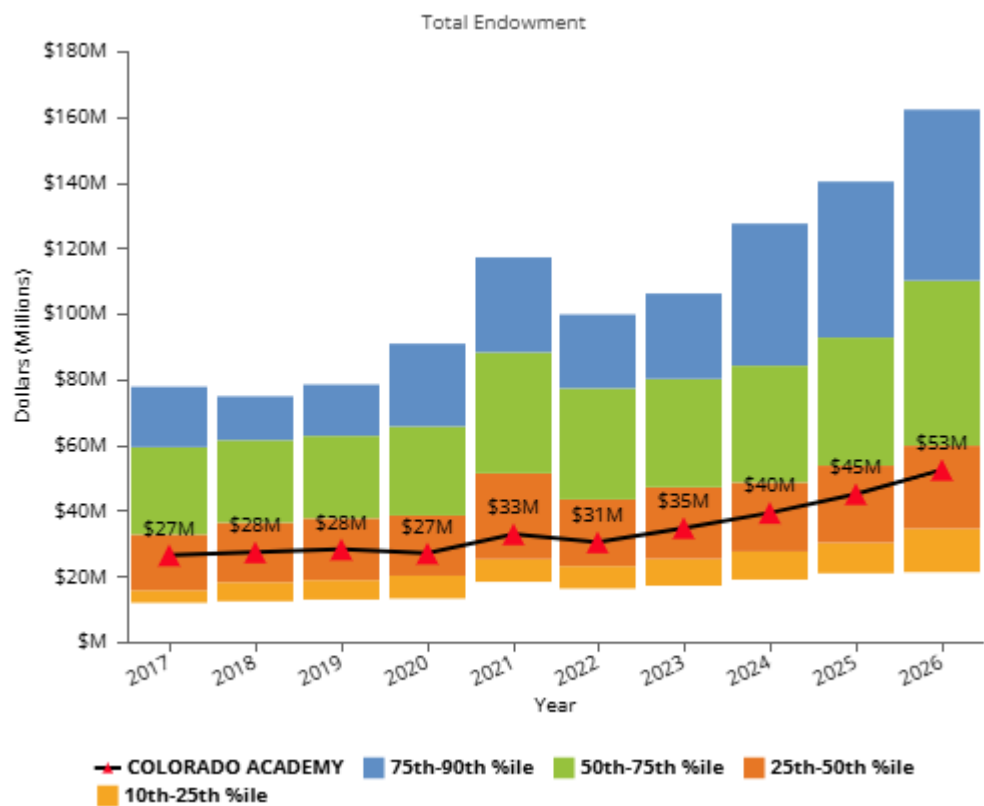
- Innovative programming to continue to pursue new ways to enhance the educational experience for CA students;
- Attracting, developing, and retaining exceptional faculty in an increasingly competitive environment;
- Keeping CA accessible through diminishing tuition increases and expanding financial aid resources to support our students and families; and
- Sustaining a financially strong school through economic fluctuations and environmental changes.

In our evolving educational landscape, ultimately CA’s endowment ensures that the school continues to thrive for future generations and keeps our focus on where it belongs: students.

Building a Healthy Endowment

Colorado Academy’s endowment has grown over the years due to generous contributions and thoughtful investing. As of June 30, 2026, CA’s endowment is \$52.3 million. Though smaller than those of our national peers, Colorado Academy's endowment represents a powerful opportunity—and we are committed to expanding it to elevate every aspect of the CA experience.

Colorado Academy Endowment vs. Peer Schools



Source: Independent School Data Exchange (INDEX); PK-12 Day Schools; Enrollment 800-1400



The size of our endowment directly shapes our capacity to support CA students today and for generations to come. While Colorado Academy has steadily built this resource over time, we are now fully committed to activating our community to accelerate its growth.

The focus on growing our endowment is heightened today because we are at an inflection point—our students need to be prepared for the rapidly-changing world beyond CA, and our incredible faculty need this essential support to continue to inspire the experiences that define the CA education.

Fueling the Future

Colorado Academy has always thrived because of the dedication of its families, alumni, and friends. Supporting the endowment is more than a financial contribution—it is a statement of gratitude and a promise to future generations. As we look ahead, expanding this vital resource ensures our school remains financially strong, exceptionally staffed, and forever capable of inspiring CA students to lead lives of meaning and purpose.

To learn more about Colorado Academy's endowment and how your gift can make a lasting impact, visit:

<https://www.coloradoacademy.org/giving/endowment-fund>

