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For Temple Christian Academy

How Private Christian Education Impacted Me

Private Christian education at Temple Christian Academy has played a profound role in shaping my personal and academic journey, instilling within me a deep sense of faith and purpose. Through its unique blend of spiritual guidance and academic excellence, this educational environment has left an undeniable mark on my character and worldview.

First, private Christian education has provided me with a strong foundation rooted in faith. In an era where secularism has completely overtaken public education, being immersed in an environment that prioritizes spiritual growth has been immensely valuable. When I was in public school, there was almost no room for spiritual growth because of the teachers' nonbelief and peer pressure from the students did not cater to a Christian environment. Weekly chapel services and biblical studies have not only deepened my understanding of Christian teachings but have also helped me develop a personal relationship with God.

Second, private Christian education has fostered a supportive and nurturing community that has enriched my academic experience. Unlike larger public schools like I formerly attended, where students can easily feel lost in the crowd, the smaller class sizes and close-knit atmosphere of my school have allowed for more personalized attention and mentorship from teachers. This environment has empowered me to ask questions, engage in meaningful discussions, and pursue academic excellence without fear of judgment.

I believe that private education was helpful for me to develop and grow as a person and I am grateful for TCA for how they gave me guidance not only in high school but for life. I think

that families should be able to easily send their students there with a smaller financial burden.

The faculty and the environment cater much more to growth than a public school in my opinion

because of the close-knit atmosphere which I previously mentioned. I hope that this motion is

passed because I want more kids to experience the rich educational and spiritual experience that I

had.