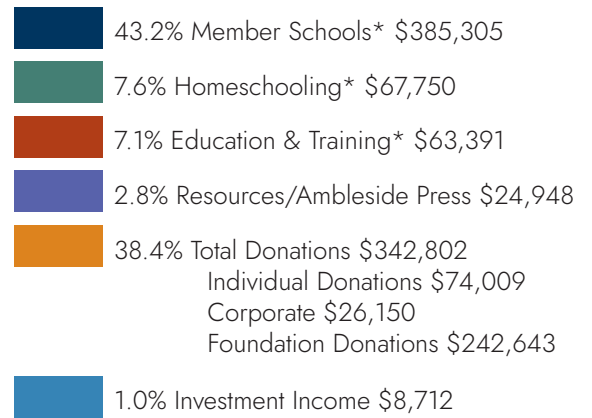
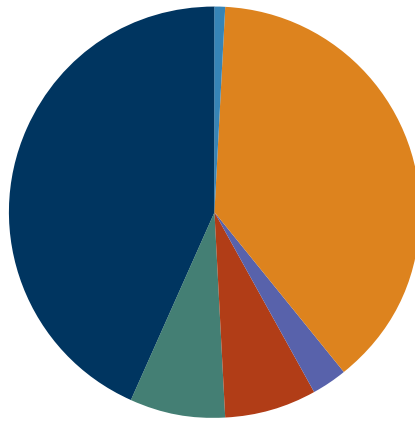


2022 – 2023 REVENUE

July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023

Total Revenue
\$892,908

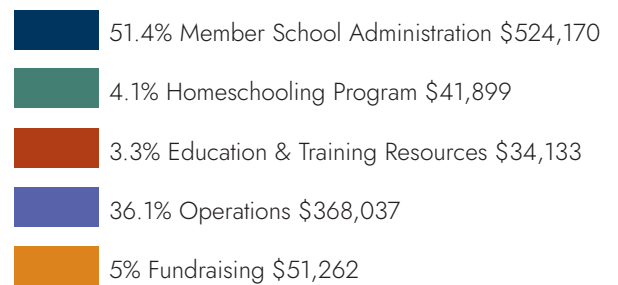
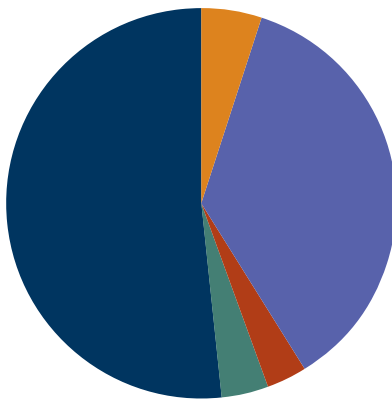


2022 – 2023 EXPENSES

July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023

Total Expenses
\$1,019,501

Net Income
\$(126,593)



*As part of the Ambleside Vision to bring a living education to as many people as possible, needs-based discounts are provided on a case-by-case basis. Member School, Homeschooling, and Training revenues presented above are net of discounts totaling \$102,530. Net loss reflects accumulated donations / reserves from previous years being used to accelerate Ambleside's vision.

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Ambleside
Schools International

ANNUAL REPORT 2022 – 2023



Ambleside Schools International inspires, trains, and equips a global community of member schools and educators to provide and promote a living education as described by Charlotte Mason for the renewal of Christian education.

A LIVING EDUCATION



It is a fine thing to look back upon even a single year in which the tasks that came to hand have been done, wholly done, in which we have kept our integrity – in such small matters as exactness in messages; as pupil or student, by throwing our whole mind into our work.

— CHARLOTTE M. MASON —

Member Schools

Ambleside Schools offer an education that is living and transformative. Grounded in the consistent application of Charlotte Mason’s philosophy of education and the Ambleside Method, it is built upon the truths of natural law and the Christian faith.



Ambleside’s Philosophy of Education

Knowingly or not, the educational practice of every teacher is based upon a philosophy of education. Sometimes this philosophy is explicitly recognized. More often than not, it is merely implied by the teacher’s classroom practices.

At Ambleside, we are very intentional in everything we do. We believe that the 19th century British educator Charlotte Mason got it right. Thus, we seek to consistently apply her principles and methods. Foundational is the conviction that “Children are Born Persons” and that “Education is an Atmosphere, a Discipline, a Life.”

Member Schools in 2022 – 2023

It is the vision of Ambleside Schools International to grow to a network of 100 schools worldwide.

There were 25 Member Schools, located in six countries, in the network:

- 15 schools have been established in the United States across nine states, including Oregon, Colorado, Texas, Florida, Illinois, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, and Virginia.
- 10 schools have been established internationally in South Africa, Mozambique, Nigeria, India, and Austria.

**Served 2,738 Students
at 25 Schools**

Starting Schools

Parents and educators get the comprehensive help they need to start a new school from Ambleside Schools International (ASI), which has been supporting member school start-ups since 2002.



Starting an Ambleside School

To start an Ambleside School is to choose a very definite philosophy and practice of education. As reflected in Ambleside’s mission and faith commitment, Ambleside Schools seek to provide children with a living education based upon the scriptural principles of Jesus Christ and the pedagogical insights of British educator, Charlotte Mason. Ambleside Schools International does not initiate school startups, but rather serves a community interested in becoming an Ambleside Member School, offering training, consultation, operations materials, curriculum, and accountability.

Inquiries about starting a school are generated from the website and are fulfilled through meetings with potential school leadership to review the mission and vision of ASI, along with the practical support that ASI provides to its member schools.

After application acceptance, additional training and mentoring is provided and continues through opening day. Three potential schools were engaged in this process: Waco, Texas, Rio Grande, Texas, and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

**17 Inquiries
and Interviews
1 School Contracted**

Education & Training

Ambleside Schools International trains teachers, parents, and educational leaders in the Ambleside Method, a comprehensive philosophy and practice of education based on the teachings of British educator, Charlotte Mason.



Ambleside Schools International, in partnership with local Ambleside Schools, trains and mentors parents, teachers, and persons interested in developing their understanding and practice of Charlotte Mason's educational philosophy and practice through the Ambleside Method. Ambleside Schools Training Events are venues for both teachers and parents. Since 2000, our staff has trained thousands of teachers and parents from North and South America, Africa, and Europe.

Education & Training in 2022 – 2023

ASI hosted five, three-day internships across the US, consisting of 16 hours of seminars exploring the fundamentals of Charlotte Mason's philosophy and eight hours of observation and discussion of its application in the Ambleside classroom.

The ASI Summer Institute training was held in Centennial, Colorado, consisting of over 45 hours of training. Institute attendees learned the Charlotte Mason philosophy and Ambleside method of education.

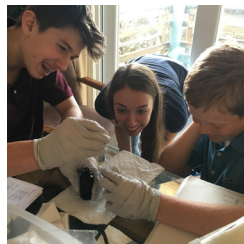
One-day training manuals for Member Schools were created for facilitating internships for parents, interns, and local faith leaders.

Trained 182 Parents and Educators

Monthly communications consulting and six webinars on marketing, development, and communications topics

Homeschooling

The Ambleside Schools International's Homeschooling Program provides parents with educational tools and curriculum which has been tried and tested with tens of thousands of children in Ambleside Schools.



Home Educators benefit from their mentor's thorough, objective counsel, insight in relating to the broad curriculum and the Ambleside Method, and knowledge and wisdom regarding training in habits, approaching and responding to learning, and supporting growth in weaknesses in the children before them. Home Educators experience what it means to educate undergirded by a philosophy through practical ways of creating an atmosphere, training in habit, and relating to knowledge in the homeschool classroom.

Homeschooling in 2022 – 2023

Families are homeschooling from across the country in Wisconsin, Indiana, Minnesota, South Carolina, Nebraska, Michigan, Tennessee, Oregon, New York, Colorado, Missouri, California, Washington, Texas, and South Dakota. Launching new and improved homeschooling website with eight new families joining our unique mentorship model:

- 9 Returning families
- 8 New families
- 3 Families from Ambleside Schools
- 2 new families registered from Nairobi, Kenya for the 2023-24 school year

Mentored 17 Homeschool Families with 62 Students

Resources

Ambleside Schools International maintains a library of resources for teachers, parents, and all others interested in exploring the Charlotte Mason Educational Philosophy.



We have equipped leadership, educators, parents, and students through publications, digital tools, and professional stewardship. ASI's Educator Support Site contains over 10,000 resources to help teachers and staff with philosophy, grade and subject specific instruction, exams, example lessons, and much more. The Ambleside Press Store publishes a robust number of curricula and support tools to equip our member schools and promote our Charlotte Mason based Ambleside Method.

Resources in 2022 – 2023

Our AmblesideSchools.org website:
Welcomed 21,059 visitors and Realized 143,242 pageviews
Hosted and forwarded 3,007 "Find a Member School" page visitors
Engaged 1,623 "Employment" page visitors

Ambleside Press published 25 titles and sold 1,489 pieces of curriculum