

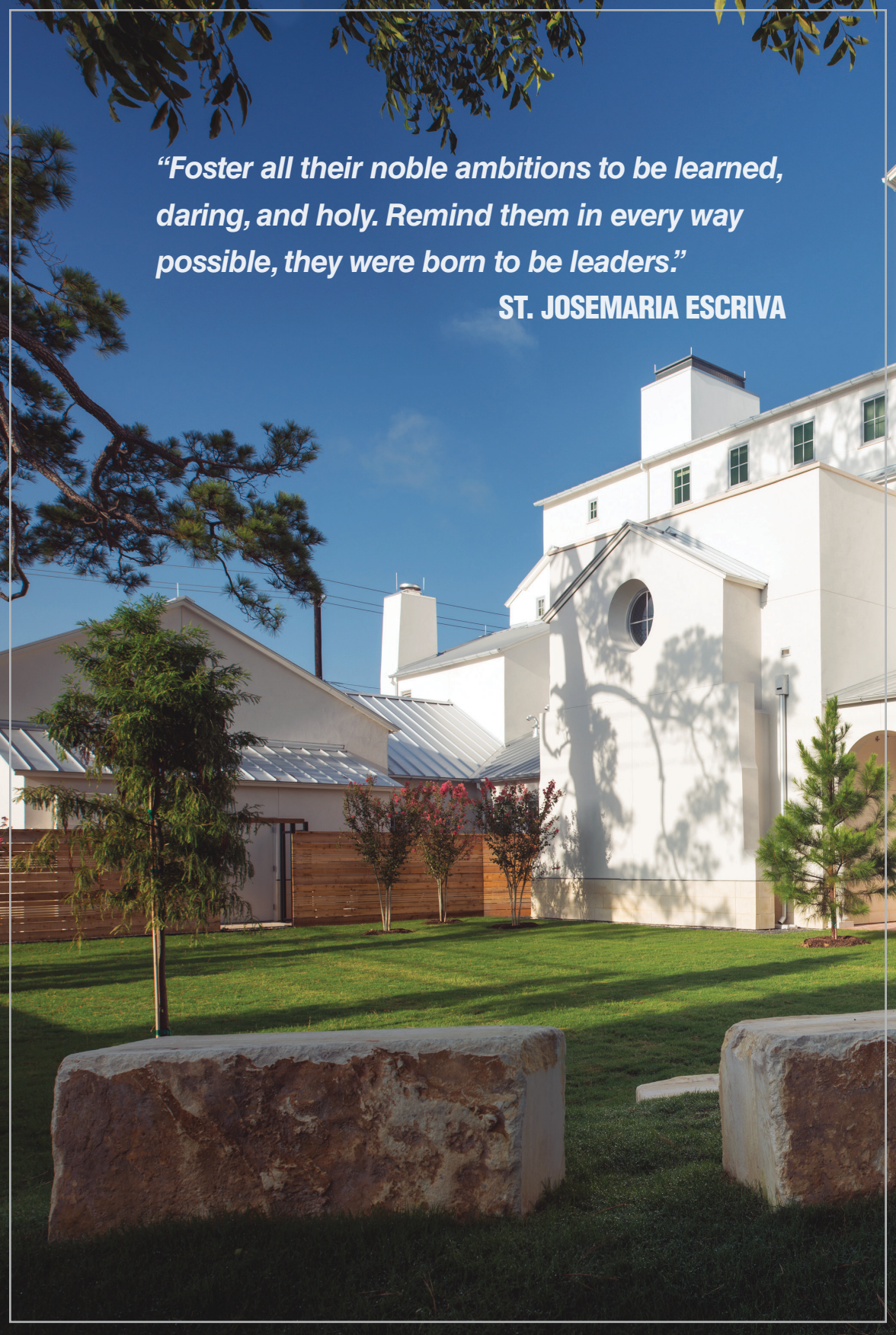


WESTCOTT

STUDY CENTER

SETTING HEARTS ON FIRE
FORGING TOMORROW'S LEADERS





*“Foster all their noble ambitions to be learned,
daring, and holy. Remind them in every way
possible, they were born to be leaders.”*

ST. JOSEMARIA ESCRIVA



WESTCOTT STUDY CENTER

is a leadership-focused character development center that works primarily with young men.

Our dedicated team is experienced in forming young men in the critical years of junior high, high school, and college. Westcott has a well-thought-out mission along with proven programs to put this mission into practice.





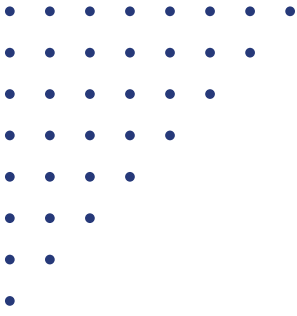
The Grade Study Nights

OUR MISSION

Westcott challenges young men to grow as virtuous leaders and transform society through their prayer, work, friendships, and family life.

VIRTUOUS LEADERSHIP

A virtuous leader achieves greatness by bringing out greatness in others. This outward mindset requires the humility to serve and the magnanimity to dream big. We form virtuous leaders by fostering an atmosphere of freedom, responsibility, and service in all of our activities.



OUR FOUNDATION





Growth Mindset

Young men come to Westcott because they want to grow. Growth comes through accepting and overcoming daily challenges. We ask young men to challenge themselves and their friends academically, spiritually, and physically so they can transform society for the good.



Prayer

Contemplation gives young men the wisdom to guide others in the right direction. Our beautiful chapel provides a venue to grow in piety and friendship with God.



Study

Study is a student's primary work and helps him grow in wisdom, work habits, and perseverance, in preparation for a future career in service of his family and society.



Work

Work well done serves society and fosters personal growth. Our programs bring in experienced professionals who pass on advice and insight gained from their life's work.



Friendship

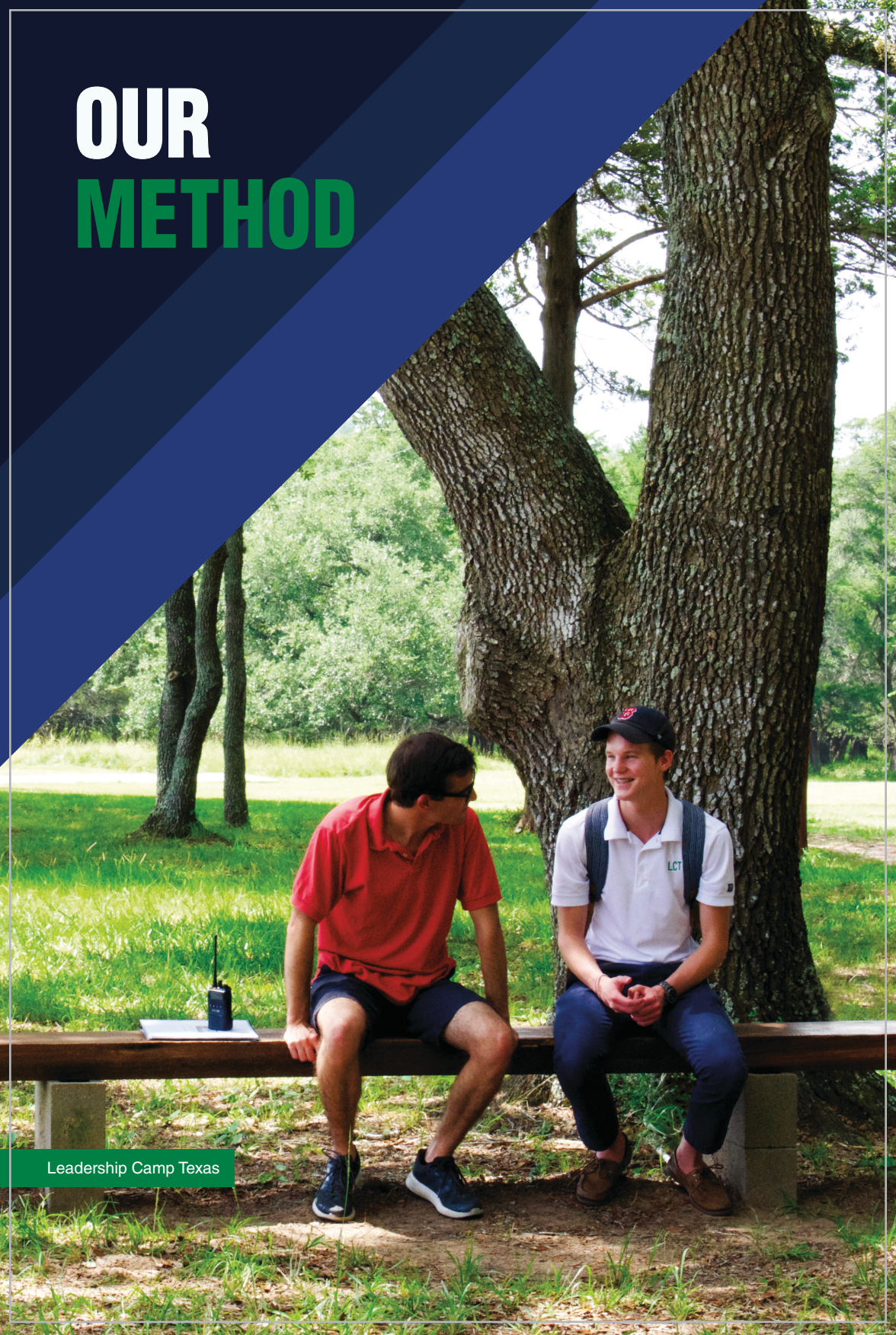
Genuine friendship involves a sincere desire to help each other achieve the highest goods. Through instruction and example, the students learn the virtues of charity, loyalty, and simplicity, which are essential for a fulfilling friendship.



Family Life

Loving families are the cornerstone of society. At Westcott, dinners, get-togethers, classes, and even the decor are imbued with a family spirit to reinforce the importance and joy of balancing a busy schedule with family time, giving priority to people over things.

OUR METHOD



Leadership Camp Texas

INDIVIDUAL MENTORING

One-on-one mentoring is available for any student who attends activities at Westcott. Our mentors both challenge and encourage students to pursue high ideals by setting practical goals and tracking progress towards them.

PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS

Parents are their children's primary educators. We support parents in their crucial mission by offering individual meetings, focus groups, book discussions, and presentations.



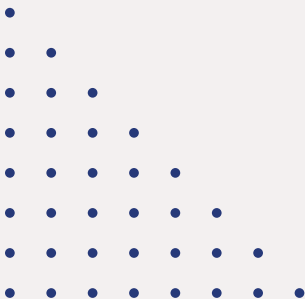
Westcott Family Cookout

OUR PROGRAMS:

Putting our mission into practice



Spring Break Service Project



HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

THE GRADE STUDY NIGHTS



The Grade provides high schoolers with a weekly time for intense study and dinner with friends. Once a month, students attend a presentation on the life of virtue, study skills, college applications, morality, or a variety of other topics. The evening also includes an optional time of prayer, and the opportunity to meet with a priest or mentor.

SPRING BREAK SERVICE PROJECT



In this service project, high schoolers run a day camp for a poor, Catholic parish in Mexico, teaching the local children English, catechism, and games. Evening activities include cookouts, sports, hiking, and exploring the city.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS

CLUB ANVIL

Club Anvil forms 6th, 7th, and 8th graders in an atmosphere of freedom, friendship, and fun. The club meets after school twice a month and includes time for sports, reading, prayer, dinner, and a virtue talk.

HSPT/ISEE PREP COURSES

Westcott offers prep courses for 8th grade students taking the High School Placement Exam (HSPT) or the Independent Schools Entrance Exam (ISEE). Over four Saturday sessions, students take timed practice tests in a real test-taking environment. Each question is explained by a professional instructor who provides test-taking strategies.





SUMMER PROGRAMS

HIGH SCHOOL & BEYOND

High School and Beyond is a week-long summer program that teaches entering 9th graders to make the most of their high school years, thereby maximizing their college opportunities. A well-crafted curriculum combines lectures, readings, discussions, strategy games, and team sports.

LEADERSHIP FOR AMERICA (LFA) SERIES

LFA is a week-long summer seminar for students entering 10th, 11th and 12th grades. We invite college professors to lead discussions on a new and relevant topic each year in the areas of philosophy, sociology, citizenship, economics, or literature. In the evening the participants watch and discuss thought-provoking films which relate to the topic of the seminar.

LCT COUNSELORS AND RANGERS

Leadership Camp Texas is a camp for incoming 5th through 8th grade boys. Through cabin competitions, night games, Xtreme Olympics, and many more activities, the boys have fun while also growing in manliness and virtue. The camp is staffed by Counselors and Rangers who vary in age from entering high school sophomores to college students and even young professionals. LCT helps the staff develop in to hard-working and courageous men who can be leaders among their peers develop into hard-working.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION

For all ages, Westcott offers classes of Christian formation, monthly recollections, yearly retreats, and ongoing spiritual direction with our chaplain.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Daily

Study Nights

Weekly

Saturday Meditation

Summer Sports Nights

Monthly

Club Forge: Father/Son Club
(3rd-5th grade)

Recollection

Movie Club

Birthday Show

Visiting the Elderly

Feeding the Homeless

Yearly

Retreat

Sports Tournaments

Board Game Competitions

10K Run



Westcott 10k run



Thirsty Thursdays for Young Pros

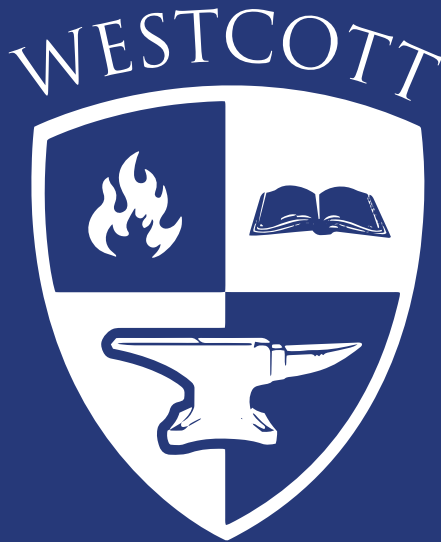
COLLEGE

Westcott works with college students in Houston and College Station. Through movie discussions, literature readings, doctrine classes, and visits to the poor, the students grow intellectually and spiritually.

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Westcott fosters intellectual and spiritual growth among young professionals within a setting of friendship. Events include guest speakers and informal lively discussions.

The Christian orientation of our activities is entrusted to Opus Dei, a personal prelate of the Catholic Church founded by St. Josemaría Escrivá.



PLEASE HELP FORM TOMORROW'S LEADERS

Thanks to the philanthropic support of many Houston families, individuals, and foundations, Westcott Study Center opened its doors in 2017. As a non-profit organization, Westcott relies on the support of generous donors to carry out its mission to form the next generation of leaders.

Please consider making a tax-deductible donation towards the work at Westcott with a one-time or a monthly recurring gift:

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