

## **The King's Academy Announces Next Head of School: Mr. Jeff Freeman**

SUNNYVALE, Calif, February 23, 2023—With great pleasure and gratitude to God, The King's Academy School Board announced they unanimously and enthusiastically selected **Jeff Freeman to become the next Head of School**. His six-year contract will commence on July 1, 2023. Jeff was selected from an international pool of impressive candidates after a very thorough and rigorous six-month search.



Jeff Freeman comes from Indianapolis, IN, where he served as CEO for ten years at Heritage Christian School, a PK – 12, 1500-student school that, under Jeff's leadership, has been identified as the "Top College Prep School in Central Indiana." Prior to serving as CEO, he served as CFO and Athletic Director. During his tenure at HCS, Jeff was responsible for the financial turnaround of the school. He also established a Teach, Mentor, Train (TMT) model for discipleship and started a Young Life chapter. Jeff brings a deep love for Jesus, a strong affection for kids, a passion for mentoring staff, a wealth of financial and business acumen, experience in both educational and corporate settings, and a zeal for Christian education.

When asked what drew him to The King's Academy, Jeff stated he is drawn to every aspect of our mission to inspire academic excellence, servant leadership, and enduring relationships. He also said he is excited about the challenging goals outlined in our Strategic Plan. One of his references declared, "His leadership flows from his relationship with Christ. He's a strategic and long-term thinker, and executing against TKA's strategic plan is in Jeff's wheelhouse." Jeff effused, "God is up to something at TKA, and I'm thrilled to be a part of it. Seeing students' lives transformed through the power of the Holy Spirit and Christian education fires me up."

Jeff joins TKA with his wife, Kim, who has been in full-time Christian education for 30 years, including as an assistant principal. After her retirement in June, Kim is looking forward to new adventures in California. Jeff and Kim first met in high school and were both involved in Young Life as teenagers.

We are thrilled to welcome Jeff and Kim Freeman to The King's Academy family.

The King's Academy, an independent, college preparatory school for 950 students in grades 6-12, is a Christ-centered school that inspires academic excellence, servant leadership, and enduring relationships. The King's Academy is accredited by both the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) and The Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC). **TKA is currently accepting applications for the 2023-2024 school year.** For more information about TKA, please visit [www.tka.org](http://www.tka.org).

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