

We all arrived the first day, looking around, and staying close to the people we knew. We had no idea of what was about to come. Then, come the end when it was time to go home, almost everybody was crying, crying to miss their new friends from different schools, crying because they knew that they couldn't have the experience quite like that again... It was the most amazing experience I personally have ever had.

— Simone, Student

The curriculum is extraordinary in its content and presentation. Its elements (especially conflict resolution and empathy) are right on target for kids approaching middle school.

- Marianne Burkhead, Teacher

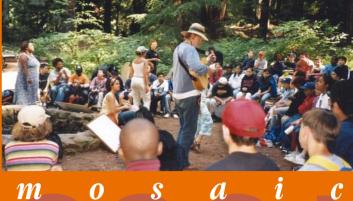
Just knowing that there are people in the world who would go through everything to make all this possible and real and effective is enough to make me believe I can fly. Really, just walking around knowing that this is all possible gives me incredible strength.

- Carol, High School Student Youth Leader

I want to live at The Mosaic Project. Can I live here with my whole family?

- Sasha, Student

If I teach someone peace, they might teach someone else and i<mark>t wil</mark>l keep going on and on. — Jose, Student



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Another 'WOW!' experience has come and gone; our week with The Mosaic Project far exceeded my great expectations... Magic happened... hearts and minds were transformed. The camaraderie among all the children was amazing. Differences were seen as good, and new friendships were forged. Every one of my students had a fantastic time, and the values of The Mosaic Project will influence them throughout their lives.

— Sister Lolita Krebsbach, Teacher



We made so many new friends in such a short period of time. Every day seemed like a week's worth of learning, and we wish it really did last that long. We think you have taught us enough to change the world and we will try our best to change it.

- Ohannah and Tessa, Students

Thanks for opening our eyes ... Everyone needs to experience this!

– Julie Bowers, Teacher

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The Mosaic Project staff and cabin leaders are some of the finest people I have ever met. Their innate belief in the value of each person permeated every interaction, spoken or unspoken; their respectful and gentle manner is unparalleled. Throw energy and enthusiasm into the mix, and you have an awesome combination!

— Sister Lolita Krebsbach, Teacher

The Mosaic Project was fun and ecstatic and peaceful and loving.

- Eric, Student

[Mosaic] has really changed me and I also brought home all of the tools you taught me to use like empathy, mutual respect, and assertiveness.

- Omar. Student

I had several of my students say it was the best week of their life!

— Marianne Burkhead, Teacher

We learned a lot about respect, stereotypes, prejudice, and discrimination which I loved learning. — Lilian, Student

I saw some of my students take on leadership roles in group activities, putting into practice the words they've used before — REALLY listening, opening up to new ideas, being allies, supporting each other.

- Leslie Bell, Teacher

I made a lot of new friends. Inside I feel a lot more self-confident. I feel like I've conquered a lot of things.

— Vivian, Student

I also enjoyed the songs we sang because when I sing those songs it makes me feel all warm inside like there is a little fire burning inside my heart.

- Thuy, Student

I can't begin to explain how phenomenal your musical curriculum is.

— Natalee Bauer, Teacher

Being able to see the looks on the children's faces when they leave the camp has made me want to share all the Mosaic teachings in everything I do. The program has definitely changed me and has made me want to strive to become a better person... [It] has enabled me to reassert myself as a positive force in my home environment.

— Chris, Student Youth Leader

When I am 15 and a sophomore I am totally going to work [at The Mosaic Project as a Youth Leader] to share the things I learned and to give them to kids so they can somehow change the future. So save me a spot...

- Aisha, Student

## Spring and Fall 2005

Join us among the redwoods, meadows, and streams in Napa for the Spring and Fall 2005 sessions of our outdoor school. Within a nurturing, diverse environment, perhaps the most diverse they have ever encountered, your 4th or 5th-grade classes will be encouraged to appreciate each individual's contributions and the value of community. Students will learn, play, imagine, sing, dance, create, explore and become empowered to create a better future!

#### Spring 2005

Session 1: May 2-6 Session 2: May 9-13 Session 3: May 16-20 Session 4 May 23-27

Session 5: May 31-June 4 (Tuesday-Saturday)

#### Fall 2005

Session 1: September 19-23 Session 2: September 26-30 Session 3: October 3-7 Session 4: October 10-14

Register immediately to guarantee your class a space!

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