

MEET THE 2026-2027 SKY RANCH YEAR 1 MASTER'S



CODY CUMMINGS

Hometown: Marshall, TX

School: East Texas Baptist University

Hobbies: Eating good BBQ, sitting in rocking chairs, cooking

Interesting fact: I learned how to swim in Hawaii at the ripe age of 23.

Master's Major: Theological Studies



DESTINY JENNINGS

Hometown: Edenton, NC

School: Campbell University

Hobbies: Hiking, fishing, reading, journaling

Interesting fact: I have an identical twin sister!

Master's Major: Children's Ministry



EMORY KELLEY

Hometown: Clermont, GA

School: Toccoa Falls College

Hobbies: Golfing, reading, fishing

Interesting fact: I'm a 10-handicap golfer.

Master's Major: Theological Studies



NATALIE McMAHON

Hometown: Mount Vernon, NY

School: Baylor University

Hobbies: Rock climbing, reading, running, baking

Interesting fact: I am one of ten kids!

Master's Major: Christian Counseling



AVA ELDRED

Hometown: Southlake, TX

School: Colorado Christian University

Hobbies: Playing outside, journaling, crochet

Interesting fact: I learned to walk in Italy.

Master's Major: Family Ministry



TYLER KENYON

Hometown: California, MO

School: Missouri State University

Hobbies: Reading, video games, watching movies, hanging out with friends

Interesting fact: I've never broken a bone.

Master's Major: Family Ministry

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CARSON CHESNUT

Hometown: Lorton, VA

School: Liberty University

Hobbies: Hiking, playing and watching sports, learning new things

Interesting fact: I lived in nine different homes before high school started for me.

Master's Major: Family Ministry



CHRISTIAN CARLILE

Hometown: College Station, TX

School: Texas A&M University

Hobbies: Watching baseball/football, cooking, reading

Interesting fact: I was hit by a car when I was 18.

Master's Major: Family Ministry with a focus in Special Needs



JADON DEATON

Hometown: Canton, GA

School: Middle Tennessee State University

Hobbies: Collecting vinyls and comic books, reading, hiking

Interesting fact: I was an extra in the I Can Only Imagine 2 movie!

Master's Major: Christian Ministry



SARAH KINSOLVING

Hometown: Spokane Valley, WA

School: Eastern Washington University

Hobbies: Reading, embroidery, spending time with friends, baking

Interesting fact: I am the youngest of five kids.

Master's Major: Christian Counseling

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CARLI ALFORD

Hometown: Tolar, TX

School: West Texas A&M University

Hobbies: Trying new coffees, going on nature walks, hanging out with friends and family

Interesting fact: I have an identical twin sister, but twins don't run in my family!

Master's Major: Family Ministry with a Christian Counseling focus



JACOB YOW

Hometown: Carrollton, TX

School: University of North Texas

Hobbies: Listening to Christian hip-hop, fishing, cooking, talking about theology

Interesting fact: I can play three instruments!

Master's Major: Theological Studies



KARIS JONES

Hometown: Huntsville, TX

School: Stephen F. Austin University

Hobbies: Baking, cooking, walking, playing piano

Interesting fact: I was in a kazoo band while in college.

Master's Major: Children's Ministry



KATIE HOANG

Hometown: Richardson, TX

School: Trinity University

Hobbies: Writing, going on walks, shopping, making lattes

Interesting fact: I've stayed with nuns in Italy.

Master's Major: Theological Studies



MACKENZIE BURFOOT

Hometown: Annapolis, MD

School: Liberty University

Hobbies: Snowboarding, watercolor, reading, going on walks

Interesting fact: I swam with sea turtles in Hawaii.

Master's Major: Global Leadership



COLE REICH

Hometown: Van, TX

School: Oklahoma Baptist University

Hobbies: Art, music, being outside

Interesting fact: I was born in the U.K. and didn't live in the U.S. until I was five.

Master's Major: Family Ministry

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PENELOPE STRAUS

Hometown: Lindale, TX

School: University of Texas at Tyler

Hobbies: Reading, watching movies, knitting

Interesting fact: I can say the alphabet backwards.

Master's Major: Christian Ministry with a focus in Children's Ministry



SKYLER MEYERS

Hometown: Johannesburg, South Africa

School: Toccoa Falls College

Hobbies: Soccer, watching movies, rock climbing

Interesting fact: I've ridden an elephant twice and been attacked by a lion.

Master's Major: Christian Counseling