At Hampden-Sydney College they discovered that education is not a luxury: it is the hope of the world.

IN A REMOTE CORNER of a remote county in Virginia, teenagers are stripping bark from a felled tree—a replacement pole for one of the big tents which the boys build themselves, without power tools. Labeled “problem children,” these boys eat, sleep, and work together in order to earn the right to attend academic classes.

"These kids got ahead by manipulating the angles," says CHRIS YATES ’73, who founded the Discovery School. "But out here, there are no angles." "Hampden-Sydney teaches you to read and communicate well. With that, you can do anything." Including, in his case, being a Vice President and Global Supply Chain Practice Leader for Satyam, a global technology firm based in Asia. In the early years, when he ran the company’s operations in Latin America, Carlos introduced real political reform in countries where he was being sold web business toors to get one of the best college educations I’ve ever seen.’

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