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Policy Statement

DCSD 015 - Cookie Policy

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Introduction

We use cookies and similar tracking technologies to track the activity on our Service and hold certain information.

Cookies are files with small amount of data which may include an anonymous unique identifier. Cookies are sent to your browser from a website and stored on your device. Tracking technologies also used are beacons, tags, and scripts to collect and track information and to improve and analyse our Service.

You can instruct your browser to refuse all cookies or to indicate when a cookie is being sent. However, if you do not accept cookies, you may not be able to use some portions of our Service.

Examples of Cookies we use:

- **Session Cookies -** we use Session Cookies to operate our Service.
- **Preference Cookies -** we use Preference Cookies to remember your preferences and various settings.
- **Security Cookies -** we use Security Cookies for security purposes.
- **Advertising Cookies -** Advertising Cookies are used to serve you with advertisements that may be relevant to you and your interests.

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If you create an account with us then we will use cookies for the management of the signup process and general administration. These cookies will usually be deleted when you log out however in some cases they may remain afterwards to remember your site preferences when logged out.

Login related cookies

We use cookies when you are logged in so that we can remember this fact. This prevents you from having to log in every single time you visit a new page. These cookies are typically removed or cleared when you log out to ensure that you can only access restricted features and areas when logged in.

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More Information

For more information regarding Cookies you can contact the Pilgrimage Director via email
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