

# MEANING OF THE QUEST LOGO

The Quest logo has undergone many transformations to arrive at the current version. The route to this symbol has been complex and circuitous. Here is an explanation that will clarify what is represented here.



QUEST FOR EDUCATION AND ARTS

- The basis of this symbol is a benzene ring. Benzene is a molecule known for its stability and long-lasting character, just as we pray Quest will be long lasting if we rely on the guidance and will of God revealed to us through prayer. This shape also represents our roots in science.
- Our logo is circular in a sense. It has no beginning and no end. In an ancient Eastern mindset such as the Hebrew culture, society and peace were represented by a circle. Paying a good deed forward was a part of that circle, and it promoted stability and goodwill between men. The logo represents our desire to have Christians from many different backgrounds come together peacefully and be strong for Christ, paying things forward and

forgiving fully as Christ forgave us. He “justified” us so that in the Father’s eyes our sins “just” never happened.

- Our logo is not a perfect circle, representing man’s imperfections. The 6 sides represent man’s creation on the 6<sup>th</sup> day and how, in our imperfections, we are appointed 6 days to labor but on the 7<sup>th</sup> day, we are to rest in Christ and release our burdens to Him.
- Our logo can be divided into 6 equal triangles.  If the corners of the triangle represent people, and the top represents God, as the people grow closer to each other through work and study, they grow closer and closer to God. These 6 triangles represent all the different backgrounds we come from. When put all together, they make up the 7<sup>th</sup> symbol, which is our logo and is one whole bound together with God at the center. The triangle is the strongest of all shapes. Combining them together, reflecting God at the center, is the strongest possible configuration for Christians.
- Our logo is multifaceted. Our program also has many parts, and the intent is to have the stained glass reflect the mystery of the many facets of God and how He has assembled the many parts of this program.
- The logo has lighter stained glass (which will be built as reflective glass and mirrors at a permanent Quest location) as it moves to the center. This represents how Christ is reflected in our lives the more central He becomes in what we do.
- There are 3 letters in our name. The 3 letters were incorporated into one symbol to represent the trinity, one God in 3 persons.
- E is the central and largest letter because it best encompasses our mission to educate.

There are eight premises in this explanation representing a new beginning to education. Just as eight people were saved on the ark to begin a new world, we hope Quest is a new beginning to a much better way of educating children.