

DEVELOPING A CULTURE OF EDUCATIONAL PHILANTHROPY

Last year, BPSF grants to Bellingham's Public Schools exceeded more than \$175,000. We are incredibly proud of this accomplishment and our increasing ability to impact great teaching and learning - and it wouldn't have been possible without your generous support.

Some of the Foundation's highlights from the 2015-2016 School Year include:

- Salary support for the both the district's grant-writer, a strategic position which has yielded nearly \$2M in new resources for vital programs across the district, and our new volunteer coordinator to make community engagement in our schools more efficient and effective.
- Nearly \$50,000 in grants to support the One School-house approach, increasing equity and ensuring every child has the chance to flourish.
- Annual building grants to all 22 schools impacting thousands of students.
- More than \$17,000 in resources for STEM programs to prepare our students for their dynamic futures.
- Ongoing growth and management of our investment fund to support future opportunities.

As we look to the future, we seek to have a broader reach throughout our community and strive to continue fostering a culture of educational philanthropy in support of our local schools. We know that when working together, great things are possible.

The Bellingham Promise is the Bellingham School District's strategic plan. It makes a collective commitment to empower every child to discover and develop their passion. Imagine the benefits for our community if we were to truly deliver on this pledge for every student. Funds donated to BPSF from generous supporters such as you, help to deliver on this promise for students in every building district-wide. In this way, your ongoing support of the Foundation translates to flourishing local schools. Flourishing schools in turn foster a robust local economy and an even more desirable community to call home.

On behalf of the board of trustees and all those who share our passion for ensuring a vibrant and equal education for all students in Bellingham Public Schools, we thank you for your generous support.

With gratitude,

Kim Lund
Executive Director

Kathy Dooley
President, Board of Directors

2015-2016 GIFTS

- July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016 -

Cash Gifts

Individuals	\$138,585
Corporations	\$71,203
Non-Profit/Fnd	\$13,275
	\$223,063

Supporters

Individuals	427
Corporations	59
Non-Profit/Fnd	7
	493

This data reflects donor gifts to the foundation.

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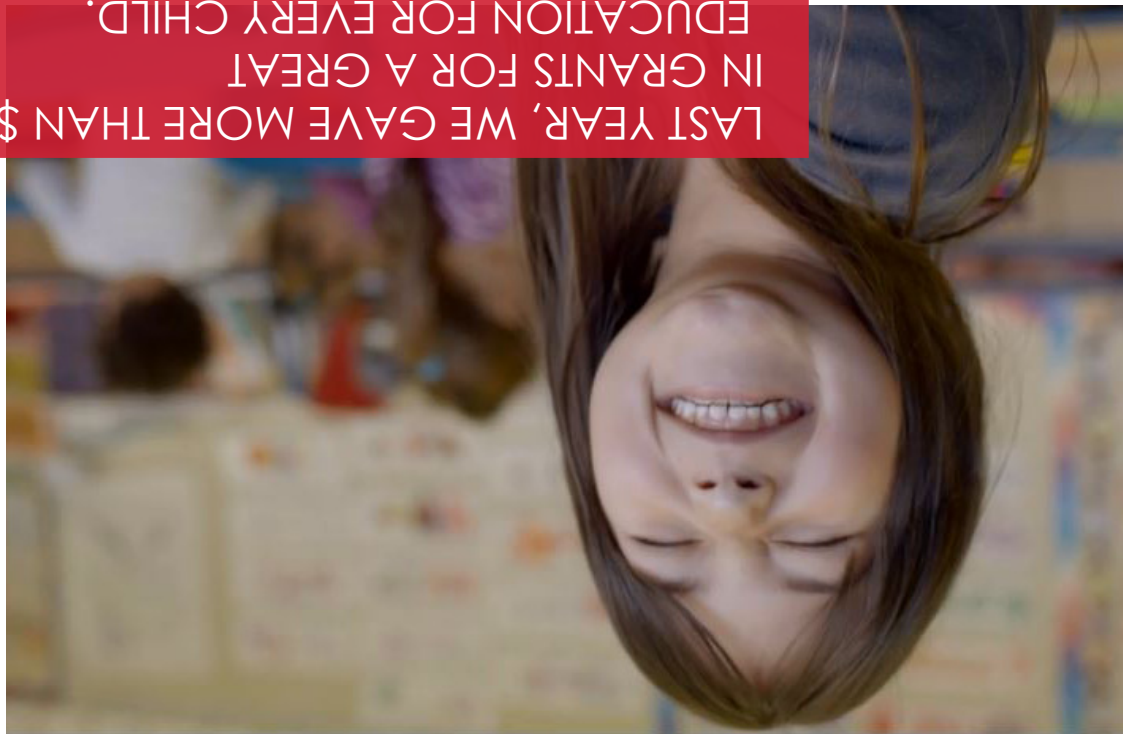
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EDUCATION FOR EVERY CHILD.
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LAST YEAR, WE GAVE MORE THAN \$175,000



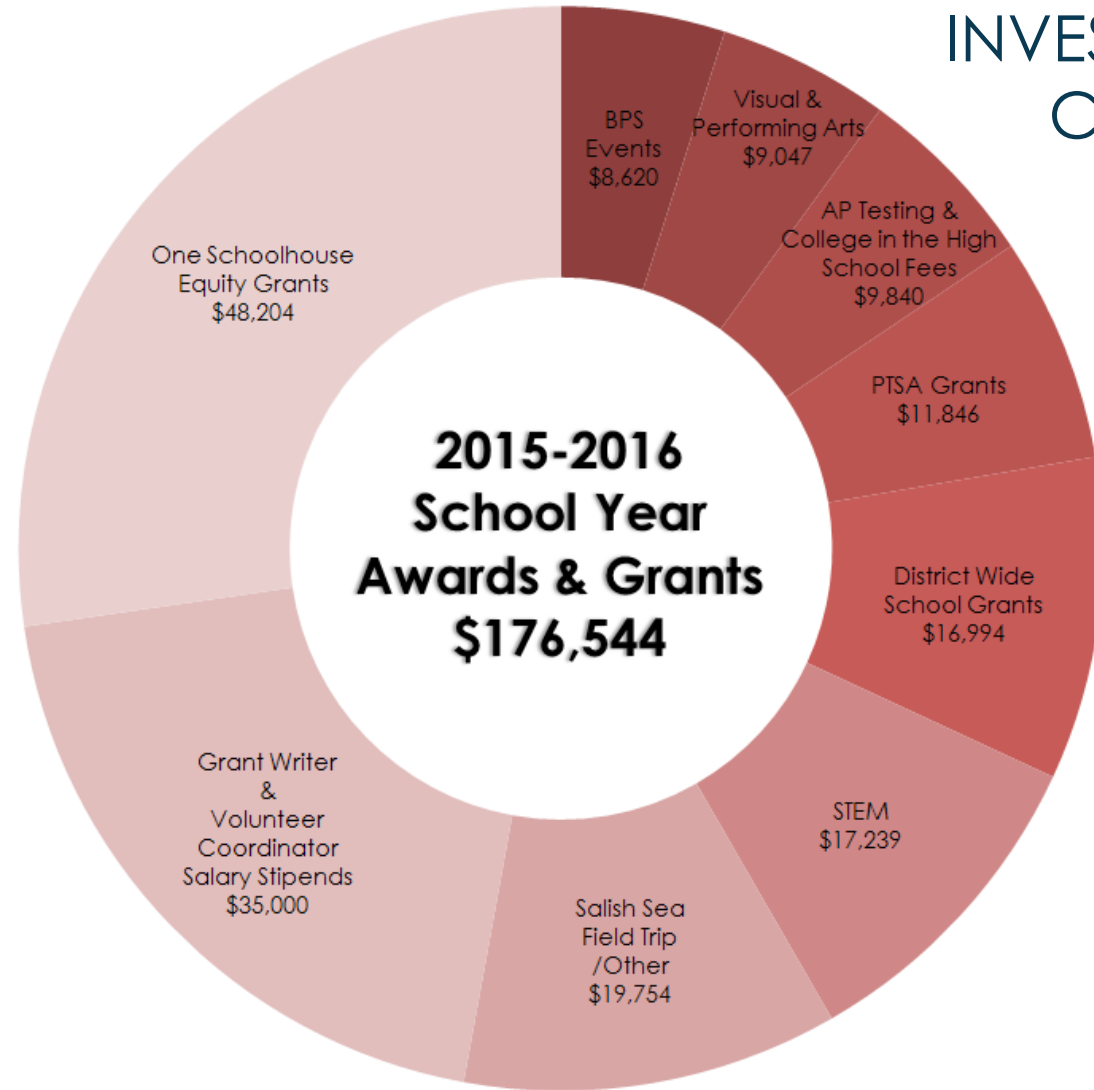
STATEMENT OF PROGRESS
2015 - 2016



FOUNDATION DOLLARS IN ACTION

Last year, BPSF was able to purchase more than 60 new beds for students who were sleeping on the floor or were in a state of homelessness. In nearly every case, this was the first time these students have had a bed to call of their own. The pride these students felt was obvious - and the gratitude from their parents was clear, knowing that their children would be starting off each school day with a foundation for success.

You can make a gift to the Student & Family Support Funds today! visit: www.bellinghamschoolsfoundation.org



INVESTING IN OUR COMMUNITY'S FUTURE

BPSF supports important programs at all 22 schools - with additional resources for our schools with the highest needs!

BE A PART OF OUR STORY!

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