## **YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN** WHAT WE DO!



Since 1998, Round Rock ISD PIEF has given \$11.2 million in support to Round Rock ISD through programs, grants, school supplies, and scholarships!

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## **MISSION**

The Round Rock ISD Partners in Education Foundation develops and allocates resources to the Round Rock Independent School District to enrich, enhance, and maximize the quality of education for all students.

- Providing funds for innovative academic programs.
- Acknowledging and rewarding exemplary teaching.
- · Providing an avenue for business and community members to enhance the education process.
- · Promoting public awareness and celebrating successful programs and the achievement of excellence.

## **GET INVOLVED**

Your donation of money, time, talent, and/or treasure provides Round Rock ISD students, teachers, and staff the opportunity to implement new, creative, and innovative ideas in and outside of the classroom.

#### Scan the QR code to learn more about the Foundation and how you can get involved!

### **INITIATIVES**

- Excellence in Education Grants
- School Supplies Project
- Resource Boutique
- Happy Birthday Bags
- Education Heroes Giving Circle
- Employee Giving Campaign
- Student Scholarships

## **EVENTS**

- Annual Shining Stars Gala
- Annual Golf Classic
- Teacher of the Year Banquet







## **ACADEMICS**

- Fine Arts Lessons & Art Programs
- Fine Arts Supplies for Round **Rock High School**
- PreK Rodeo & RROCK Ready
- Professional Development
- New Teacher Program

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# PARTNERS IN EDUCATION FOUNDATION Round Rock ISD



## **PROGRAMS**

#### **Education Heroes Giving Circle**

This is a year-round giving circle focused on raising vital funds for Round Rock ISD. Donations fund Foundation initiatives and programs, which support Round Rock ISD students, teachers, and staff.

#### **Excellence in Education Grants**

Grants provide resources for educators to execute innovative ideas, programs, materials, equipment, field trips, and other needs that enhance student learning. Educators from the 56 Round Rock ISD campuses and departments are selected to receive over \$150,000 in grant funding.

#### Resource Boutique

Provides Round Rock ISD students in financial need with emergency food support, hygiene kits, school supplies, backpacks, and Happy Birthday Bags from monetary and in-kind donations from the community.

#### **Scholarships**

Each year, RRISD PIEF awards 30 scholarships totaling over \$100,000 to Round Rock ISD graduating seniors to support their higher education endeavors.

## **EVENTS**

#### Annual School Supplies Project (Summer)

This Project raises monetary funds to purchase new school supply kits for students in financial need and collects in-kind school supplies for new teachers.

#### Annual Golf Classic (Fall)

Over 144 business and community leaders (36 teams) from the Round Rock and Austin area who have a passion for education compete for prizes and the first place golf tournament trophy.

#### Annual Shining Stars Gala (Spring)

Hundreds of community, corporate, and District leaders from around the Round Rock and Austin area join at our most important fundraiser of the year to support excellence in education. The event includes reception, dinner, auctions, games, after party, heartfelt paddle raise, and a special tribute to our two (2) Teachers of the Year!

#### **Teacher of the Year Awards Banquet (Spring)**

Each year, a Teacher of the Year (TOY) for both Elementary and Secondary levels are elected by their peers and administration in recognition for their contribution in the classroom and throughout the campus learning community. RRISD PIEF covers costs for the banquet and collaborates with community partners to provide monetary donations and prizes to winners and nominees.