The MTEF 2015-16 Annual Giving Campaign needs your support.

We know you're getting asked for donations from a variety of organizations.

Please know your donation is part of the formula that directly impacts each student, reaching beyond the district affecting our entire community.

The Mequon-Thiensville Education Foundation, MTEF, exists to keep the excellence alive and our community strong.

Please support the Mequon-Thiensville Education Foundation

2 Easy ways to support

1) Fill out the enclosed donor envelope with your tax-deductible donation

OR

2) Donate online by going to:

www.mtef.org and click Make a Donation

Mark your calendar for MTEF's annual event that

puts the "Fun" in Fundraising

TARTAN Bash

January 30, 2016

> "Mary Cyrier, Board of Education President cited in the August 17, 2015 School Board meeting: **"There is so much we could not do without the Foundation."**"

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The Mequon-Thiensville School District has experienced budget shortfalls for the past 14 years because of declining enrollments and an unfavorable state funding formula.

To combat this challenge, the Mequon-Thiensville Education Foundation (MTEF) is committed to developing community-wide private financial support for the district to ensure we are advancing in technology, curriculum, and personnel.

The Mequon-Thiensville Education Foundation helps every school, every teacher, and every student.

Since 1998, the Education Foundation has provided close to $3.4 million in necessary assistance helping in the success of our students.

"Eating apples is part of a balanced and healthy diet that will increase your longevity. Similarly, your donation to the MTEF Annual Giving Campaign contributes to a financially healthy and fit district."

Eddy the Apple

MTEF is a strategic partner for the district that has been responsive to the financial needs, not wants of the district.

This is YOUR Foundation. We need your help.

In order for the MTSD to remain competitive, we need to keep up with the new demands of 21st century learning. It is essential for every school and student to have access to technology not because we want it but because we need it.

It's so much easier to learn and remember the material when I can interact with it. Watching videos, listening to different voices and music and connecting with what the teacher is explaining means I don't have to memorize it for a test. I feel like I'm learning it for life and not just for today.

—Maya Kurtin, 8th grade student at Steffen

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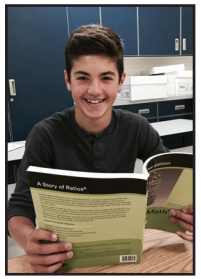
Donations granted for this school year include textbooks, technology and training— all due to the support of our entire community

ALL SIX Schools

- Mobile Presentation/Monitor Stations- to be housed in the IMCs of all six schools to facilitate collaborative small group student learning in the classrooms.
- FitnessGram for Physical Education (K-12)- a new comprehensive educational, reporting and promotional tool to assess physical fitness and physical activity levels for children throughout their MTSD career.
- Professional Development Funds- for the building principals use to meet School Growth Plan Achievement Goals at all six schools.

Elementary Schools

- 4K Curriculum and Classroom Technology Support- assist in equiping our new 4K program with math manipulatives, supportive emotional learning resources, classroom libraries, and classroom technology.
- Reader's Workshop resources- to meet continued needs to enhance the classroom libraries in all three elementary schools.



Middle Schools

- Support to assist the district's efforts to update the mathematics resources across the entire middle school curriculum.

High School

- Support to assist the district's efforts to update the mathematics curriculum resources, including advanced mathematics textbooks.
- Vernier Interface Units- to be used in all the HHS Science classrooms with a variety of measuring devices.
- Sydney Lauren Tabakin Writing Lab- continued support for this much used resource.

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