

November 7, 2018

Dear Friends of Novi Community School District,

Our Novi Community School District provides a great education and wonderful opportunities for our students. Don't believe us? Believe those who study school districts.

NOVI COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT RANKS 6 OUT OF 548 IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ACCORDING TO NICHE.COM

IN OAKLAND COUNTY, NOVI RANKS HIGHEST IN MATH, SOCIAL STUDIES, AND SCIENCE PERFORMANCE ON THE M-STEP ASSESSMENT, AND IN THE TOP 5 ON ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS PERFORMANCE

The Novi Educational Foundation (NEF) works to support the great things in the Novi Community School District. In 2018, your donations to the NEF did these great things:

- Fully funded the Leader in Me initiative in every K-6 school, six schools, and over 3,400 students
- Awarded 22 classroom grants for over \$15,000
 - Grants such as:
 - Multi-Cultural Library for the Early Childhood Education Center
 - Motor Skills Refinement Space at Village Oaks
 - Calming Caddies at Novi Meadows
 - Life Studies of Reptiles in AP Biology at Novi High School
- Awarded over \$19,000 in college scholarships to needs-based students
- Supported 44 new teachers with \$50 each to assist in supplying their classrooms

We need your contribution to continue funding these innovative, meaningful, and needed programs in the Novi Community School District.

The Novi Community School District uses its' state aid to fund teacher and staff salaries - 85% of the district revenue goes to support our staff. With the other 15% of state aid the district buys school supplies, plows the snow, buys textbooks, and so on. The list is long and the needs are great.

Your financial donation is needed to continue funding programs and support our students. Your contribution will make a measurable difference for our students and for our school district.

Please join us and the NEF Board of Trustees in giving to support our Novi students!

Sincerely,



Chris Harpenau
NEF President



Jason Smith
NEF Executive Director



Dr. Steve Matthews
Novi Schools Superintendent

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Enriching the educational experience of each student by supporting opportunities that require financial resources beyond the district's contribution