

How HEF Supports Healdsburg Public Schools

K-5 Enrichment Program



"The enrichment program gets our kids out of the classroom and into the garden. It keeps them fit. It introduces them to the arts and music. It helps build self-esteem and self-awareness. It keeps them engaged in school, and encourages them to love learning. We are glad that we can help fund this important program" – McGrath Family

ABOUT THE ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Last year, the Healdsburg Education Foundation (HEF) raised over \$100,000 to fund the enrichment pilot program at HES and FMC. HEF worked in partnership with the Parent Teacher Organization, which raised funds for the class supplies. The enrichment program provides our Kindergarten through fifth graders with classes in art, music, fitness, drama, publishing, chess, Lego-robotics, science, and nutrition/gardening. While our students are working with the specialized enrichment teachers, the program allows planning and collaboration time for the classroom teachers.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

The enrichment program is a community-funded program. This year, HEF needs to raise \$130,000 to continue the program. HEF is asking all parents to contribute what they can. Please consider making a gift that fits your budget. Some can give \$1,000 or more, while others may give \$100 or \$10 per month.

We are pleased to announce that the Syar Foundation will match fifty cents for every dollar donated until the enrichment program is fully funded. Please contribute if you are able. Your tax-deductible donation makes a big difference to our students!

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