



**BROOKLINE
EDUCATION
FOUNDATION**

*Supporting Excellence in Teaching
& Love of Learning in Our Schools*

2018 Annual Report

Helping Teachers Be Their Best



Our core principles

- Teaching is a **craft**; teachers are **professionals**
- We encourage the pursuit of **excellence** in the craft of teaching; students benefit from excellent teachers
- **Every** adult in a school is an **educator**
- We spend money on **people**, **programs**, and **ideas**, not on stuff
- We **enhance** district spending but should never be a substitute for it
- We focus on **long-term**, not short-term, goals of education
- We are not political



Dear Friends,

We are pleased to present the Brookline Education Foundation's 2018 Annual Report, which covers our activities from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018.

We had a remarkable year!

The Brookline Education Foundation (BEF) awarded a total of 45 grants to 151 teachers, as well as several grants supporting the professional development of educators in the entire District. Our grants impacted all 8 elementary schools, Brookline High School, and Brookline Early Education Program's preschools and Pre-K.

We honored 8 special teachers and administrators. With these awards, we celebrate all of the caring, innovative, and committed educators and administrators that make Brookline schools so exceptional.

We ran 3 successful programs—the Margaret Metzger Fellowship, the Saker Author visit, and the 5th Grade Spelling Bee—which brought the community together in important ways.

But we couldn't have done any of this without our incredibly supportive and committed donors. This year, we are thrilled to have received two of our largest individual donations ever totaling \$200,000, in addition to a number of other significant contributions.

We recognize that you have trusted us to be judicious and smart in awarding and overseeing our grants as well as running our programs, and we have great respect for that trust.

As the Brookline School District continues to do what it does best—provide an extraordinary education for every student—the Brookline Education Foundation continues to do what we do best—supporting and celebrating innovative teaching, administrative leadership, and community participation in our schools.

We encourage you to take a moment to review the many impressive BEF grants and programs that you funded last year. We couldn't have done it without you and your commitment to excellence in public education.

Thank you.

Emily Dolbear, President

Elizabeth Ascoli, Executive Director



In this Report

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- **18** Teacher Grants awarded to **22** teachers
- **11** Collaborative Grants awarded to **97** teachers and administrators
- **16** Idea Lab Grants awarded to **32** teachers
- **4** Systemwide Grants impacting all **9** PSB schools, including BEEP

We Fund Professional Development

Each year, the BEF provides grants to teachers, staff and administrators in the Public Schools of Brookline, from preschool through grade 12. These grants help educators to deepen their learning and improve their work in the classroom. We fund four types of grants: Teacher, Collaborative, Systemwide and Idea Lab grants. Grants allow educators to pursue a passion they want to share with students, develop leadership or other professional skills, try innovative educational ideas, or renew their teaching.

Teacher Grants

Awards up to \$2,500 to individual educators to deepen knowledge in their field, develop new skills or explore passions that will enhance classroom instruction.

Briana Brown (Environmental Science/Biology, BHS), Communicating Climate Change: Thinking Globally and Locally

Dr. Oyéshiku Carr (US Honors/AP History, BHS), Teaching "Black Power"

Carolyn Castellano (Music, BHS), Stanford Jazz Institute

Glen Gurner (Woodworking/Engineering, BHS), Woodturning Workshop at Anderson Ranch

Fran Kuehn (Social Worker, BHS), Advanced Clinical Training in Cognitive Behavior Therapy for Challenging Problems in Youth

Julia Kumpf and Kate Wooley-Brown, (9th Grade Physics, BHS), Incorporating Modeling Instruction into Introductory Physics

Peter Sedlak (World Literature, BHS), in the Trenches: Researching WWI in England, France and Belgium

Jorge Soto (Band Conductor, BHS), Professional Conducting Training with Gustavo Dudamel

Barbara Schiele (8th Grade English, Coolidge Corner School), Bard College Institute for Teaching and Writing: Creative Nonfiction

Elisabeth Wolfson (5th Grade, Coolidge Corner School), Puffins and Peatlands: Birdwatching 101
Adam Russell Gelfand Award recipient

"Another goal of my trip was to challenge my own growth mindset by doing something brand new to me. Now I feel even more emboldened when I encourage my students to have growth mindsets."

Elisabeth Wolfson, 5th Grade, CCS



Angela Harvey (2nd Grade, Driscoll), *Breath and Bliss Immersion Yoga Retreat*

Dinan Messiqua (3-8th Grade Special Education in Language and Academic Home Base (LAHB) program, Driscoll), *International Dyslexia Association Annual Conference*

Sarah Cuddihy (3-5th Grade Special Education, Driscoll), *Yoga and Mindfulness Teacher Training through Little Flower Yoga*

Courtney Pelletier (6-7th Grade English, Driscoll), *Teachers College: Summer Reading Institute*

Ceara Yahn (K-8th Grade Art, Heath), *Workshop at The Center for Cartoon Studies*

Maggie Russell (2nd Grade, Lawrence), **Keryn Gannon** (2nd Grade, Lawrence), **Samantha Marsallo** (2nd Grade, Pierce), *Hopiland*

Charlie Baker Award recipients

Jill Arnold (Speech and Language Pathologist, Pierce), **Annemarie Stewart** (Special Education, Pierce), *Verbalizing and Visualizing for Cognitive Development, Comprehension and Thinking*

Leah McGowan (Special Education, Lincoln), *Project Read Training: Framing Your Thoughts*

"This grant affected my work in a significant way. When I returned from the conference my colleagues and I started incorporating 20-30 min of reading with non-phonetically controlled texts in our daily reading class. As a result, our students' scores in both reading fluency and reading comprehension significantly increased as compared to their scores from September 2017."

Dinan Messiqua, 3-8th Grade Special Education in LAHB program, Driscoll

"The most rewarding element was sharing what I learned with students. The cartooning project I initiated with 5th Grade classes was richer, more complex, and more successful than I anticipated. It was a joy to see the way the students threw themselves into the lesson. Some exciting outcomes were the ways in which students made connections to writing units from their classrooms and solved design problems collaboratively."

Ceara Yahn, K-8 Art, Heath

Collaborative Grants

Awards up to \$20,000 per grant. Designed to promote professional teamwork and cooperative learning across disciplines, grade levels, and schools.

Educate 2 B: Tools for Engaged Learning and Living

Merrill Forman (BEEP), **Jennifer Baum** (Heath), **MaryAnn Biele** (Lincoln), **Deborah Caruso** (Lawrence), **Charlotte Craig** (BEEP), **Emily Frank** (Pre-K-8 Director of Special Education), **Annie Harutunian** (Driscoll), **Jocelyn Hesse** (BEEP), **Erin McQuaid** (Pierce), **Anne Osberger** (Baker), **Joanne Pascas** (Coolidge Corner School), **Kate Siegel** (BHS), **Leslie Turner** (Runkle)

Bridging the Gap: Middle to High School Disciplinary Literacy

Joanna Lieberman (K-8 English Language Art, ELA, Coordinator), **Janet MacNeil** (K-8 Science Coordinator), **Geoff Tegnell** (K-8 Social Studies Coordinator), **Katie Stowell** (Literacy Specialist, Lincoln), **Matha Gammie** (6th Grade ELA/Social Studies, Lincoln), **Ben Stein** (7th Grade ELA/Social Studies, Lincoln), **Sarah Rund** (6th Grade Science, Lincoln), **Andrew Garnett-Cook** (7-8th Grade Social Studies, Heath), **Mark Goldner** (7-8th Grade Science, Heath), **Rachel Hayashi** (7-8th Grade ELA, Literacy Coach, Heath), **Matt Durant** (Ed Tech Specialist, Heath), **Suzanne Raskin** (7-8th Grade Math, Heath), **Jaqueline Hallo** (8th Grade Social Studies, Baker), **Pamela Penwarden** (8th Grade ELA, Baker), **Joe Mitchell** (8th Grade Science, Baker), **Sheila Jaung** (8th Grade Math, Baker), **Christine Collins**



(Elementary World Language, Baker), **Bridget Baird-Francescone** (Inclusion Facilitator, Runkle), **Amy Sweeney** (Literacy Specialist, Runkle), **Eileen Woodford** (6-7th Grade Social Studies, Runkle), **Debbie Mercer** (Enrichment and Challenge Support, ECS, Runkle), **Teresa Gallo-Toth** (Librarian, Runkle), **Kate Wooley-Brown** (9th Grade Physics, BHS), **Julia Kumpf** (9th Grade Physics/10th Grade Chemistry, BHS), **Chloe Woolever** (9th Grade Math, BHS), **Kathryn Kanter-Caruso** (9th Grade Math, BHS)

Collaborative Teacher Efficacy Using Math Learning Labs

Norma Gordon (Mathematics and ECS Specialist), **Jeremy Bloch** (Middle School Math), **Jennifer Jordan** (Middle School Math), **Oakley Hoerth** (Middle School Math), **Katherine Judd** (Special Education), **Kristine Jackson** (Special Education), **Joan Kreie** (Special Education)

Leveled Literacy Intervention: District English Language Learners and Former English Language Learners Reading Trajectories and Intervention

Jodie Waldesbuhl (English Language Learner, ELL, Lincoln), **Lauren Carroll** (ELL, Runkle), **Elizabeth Cook** (Literacy Specialist, Lincoln)

Teachers College Reading and Writing Project Coaching Institute

Sarah Maxwell (Lincoln), **Jennifer Sanders** (Upper Coolidge Corner School), **Jennifer Redburn** (Driscoll), **Dianne Muendel** (Lawrence)

Northeastern University School Nurses Summer Academy

Tricia Laham (Coordinator of School Health Services), **Lucy Lukoff** (Baker), **Ellen Mulock** (Baker), **Jana Young** (Upper Coolidge Corner School), **Penney Casey** (BEEP), **Hillary Janowski** (substitute nurse), **Mary D'Amore** (Pierce), **Karen Miller** (Lawrence), **Megan Day** (Brookline High School)

Connecting BHS Math Students with the 21st Century Through Coding

Shoshanna Kostant and **Grace Wang** (Math, BHS)

Building Resiliency in Upper Coolidge Corner School

Jana Young (Nurse), **Jennifer Maylone** (Guidance Counselor), **Stephanie Baran** (5th Grade), **Kristen DeCroix** (5th Grade), **Pamela Foggo** (5th Grade), **Catherine Taggart** (5th Grade), **Elisabeth Wolfson** (5th Grade), **Oakley Hoerth** (6th Grade Math), **Mireille Blau** (7th Grade Social Studies), **Jennifer Jordan** (7th Grade Math), **Amy Kane** (7th Grade ELA), **Catherine Fischer-Mueller** (8th Grade Social Studies), **Barbara Schiele** (8th Grade ELA), **Marilyn Yorgey-Williams** (8th Grade Science), **Esther Morales** (7-8 Grade Spanish), **Priscilla Kwok** (Art), **Joan Kreie** (Learning Center), **Kristine Jackson** (7-8th Grade Learning Center), **Meagan Patch** (5-6th Grade Learning Center)

In 2017-18 the
BEF gave
\$224,700
in grants.

“The program exceeded our expected goals. All participants exited feeling empowered and energized, with a wealth of new knowledge and a slew of new activities to try implementing the next day... One therapist reported how exciting it was when several kindergartners stopped her in the hallway to show how they were using one of the techniques to calm down.”

Merrill Forman, BEEP
& the Brookline Schools
Occupational Therapists



Improving K-12 Physical Education Instructional and Assessment Practices

Tina Bozeman (K-12 Coordinator for Physical Education and Health), **Gretchen Lima** (9-12 Health and Fitness, BHS), **Billy Graham** (9-12 Health and Fitness, BHS), **Amanda Grindstaff** (K-8 Physical Education, Pierce), **Carlyn Uyenoyama** (K-8 Physical Education, 7-8th Health Education, Lawrence)

Reading and Writing Project: Lucy Calkins Summer Writing Institute

Nicole Chasse (Kindergarten), **Louise Herzog** (Kindergarten), **Patricia Maloney** (Kindergarten), **Kerry Grove** (1st Grade), **Hannah Judd** (1st Grade), **Amber Haskett** (2nd Grade), **Andrea Prikacki** (3rd Grade), **Caitlin Paget** (Literacy Collaborative Coach)

SEED Seminar Initiative

Jeanette Lindor (BHS, Guidance), **Lindsay Davis** (BHS, World Language)

“In my 18 years working with young people, this [Seeking Education Equity and Diversity, or SEED] program has been the best professional development I’ve ever done.”

Jeanette Lindor, BHS Guidance

The Brookline Education Foundation’s work benefits **all teachers** at every Brookline Public School, and impacts **all students**, from Pre-K through Grade 12.

BEEP



Systemwide Grants

Designed to support growth and innovation in the school system as a whole. Developed and administered in collaboration with the Superintendent of Schools and Office of Teaching and Learning.

- New and Interim Principal/Administrator Mentoring Program
- Superintendent Professional Development Grant
- Making Informed and Intentional Instructional Decisions
- District-wide Educational Equity: District-wide Professional Development Day and Leadership Coach

“Going through this training has changed the way I view my work and the well-being of my students. ... being a teacher is so much more than just teaching students academic subjects... Being a teacher means opening students’ eyes to their whole being, their own emotions, their own thoughts, and their own intentions.”

Sarah Cuddihy, 3-5th Grade Special Education, Driscoll



Idea Lab Grants

Awards up to \$1,000 to teachers who offer new, hands-on, authentic, experiential learning opportunities in the classroom and pilot new approaches that reflect the latest educational thinking.

Matt Picard (6th Grade English, Baker), *Collaborative Workstations*

Amy Bayer (Alternative Choices in Education, ACE, Program Coordinator, BHS), *Circles and Restorative Justice Training for ACE Student Leadership Team*

Ann Collins, Maura McGill, Adam Fried (Librarians, BHS), *Board Games Collection*

Elaine Shields, Andrea Lynch-Bransfield, Jim Henry, Lindsay Strauss, Brendan McCarthy (Bridge Alliance, BHS), *Overnight Life Skills Experience for Bridge Alliance Students*

Donna Sartanowicz (Visual Arts, BHS), *Glaze Test Kiln for AP Studio Art class*

Michelle Greeley (Pre-K teacher, BEEP at Putterham), *Field Trip to the deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum*

Victoria Cavanaugh (7th Grade Science, Coolidge Corner School), **Desiree Schreck** (7th Grade Math, Coolidge Corner School), *Aquaponics Garden*

Recipients of 2017 Catalyst Innovation Award

Jennifer Maylone (6-8 LCSW Guidance Counselor, Coolidge Corner School), *Career Exploration Workshop for 8th Grade*

Anne Reid (Librarian, Driscoll), **Allison Lenk** (Literacy Specialist, Driscoll), **Rick Cass** (4-5th Grade Learning Center, LC, Driscoll), *Student Book Award Nominees in Playaway (audiobook) Format*

Olivia Reyelt (K-8 Art, Driscoll, Heath, Runkle), *Funding of KEVA Planks to Explore 3D Work in Art Class*

Mark Goldner (7-8th Grade Science, Heath), *Raspberry Shakes: Small Portable Seismographs*

Ryan Kesser (7-8th Grade Science, Lincoln), *Animal Skulls Collection*

Alejandra Munoz (6-7th Grade Science, Lincoln) **Mies Boet** (ECS, Lincoln), *Engineering Practices and Empathy for Kindergarten and 6th Grade Student Collaboration*

Amanda Kretschmar (Librarian, Pierce) *LEGO Wall and Design Station*

Deirdre Madden (2nd Grade, Runkle), **Danielle Halwick** (1st Grade, Runkle), **Samantha Levine** (1st Grade, Runkle), **Jen Pablico** (4th Grade, Runkle), **Tanya Paris** (K, Runkle), **Chad Pelton** (7-8th Grade Science, Runkle), *Beetle Bank in the Runkle Outdoor Classroom*

Lauren Tavares, Laura Vish (Speech and Language, Runkle), *Monthly Activities in the Reaching for Independence Through Structural Education, RISE, Program*



*“I just wanted to share a thank you and **impact story** from the Idea Lab grant that you awarded this school year to Michelle Greeley, a pre-K teacher at BEEP at Putterham. She used the funding to take the students on a pre-K class field trip to the deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum. My son is in this class and going on this trip and working with sculptures was **transformational**. He came home from this experience and began building sculptures in the yard with found materials and hasn’t stopped since. He even started to **engage** other neighbor kids to help him in his designs, as they are sculpture engineers. Thanks again for supporting our teachers and classrooms.”*

Rachel Connolly
Parent of BEEP student

Watch Idea Lab Videos and Presentations at
<https://brooklineeducation.org/grants-awards/idealabinitiative>



2017 Metzger Fellows hard at work: Liz Exton (*Kindergarten, Lawrence*), Jeremy Ward (*3rd Grade, Lawrence*), Jennifer Laib, (*7-8 Special Education, Lincoln*) Dominique Gonyer (*French, Latin, Spanish, BHS*) Amy Morrissey (*English, BHS*), Lisa Ziegler-Chamblee (*Special Education, Lincoln*)

Margaret Metzger Fellowship

In 2014, the BEF established a fellowship program to honor **Margaret Metzger**, who taught English at BHS for more than 40 years, influencing thousands of students and educators through her teaching, writing, and mentoring.

The fellowship provides opportunities to continue Margaret's work: thinking about the classroom, writing about teaching, and

furthering the art of educating young people.

Each year, Fellows meet in a 15-hour writing workshop coached by BHS English teacher **John Andrews**, to work on personal essays about teaching. The essays are presented to the public during a special event in the fall.

"Your grants enable teachers to explore, learn, grow, reflect and recharge. The opportunities I have received through the BEF (and the generosity of parents who support the BEF) have been essential to my growth as a teacher and academic."

John Andrews, BHS, English

BEEP Funds

Thanks to the generosity of our donors, the BEF has established two funds that support the Brookline Early Education Program (BEEP).

BEEP Opportunity Fund

In the 2017-18 school year, a BEEP Opportunity Fund grant supported weekly music and dance programs in all BEEP classrooms.

The BEEP Opportunity Fund was established through a generous donation from The Trust Family Foundation in 2005. Its purpose is to benefit all Brookline Early Education classrooms.

Vicki C. Milstein Early Education Fund

In 2013, as a tribute to Vicki Milstein's remarkable dedication to early education in Brookline, the Commonwealth, and the nation, the BEF established this fund. The fund supports grants to preschool and kindergarten teachers through the BEF's Teacher and Collaborative Grants to enhance the art of teaching in the early childhood classroom.

Kochi Fund

Thanks to a generous donation from the Kochi Family Foundation, the BEF has been able to fund Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) work throughout the District that would otherwise not be possible. Focus has been on supporting teachers and administrators in Project Based Learning, and Design Thinking.

In 2017-18, Dan Green, former Vice Principal of the Pierce School, worked with 10 teachers at Pierce, and a consultant from Ed Tech Teacher, on professional development related to project based learning and design thinking.



We Honor and Celebrate Teachers

The Brookline Education Foundation presents awards and fellowships that honor exceptional Brookline educators and grant recipients. Over the years, families and individuals have established named funds to underwrite certain awards as well as teaching and learning fellowship activities in honor of a family member, friend or educator.

In 2017-18, we honored 15 teachers through our awards and fellowships.

Caverly Awards

The 2018 **Ernest R. Caverly Awards** for Excellence in Teaching were presented to **Beth Greenwood**, 3rd Grade teacher, Lincoln and **Liz Gorman**, Spanish, Yoga, and Rock Climbing teacher, Brookline High School.

Since 1984, the Ernest R. Caverly Award has been presented to Brookline educators in recognition of professional achievements and contributions to the Brookline Public Schools. Two awards are given annually: one to a high school educator and one to an elementary school educator, in recognition of their dedication to the ideals of Dr. Caverly. Ernest Caverly was a distinguished public school leader, educator, and Brookline Schools Superintendent (1931-1964).



Watch Caverly Speeches [here](#).



- Ernest R. Caverly Award
- Charlie Baker Legacy Award
- Adam Russell Gelfand Fellowship
- Robert I. Sperber Award
- Catalyst Innovation Award

2018 Robert I. Sperber Award



The 2018 Robert I. Sperber Award for Administrative Leadership was presented to Janet MacNeil, who served as *Pre-K-8 Science Curriculum Coordinator* for 12 years. Janet MacNeil has contributed to the betterment of the Brookline Public Schools in large and small ways. She has been instrumental in revitalizing the Brookline science curriculum for Pre-K-Grade 8 to become more hands-on, more interdisciplinary, and more accessible and engaging for all students.

This award was inaugurated in 1998, in honor of the late Dr. Robert I. Sperber, Superintendent of Schools in Brookline from 1964 to 1982. The award is given every five years to an administrator in the Brookline Public Schools who best exemplifies his ideals: excellence in administrative management and strong leadership skills that have brought about significant improvement in the public schools.



The **Catalyst Innovation Award** went to **Victoria Cavanaugh**, 7th Grade Science, and **Desiree Schreck**, 7th Grade Math, at the Coolidge Corner School for the *Aquaponics Garden Idea Lab*



2018 **Adam Russell Gelfand Fellowship** recipients **Kenny Kozol**, K-12 Performing Arts Curriculum Coordinator, and **Mayra Hernandez**, BHS dance teacher, for the *African Essence in Cuban Music Teacher Grant*.



2018 **Charlie Baker Legacy Award** recipients **Shephali Chokshi**, Math Coach, and **Victoria Cavanaugh**, 7th Grade Math, at the Coolidge Corner School, for the *Mathematicians Around the World Teacher Grant*.



We Engage the School Community



In 2018, the Brookline Education Foundation gave "A Gift of Music" to the Performing Arts Department of the Public Schools of Brookline, under the leadership of K-12 Curriculum Coordinator Kenny Kozol.

This gift was funded through the 35th Anniversary Gala of 2016. After an application and evaluation process, the BEF funded this musical project, recognizing that the Performing Arts department is an important and valuable part of the curriculum and provides alternative opportunities for students to explore and develop creative talents.

Watch the Making of "Let Us Rise As A People" [here](#)

World-renowned composer and conductor Jim Papoulis was commissioned to create original songs with and for Brookline students, K-12.

During the 2017-18 academic year, Jim Papoulis led songwriting workshops with students and music teachers from all 8 Brookline elementary schools and Brookline High School. The music was inspired by students' hopes, dreams, and thoughts about life in Brookline.

Jim Papoulis and students created an original piece named "Let Us Rise As A People" composed through collaboration with grades 6-12

chorus, orchestra, band, guitar/ukulele, music production and general music classes. Students performed this musical piece on January 9 and 10, 2018, at the All-Town Choral Concert at Brookline High School.

The gift will continue into the 2018-19 school year with Jim Papoulis running student workshops to create a song for each K-5 elementary general music class. These songs will become part of Brookline's K-5 Performing Arts repertoire and curriculum.





We Enhance Student Experience

5th Grade Spelling Bee

Approximately 45 incredible 5th grade spellers competed with poise and stamina for 6 rounds, during the 21st Annual Children's Spelling Bee, held on Sunday, March 11, 2018, at the BHS Auditorium. Ivy Bass from Heath School won with the final word "dehydration".

Free and open to all 5th graders in Brookline Public Schools, the Spelling Bee is a much loved community tradition. The 2018 event was presided by three judges, Superintendent Andrew Bott, Police Officer Casey Hatchett, and Sergeant Jennifer Paster. The Pronouncer was Caroline Richardson, Children's Librarian at the Public Library of Brookline.



Saker Fund Author Visit



In January, bestselling children's author and illustrator [Jarrett J. Krosoczka](#) came to Brookline schools to talk about his creative process. Krosoczka is the author of the popular *Lunch Lady* and *Star Wars Jedi Academy* series. He is a two-time winner of the Children's Choice Book Award for 3rd to 4th Grade Book of the Year and has been a finalist for the prestigious Will Eisner Comic Industry Award.

Students at Lawrence (2nd-5th grade), Pierce (3rd-5th grade), Lower Coolidge Corner School (2nd-4th grade), and Upper Coolidge Corner School (5th-6th grade) were captivated by Krosoczka's storytelling.



The visit was made possible by the Todd Saker Fund, established by a gift from Linda and Wayne Saker to honor the memory of their son, a student at Baker School who was a voracious reader.



Our Mission

The Brookline Education Foundation is a nonprofit organization dedicated to preserving Brookline's commitment to excellence in public education.

The BEF raises private funds to support innovative teaching, administrative leadership, professional development, and community participation in the schools.

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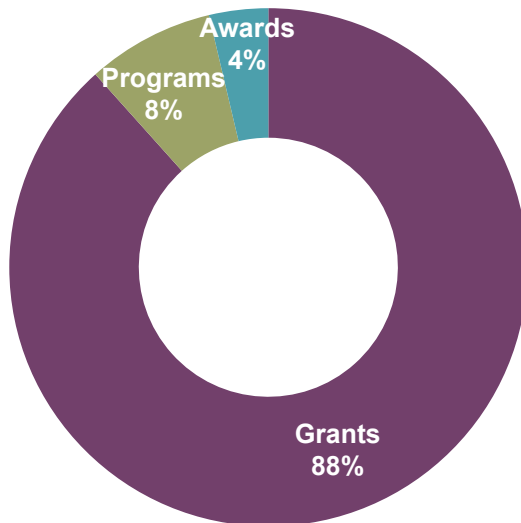
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Our Spending 2018



\$255,419 in funding to support

Grants (88%)

- Teacher
- Collaborative
- Idea Lab
- Systemwide
- BEEP
- Kochi Fund
- Metzger Fellows

Programs (8%)

- Saker Fund
- 5th Grade Spelling Bee
- Anniversary Gift of Music

Awards (4%)

- Ernest R. Caverly
- Robert I. Sperber
- Adam Russell Gelfand Fellowship
- Charlie Baker Legacy
- Catalyst Innovation

Please note: As of October 25, 2018, this financial information has yet to be audited



A Big Thank You to Our Donors!

In 2017-18, the Brookline Education Foundation raised almost \$550,000 in charitable contributions from individuals, businesses, and foundations.

We are grateful for every dollar and gift in-kind, which shows your appreciation for Brookline teachers, and directly impacts students and learning in Brookline Public Schools, pre-K through Grade 12.

We gratefully acknowledge every one of our 1,132 donors. Thank you!

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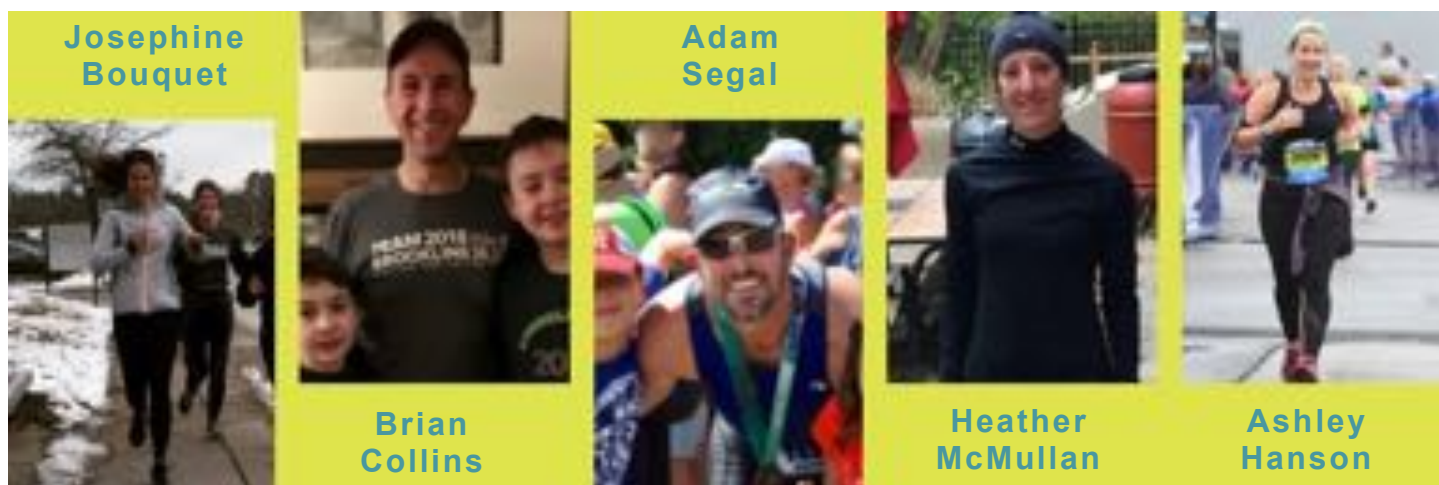
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