

TOGETHER School District 31



Message from the District 31 Ed Foundation and PTO

Welcome to West Northfield School District 31! The District 31 community is supported by two important parent organizations - the Education Foundation (Ed Foundation) and the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO). Both serve the D31 community, both are here to support the schools and the people within, and both would love you to be a part of the work they do.

Ed Foundation

PTO

Funds initiatives which provide engaging, enriching, inclusive, and safe environments for our students in order to support and promote our district's high educational standards.

Mission

Supports District 31 by bringing our community together to build relationships, enhance education and benefit students, parents, teachers, administration, and all community members.

Parent Volunteers

Run By

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Any parent, guardian, teacher, administrator, or community member in D31.

Members

Any parent, guardian, teacher, or administrator in D31.

Winkelman Bi-annual Fall Fun Run/Spirit Week and Annual Benefit for families, staff, and adult community.

Support Provided

Programs, resources, and services that will enrich and maximize the education of every child and benefit the school, including organization and support of room parents, creation and management of the D31 family contacts resource Director Spot, family recreation nights, school supply kits, Bingo Night, Annual Art Fair, STEM Expo, Taste of D31, Art Enrichment Program, restaurant fundraisers, Farewell to 5th, 8th grade graduation reception, Teacher Appreciation Week, Wildcat Times newspaper, and Project Reach.

Past completed funding initiatives have included iPads and Chromebooks for every student (1:1 technology), Wi-Fi and Internet infrastructure updates, STEAM initiatives and makerspace labs, installation of new safe and inclusive playground equipment at Winkelman, outdoor improvements at Field (the "Quad"), and the Teacher Grant Program.

The present initiative is funding for and donations of PPE supplies for staff and students.

This year, there will be several new and traditional programs that are COVID-friendly.

Ed Foundation events, direct donations from families and community members, and corporate and private sponsorships. The Ed Foundation is a 501(c)3 charitable organization.

Funded Through

Membership fee (waived for 2020-2021), fundraising from select events, and contributions from D31 community members. The PTO is a 501(c)3 charitable organization.

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