

Empowering Success Beyond the Classroom

Established in 1984 as the first public school foundation in the state of Missouri, the Special Education Foundation provides support and assistance to students who receive services from the Special School District of Saint Louis County to ensure success in and beyond the classroom through vital programs, grants, and college scholarships.

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Our Programs



Adaptive Equipment Assistive Technology

Arts in the Classroom

Autism Independence Project

Classroom Innovation Grants College Scholarships

Critical Needs Kid-to-Camp

Leadership Academy Principal Grants

Special Education is costly; having a disability is expensive.

Today, the Special School District serves more than 25,000 students with disabilities throughout St. Louis County—each with unique needs and unlimited potential. Meeting those needs requires more than what public funding alone can provide. That's where the Special Education Foundation steps in.

Independent from the District and funded entirely by private donations, our Foundation bridges the gap—delivering critical resources that empower students to succeed in the classroom and beyond.

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