



2017/2018 MONARCH FUND YOUR IMPACT

Each year, the Monarch Fund raises funds to provide a level of excellence and innovation that allows our school to “Go Beyond” and offer our students and faculty the most possibilities to engage, explore and excel. The 2017/2018 Monarch Fund exceeded our expectations by raising \$151,000. As a result, our Professional Development, STREAM, and Literacy Programs were further enhanced. We are pleased to present the impact of your donations.



TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

“During summer 2018, I was blessed to start my Master of Arts in Educational Leadership at the University of Notre Dame. This program has provided me an opportunity to gain and practice key leadership skills among a supportive faculty aimed at improving Catholic education. The knowledge has been invaluable, allowing me to learn from experts that share our common mission as ministers of the Catholic Church. The Monarch Fund has given me an invaluable opportunity to keep learning and growing as a leader while also serving The Parish School community.”

- STACIE REGO, 5th Grade STREAM Instructor

Projects & Programs Funded:

Examples of the more than 20 various opportunities include:

Lucy Calkins Readers & Writers Workshop at Columbia University | International Catholic Stewardship Conference | Faculty & Staff Advent Retreat with Fr. Louis Del Fra | University of Notre Dame Professional Development Program | University of Notre Dame ACE Leadership | Reading Rascals TYKE Program | Teacher Mentor Program | Catholic Youth Ministry Training Conference | Partners in Mission Conference | University of San Diego Graduate Course on Classroom Management



STREAM PROGRAM

“This year we have been fortunate enough to compliment our already fabulous STREAM program with a number of amazing resources. We were able to add six new microscopes to our science lab. The extra equipment gives our learners the opportunity to reach mastery level with this technology. I cannot tell you how gratified and proud it makes me to send our learners off to high school with this advanced knowledge and hands-on lab experience.”

- REGINA BORK, Middle School STREAM Instructor

Projects & Programs Funded

Fall & Spring Family STREAM Nights | Moby Max & Study Island Blended Learning | 3rd Grade Learning Garden | Playground Update (Ball Pit & Mamba Gaga) | STEM Competition | Preschool Art Initiative | Newly Established Campus Ministry Program | STEM Membership (American Association of Chemistry)



LITERACY PROGRAM

“Writer’s Workshop lets me write stories that I wish existed.” - CLAIRE, 4th Grade Learner

“Without Writer’s Workshop, I wouldn’t have come closer to my dream” - MAX, 4th Grade Learner

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Barney Saltzberg Author Visit | Family Formation & Fellowship Speaker Series | Reading Enrichment Programs for TYKE & Kindergarten | Ongoing Literacy Supplies | Language Literacy Supplies | Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publication | New Furniture for Reader’s Workshop