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Get Involved!

Support Breakthrough

- **Make a donation:** Online at www.breakthroughmanchester.org/donate or by mail.
- **Sponsor an Event (Corporations and Organizations):** Breakthrough Manchester hosts several events annually, including the "Are You Smarter than a Breakthrough Student" trivia contest and End-of-Summer Celebration. Sponsorships provide corporate partners with recognition for their leadership in improving educational outcomes for our students and teachers.
- **Sponsor a Student:** A \$2,500 donation fully supports one student's participation in the program, including transportation, meals, teachers, curriculum and academic supplies, field trips, college visits, a mock college fair, weekly stage shows and a dedicated advisor. This is a great opportunity to sponsor a Breakthrough student and personally celebrate the achievement at the end of the summer.
- **Sponsor a Teacher:** A \$1,500 donation provides the base summer stipend for one of our extraordinary college undergraduate Teaching Fellows. Teaching Fellows routinely work 10-12 hour days for nine weeks in the summer session teaching, planning lessons, advising and mentoring, organizing field trips and activities and raising the sights of students to a broader world of opportunity.
- **Host a House Party:** Hosting a fundraiser is a fantastic way to share our mission with friends, colleagues and other centers of influence, while also raising funds to support our programs. We are happy to support your event planning efforts. Contact Deb McCloud, Executive Director: dmcloud@derryfield.org.
- **Match Your Gift:** Many companies offer a matching gifts program for employees. This is a great way to leverage your gift to Breakthrough. Ask your employer about their matching gift program.
- **Introduce Us:** Help us make connections with new potential partners, funders and champions.

Provide In-Kind Donations or Volunteer Your Services

Services

- **Professional services:** Donating your professional expertise (marketing, graphic design, photography, videography, etc.) is a great way to help advance our work, while also gaining exposure for your company or business. Contact Deb McCloud, Executive Director: dmcloud@derryfield.org.

Supplies

- **Grocery gift cards:** Grocery store gift certificates for after-school snacks, family nights, or ice cream celebrations
- **Tickets:** Movie, event and museum tickets to enrich the experiences of our students, teachers and families

- **Office supply gift cards:** For school and office supplies, such as copy paper, butcher paper, poster board, markers, blue tape, pencils, pens, binders, file folders, labels, staplers, envelopes
- **Sports equipment & games:** Sports equipment or games for recess and extracurricular activities
- **Gifts/Incentives:** Small fun or useful gifts (new) of any sort (puzzles, books, art supplies, games) or small denomination gift cards to reward student achievement

Volunteer Opportunities

Events

- **Event Volunteers:** Assist with set-up, registration, clean-up for our program/fundraising events. Volunteer for teacher and student interview nights.

Teacher Support

- **Teacher Appreciation Dinner Host:** Offer to make, purchase or host a group dinner for our 24 hard-working Teaching Fellows this summer. Or share your appreciation by sponsoring a dinner at a local restaurant.
- ***Homestay:** Have a spare room for the summer or looking for a house sitter? Host one of our talented, responsible college-age teachers for 9 weeks over the summer.
- **Promote the Opportunity:** Promote the Teaching Fellow internship opportunity with area colleges, universities, high schools and undergraduates.

Career Exploration

- **Career Exploration:** Expose our students to a range of professions by coming to speak with students during the summer
- ***Career Experience Saturday:** Work with Breakthrough staff to create an engaging, career-specific "Super Saturday" experience during the school year that uses activities and active participation to illustrate the skills students will need.

*Starred volunteer opportunities are ongoing as opposed to one-time or short-term.

For further information on any of these opportunities, please call the Breakthrough office at (603) 641-9426, or e-mail dmcloud@derryfield.org. Thank you in advance for your help!