

What is an Education Foundation?

Education foundations are privately operated, non-profit organizations established to assist schools in advancing academic achievement. As charitable organizations, education foundations differ from school districts, public institutions, or local governments by gathering community resources and facilitating partnerships.



How does New Prague Area Education Foundation operate?

NPAEF is a non-profit, charitable organization, incorporated as a 501(c)3 entity. A fourteen-member volunteer Board of Directors, comprised of business and community leaders, provides the strategic vision for the organization.

Since establishing in 2010, NPAEF has benefited the 4,200 area public and parochial students by funding over **\$27,000 in classroom grants** and over **\$70,000 in scholarships**.



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NEW PRAGUE AREA EDUCATION FOUNDATION



The Roots to Grow...

New Prague Area
Education Foundation
(NPAEF) is a non-profit initiative
that **empowers teachers** to
add enriching curricula to their
classrooms and to create
programs for District 721 students
that go **above and beyond**
the normal classroom
experience.



The Roots to Grow...

Mission

To invest in the education of New Prague Area students.

Purpose

To raise funds and provide resources that enrich learning opportunities.

Action

To support, through individual grants, enrichment projects that enhance educational initiatives.

Examples of potential grants are:

- Technology
- Teaching Aids
- Guest Speakers
- Environmental Education
- Performing Arts
- Science Projects
- Other Innovative Initiatives

NPAEF also proudly provides scholarship opportunities to graduating seniors with a variety of goals and abilities.

Giving

A great opportunity to make a difference! Students will benefit from your gift, large or small. NPAEF graciously accepts donations from individuals, businesses, civic groups, and other organizations. Gifts are tax-deductible and provide the potential for a lifelong benefit.

Donate

We accept all types of donations:

- Cash
- Appreciated Securities
- Real Estate
- Life Insurance
- Retirement Assets & IRAs
- Private Foundations
- Charitable Trusts
- Bequests

To donate or to request more information, please visit www.therootstogrow.org or call **952.758.2000**. Thank you for your consideration.

Support

Volunteering is another great way to show your support. NPAEF welcomes and encourages parents, grandparents, alumni, community members, businesses, and any other interested person to volunteer for an event committee, to staff an event, or simply to spread the word to family, friends, and contacts.

With your support, New Prague Area Education Foundation will help our students achieve academic success!

