

Dedicated to enhancing excellence in education through support of worldclass educational opportunities through private resources for the benefit and enrichment of the Chippewa Valley Schools.

Chippewa Valley Educational Foundation was established in 1987 by a group

of community and business leaders who recognized that the quality of an education system and the vitality of the community it serves are intertwined. These residents want to ensure the continued success of our current students, as well as that of future generations. The Foundation's mission is to help achieve and maintain an extra margin of excellence by employing private resources to supplement traditional school funding.

Our focus is on encouraging innovation through creative teaching, facilitating student development, and fostering community/school partnerships. The Foundation will fund major projects, and will also continue to enable faculty to undertake a number of innovative classroom projects at all grade levels by awarding numerous small classroom grants. Five primary funds have been created to support five core areas of education.

THE PRIMARY FUNDS

The Scholastic Enhancement Fund The Technology and Learning Fund The Arts and Education Fund Cultural Enrichment Fund The Professional Development Fund



THE Scholastic Enhancement FUND

THE KEY TO SCHOLASTIC EXCELLENCE lies not with the rote memorization of facts, but with development of a true lifelong love of learning. To achieve this goal, the Foundation encourages programs that look beyond the four walls of the classroom. The Scholastic Enhancement Fund stimulates the examination of bold ideas, questions, and concepts outside the core curriculum.



THE Technology AND Learning FUND

TODAY, TECHNOLOGY IS THE ENGINE that drives our economy. Our world is increasingly dependent on technology for everything from communication to medicine. Students must have a strong understanding of technology and its applications to have an edge in their academic and professional careers. The Technology and Learning Fund supports programs that promote the use of cutting edge technologies and provide experiences that will prepare students for the global economy.



THE Arts AND Education FUND

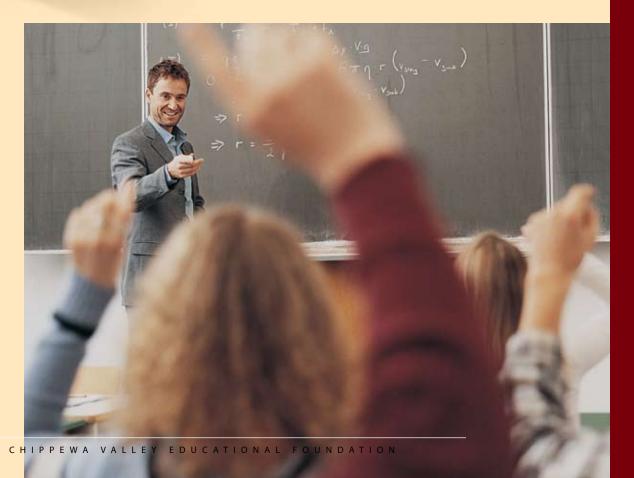
IF TECHNOLOGY IS THE ENGINE of a civilization then the arts are its spirit. The arts define our civilization and connect our cultures. Through the Arts and Education Fund, the Foundation seeks to provide experience in the fine and performing arts that will enhance the district's existing programs, promote greater student participation, and lay the ground work for a lifelong appreciation of the arts, for students, faculty, and the community-at-large.

THE Cultural Enrichment FUND

RESOURCES FROM THIS FUND will identify and finance programs that generate cross-cultural appreciation so that Chippewa Valley students, faculty, and community may be enriched by, and prepared for, life and work in an increasingly global community.

THE Professional Development FUND

Schools NEED TEACHERS who have the tools, incentives, and leadership skills to accomplish their goals. In support of the invaluable resource Chippewa Valley Schools has in its teaching staff, the Foundation encourages classroom innovation through ongoing professional enrichment. This fund will enable teachers and administrators to pursue professional training experiences that are not available through traditional resources.





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Through your support, the Chippewa Valley Educational Foundation will continue to be a vehicle for our students, our teachers and our community as we prepare our students for the 21st Century workplace.



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