

AFEE

Allendale Foundation for Educational Excellence, Inc.

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What is AFEE?

AFEE is a non-profit organization dedicated to funding grants that enrich the Pre-K through 8th grade educational experiences at Hillside and Brookside Schools. **AFEE relies solely on the generosity of the community to raise funds for its grants.** Grants in the past have included the complete renovation of the Brookside Learning Commons, the installation of a new STEM lab, the supply of every student at Brookside with a Chromebook, and the complete renovation of the Hillside Library. Grants this past year included The Imaginarium Playground (Big Block Play), The Art of Storytelling, a 4th/5th Musical Revue, and the complete renovation of all the science labs at Brookside School. Even during the lockdown, AFEE was able to fund a second One School, One Book program, during which all students read *EllRay Jakes is a Rock Star!*

COVID Update

During these uncertain and unprecedented times, we are continuously looking for new grant opportunities. Although many of the grants may need to be done virtually, we are pleased that the students are still receiving these enriching opportunities. For this upcoming school year, AFEE is offering two grant cycles and will continue to honor and approve Mini-grants, which help to provide new and innovative materials to individual classrooms. We thank you for your continued support and ongoing patience.

Your generous donations are always greatly appreciated and will continue to fund much needed educational grants. Please see below on how you can make a donation for the 2021-22 school year below. Thank you!

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AFEE welcomes all the students back to the 2021-22 school year and wishes them the best of luck and lots of fun!