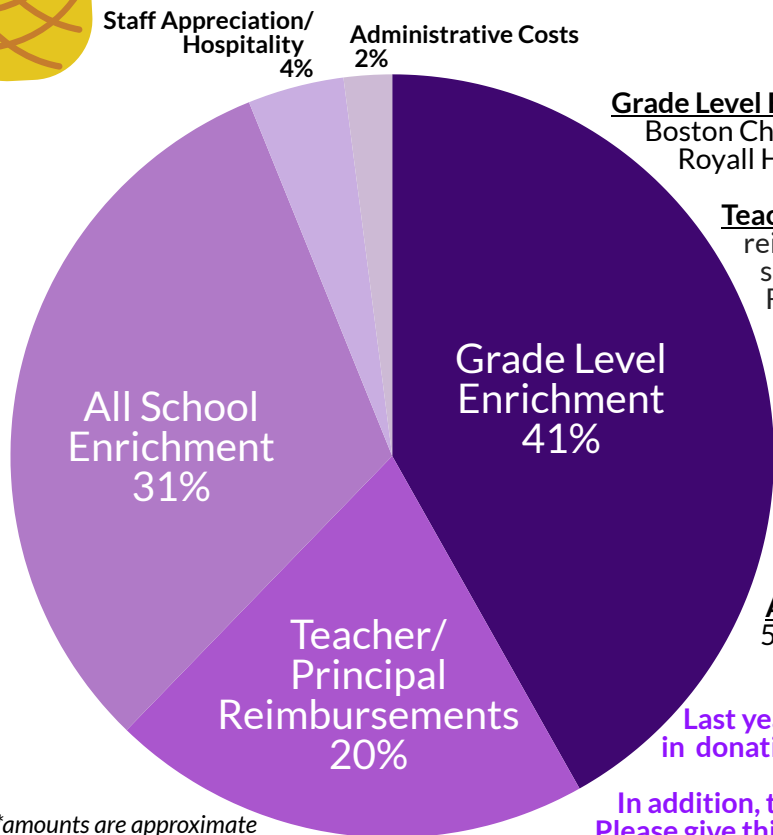


Thompson School Direct Donation Drive



The PTO's DIRECT DONATION DRIVE is a **one time** request for donations from Thompson families and friends. The PTO funds essential enrichment experiences for Thompson students and your support will help us to do that. We anticipate spending approximately **\$140 per student** in this coming year. **No contribution is too small.** Please help us reach our family participation goal of 300 donations!

THOMPSON PTO BUDGET *



Grade Level Enrichment: Field trips to Plimoth Plantation, Boston Children's and Discovery Museums, Wheelock Family Theater, Royall House, Lowell Mills, Planetarium, and more.

Teacher Reimbursements/Principal Fund: Annual reimbursements to classroom teachers (\$200/teacher) and specialists (\$85-\$145/specialist), Principal's Discretionary Fund (\$1600)

All School Enrichment: past programs have included Green Team, Bash the Trash residency, Second Step Anti-Bullying curriculum, Afro- Brazilian ensemble, author visits from Toni Buzzeo, Holly Goldberg Sloan, and Jason Chin.

Appreciation/Hospitality: Teacher Welcome Back Breakfast, holiday and year-end gifts for support staff and special teachers, Teacher Appreciation Day and more.

Administrative Costs: Supplies, raffle taxes, PTO Insurance, 501c3 Annual Report costs, website fees.

Last year the Family and Friends letters generated more than \$2,000 in donations! Please help your child fill out and send them.

In addition, the Employer Match funds generated more than \$1,200. Please give this letter to the human resources department at your work.

*amounts are approximate



Scan this QR to donate online now!
Ask your child if you don't know how!

OUR GOAL

DONATIONS FROM **300** FAMILIES
BY **October 31**

Any gift, no matter the size, will help. This is our largest fundraiser of the year. Receiving your donation now will help us plan ahead.

OUR DONATION

THOMPSON PTO DIRECT DONATION DRIVE

Parent/Guardian/Family Name _____ email _____

\$300 \$250 \$150 \$50 \$20 \$5 Other \$ _____

My employer also has a company match program

100%

of your donation goes to activities that enhance our children's school experience. The Thompson PTO is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization, so your contribution is tax deductible!