



# Frieda C. Fox

## FAMILY FOUNDATION

### 2011 Grants

To help meet increased need during the economic recovery, the foundation increased its financial and technical support of local educational nonprofit organizations in 2011. Although we are a small family foundation, with a correspondingly small asset base, we awarded in excess of \$440,000 in cash grants to support educational programs for children and youth and the organizations providing them. Cash grants supported direct education services, capacity building, organizational effectiveness, and challenge grants to leverage fundraising. In addition, we provided unprecedented levels of direct non-financial support services to our partners, with a focus on communications, including website and online media; press and public relations; multimedia and software; online workspace and conferencing services; leadership in a highly leveraged funder collaborative supporting educational reform; fund development planning; and disseminating and replicating best practices by generating collaborative and strategic partnerships in the community.

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#### [Across The Bridge Foundation \(Downtown College Prep\)](#)

1460 The Alameda, San Jose, CA 95126

[www.dcp.org](http://www.dcp.org)

\$15,000 in program support for the College Success Program, a comprehensive initiative that ensures first-generation, low-income students have the attitudes, skills, and resources to successfully earn a four-year university degree.

#### [American Heart Association - Western States Affiliate](#)

816 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90017

[www.heart.org](http://www.heart.org)

\$10,000 grant to support the Youth In Action program, collaborating on-site with two Los Angeles Green Dot "Animo" high schools. Youth In Action provides a three-month long, cross-curriculum program that covers the California legislative process and civics, persuasive argument skills, heart health and nutrition principles, and two off-site day trips where students meet and discuss what they have learned with officials and legislators at the state capitol in Sacramento.

### **Bay Area Urban Debate League**

285 17th Street, Oakland, CA 94612

[www.baudl.org](http://www.baudl.org)

\$2,000 in program support expands opportunities for high school students in the San Francisco Bay Area to participate in rigorous academic competition and to become articulate and informed leaders in their schools and communities. This grant was nominated through the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation Junior Board.

### **Breakthrough Silicon Valley**

1635 Park Avenue, San Jose, CA 95126

[www.breakthroughsv.org](http://www.breakthroughsv.org)

\$15,000 grant with 50% to support the College Bound program and 50% for general operating support.

\$5,000 challenge grant successfully completed. \$8,000 was raised from 8 individuals to meet the FCF challenge, with \$105,000 raised in total.

### **Child Advocates of Silicon Valley**

509 Valley Way, Milpitas, CA 95035

[www.cadvocates.org](http://www.cadvocates.org)

\$20,000 for general operating support and for the Middle School Education Court. Child Advocates of Silicon Valley serves abused and neglected children in the Santa Clara County foster care system by providing a dedicated trained volunteer to advocate for the child's best interest.

### **Citizen Schools, Inc.**

400 Duane Street, Room 125, Redwood City, CA 94062

[www.citizenschools.org](http://www.citizenschools.org)

\$20,000 in program support for Increasing Student Interest in S.T.E.M. at Campbell Middle School, directly supporting the advancement of current and future initiatives to strengthen S.T.E.M. programming for 100 middle school students and 10 deeply engaged S.T.E.M. volunteers.

\$5,000 challenge grant is active from February – April 2012. The "Citizens 4 Citizen Schools" campaign is a grassroots fundraiser, seeking to increase individual donors and brand awareness.

### **Dramatic Results**

3310 Lime Avenue, Signal Hill, CA 90755

[www.dramaticresults.org](http://www.dramaticresults.org)

\$10,000 in program support for Increasing Math, a 24-week origami, math, and engineering integrated program for 70 high-risk 6th grade students during the 2011-2012 academic year.

\$5,000 challenge grant for the 20th Anniversary of Service to the Community campaign. This challenge was successfully met with generous contributions from 74 donors.

### **Fresh Lifelines for Youth, Inc.**

568 Valley Way, Milpitas, CA 95035

[www.flyprogram.org](http://www.flyprogram.org)

\$10,000 in program support for the Leadership Training Program for Santa Clara County-based youth.

\$5,000 challenge grant was successfully completed, with 25 donors generously contributing a total of \$8,570.

**[Heal The Bay](#)**

1444 9th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401  
www.healthebay.org

\$20,000 in program support for the Youth Environmental Education Program, located at the Santa Monica Pier Aquarium, which provides hands-on learning opportunities and access to comprehensive environmental education for pre-K – 12th grade students in Los Angeles County.

**[Inner City Arts](#)**

720 Kohler Street, Los Angeles, CA 90021  
www.inner-cityarts.org

\$10,000 in program support for the Arts Institute Project, serving urban middle and high school students in Los Angeles.

**[Kidpower, Teenpower, Fullpower International](#)**

P.O. Box 1212, Santa Cruz CA 95061  
www.kidpower.org

\$2,000 in program support for Kidpower's programming in Santa Clara County. This grant was nominated through the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation's Junior Board.

**[Mothers' Club Community Center Inc.](#)**

980 North Fair Oaks Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91103  
www.mothersclub.org

\$5,000 issued as a challenge grant to assist in fundraising for the "50 Days for 50 Years" campaign, which was launched to attract new donors to the Mothers' Club community. The challenge was successfully completed, and funds will be used to support Early Childhood Education Programs for low-income, at-risk children ages 0-5 in Pasadena.

**[New Visions Foundation](#)**

3131 Olympic Boulevard, Santa Monica, CA 90404  
www.newvisionsfdn.org

\$20,000 in program support for the Center for Educational Opportunity program for Los Angeles County foster youth.

\$10,000 in program support for the Lennox Children's Choir, an after-school program provided in cooperation with the Lennox School District, serving students from grades 3 - 8.

**[No Limits Theater Group, Inc.](#)**

9801 Washington Boulevard, 2nd Floor, Culver City, CA 90232  
www.kidswithnolimits.org

\$2,000 grant nominated through the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation's Junior Board to support rental kit expansion, due to increased demand, which will enable No Limits to produce up to three original theater productions in Los Angeles and around the country. No Limits enables oral deaf and hard-of-hearing children and youth to act in stage productions for general and school audiences.

**[Pataphysical Broadcasting Foundation \(National Public Radio affiliate KUSP\)](#)**

203 8th Ave., Santa Cruz, CA 95061

[www.kusp.org](http://www.kusp.org)

\$9,000 grant to support "Solutions in Education," an investigative reporting series that covers state and local education issues by identifying and describing local nonprofit programs and schools that are effectively solving education problems.

**[Peace First Inc.](#)**

865 S. Figueroa Street #900, Los Angeles, CA 90017

[www.peacefirst.org](http://www.peacefirst.org)

\$25,000 in program support for work in partnership with elementary and middle schools in Los Angeles County to build safe, effective school climates where children learn how to be engaged and active citizens.

**[PUENTE Learning Center](#)**

501 South Boyle Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90033

[www.puente.org](http://www.puente.org)

\$10,000 in program support for PUENTE's continuum of tuition-free educational programs, serving at-risk children and youth ages 3.9 to 21 years old. These programs are designed to create strong academic foundations, impress upon students the importance of finishing high school, and make clear the fundamental connection between academic preparation and career opportunities, giving students the tools to become self-reliant, and, over time, to support their families and contribute to the economic and cultural growth of their communities.

**[Reading Partners](#)**

106 Linden Street #202, Oakland, CA 94607

[www.readingpartners.org](http://www.readingpartners.org)

\$5,000 challenge grant to assist in fundraising for Reading Partners Santa Clara. This challenge was successfully completed by generous donations from 25 donors, raising over \$28,000.

**[School On Wheels, Inc.](#)**

83 S Palm, Ventura, CA 93001

[www.schoolonwheels.org](http://www.schoolonwheels.org)

\$2,000 in program support. This grant was nominated through the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation's Junior Board.

**[South Central Scholars Foundation](#)**

29000 S. Western Ave., Suite 401, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

[www.southcentralscholars.org](http://www.southcentralscholars.org)

\$15,000 for a single year, unrestricted fund for general operating support, which is intended to strengthen the organization providing the College Success Program.

**[The Country School](#)**

5243 Laurel Canyon Blvd, Valley Village, CA 91607

[www.country-school.org](http://www.country-school.org)

\$100,000 challenge grant to support financial aid scholarships for students of low income households, which promotes diversity and equity at this independent school. The Country School offers low student-to-teacher ratios and highest quality, individually-tailored instruction to promote academic and social success. The Foundation will provide a 1:1 dollar match for eligible contributions received by grantee up to a total award of \$100,000 maximum.

### **The Jester and Pharley Phund**

P.O. Box 817, Palos Verdes Estates, CA 90274

[www.thejester.org](http://www.thejester.org)

\$15,000 in program support for the Reading Makes A Difference program, serving Title 1 elementary schools. This literacy program engages students in reading, and is built around the book, "The Jester Has Lost His Jingle." Students learn and 'earn' books and dolls to donate to pediatric patients at local children's hospitals.

### **The Trevor Project**

8704 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 200, West Hollywood, CA 90069

[www.thetrevorproject.org](http://www.thetrevorproject.org)

\$4,000 in program support for Los Angeles schools programming. This grant was nominated through the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation Junior Board.

### **Third Street Community Center**

160 North Third Street, San Jose, CA 95112

[www.3street.org](http://www.3street.org)

\$5,000 challenge grant to assist in fundraising for the "Inspiring Young Minds" campaign. This challenge was successfully completed with \$14,805 raised by generous donations from 103 individual donors.

### **Triton Museum of Art**

1505 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050

[www.tritonmuseum.org](http://www.tritonmuseum.org)

\$3,500 challenge grant was completed to leverage fundraising for the Art Reach Program at Scott Lane Elementary School.

### **Youth Mentoring Connection**

1818 S Western Avenue, Suite 505, Los Angeles, CA 90006

[www.youthmentoring.org](http://www.youthmentoring.org)

\$20,000 in program support for the Urban Oasis Film Academy, serving inner-city high-risk youth (13-18 years old) living in Los Angeles. The Film Academy provides opportunities for students to learn about filmmaking and technology related to filmmaking, opening access to career opportunities in the film and entertainment industries.

\$3,000 challenge grant was completed with \$6,050 raised from 13 individual donors.