



**ISSAQUAH
SCHOOLS
FOUNDATION**

Issaquah School Foundation Grants & Programs

These grants & programs create opportunities for every student by addressing basic needs, filling gaps not funded by the state, and championing innovation.

Challenger Elementary

Year Awarded	Grants awarded to Challenger since 2005
2022-23	Accelerating Intermediate Readers
2022-23	All Booked! Guided Reading Books for Young Readers
2019-20	Audio books & world language books giving access and equity to all cultures and academic performance levels as well as learning styles.
2018-19	The PIP Project (Positive Inclusive Playground)
2016-17	Accelerating Developing Readers Program
2016-17	Additive Language Books for School Library
2007-08	Microscope Integration into ISD Elementary Science Curriculum
2006-07	"Centering" on Math: Skill Practice through Cooperative Games
2006-07	Heartrate Monitors for Fitness
2005-06	Anti-Bullying and Drug Prevention Assembly
2005-06	Cracking the Code: Using Puzzles for Mastery
2005-06	Our Schools Bringing Boys and Books Together

Foundation Funding Provided to All Schools	
<p>Academic Support & Enrichment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After school homework help and academic support at elementary, middle & high schools • Books for the school libraries • Career & Technical Education (CTE) certification support for teachers • Elementary Art Supplies & Support in partnership with Issaquah PTSA Council • Elementary Special Program Funding: Dual Language, Highly Capable, Science Tech, Transitional Kindergarten • Fine Arts program support – Secondary • Great Careers Conference – High School • High School Club Funding – to support student exploration of future career paths • Impact Scholarships – High School • Learning Ally and other literacy tool support • Middle School Robotics Club Funding • Special Education certification & professional development funding • Teacher Grants – Available to all district staff to fund exploration of new ideas in the classroom 	<p>Basic Needs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food support for hungry students • Nurses Fund – Assisting students with necessities • Testing Scholarships – For students needing financial assistance with Advanced Placement, PSAT, and other test fees • Tools4School – Backpacks filled with school supplies for students in need
	<p>Community Outreach</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural Bridges multi-language magazine & events - Supporting relationships between families and the School District • Translations Services at School District Events
	<p>Social Emotional & Mental Health Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character Strong and WEB (We All Belong) curriculum – Middle Schools • Equity Funding for staff training in culturally responsive education & communication • High School assemblies • ParentWiser – Support to PTSA Council for parent education speaker series • Student Intervention Services – Support for counselors and social/emotional learning • Youth Mental Health First Aid workshops open to all District staff