



Hello Big Picture Families,

September 7, 2018

We are kicking off this year's **PTSA Annual Fundraising Drive!** Each September, the Bellevue Big Picture School PTSA relies on holding an Annual Fundraising Drive to help pay for the many excellent educational enrichment opportunities we offer to the student body throughout the year. Our goal for the Fundraising Drive is to raise \$35,000.

**Goal:
\$35k**

**\$150
Per Student**

If each family donates \$150 per student, this will ensure we have the necessary funding for all of our programs this year. However, we appreciate any amount donated. Please contribute what you can and if you are able to donate a higher amount to offset those families who financially can't, this helps us all out!

Our actual amount of expenses budgeted for the 2018-2019 school year is \$41,000. We rely on corporate matches to cover the remainder of the budget. Last year we received over \$10k in matches! Please take advantage of this excellent company benefit and double your impact! Check with your employer to see if they have a matching program, or visit:

<https://www.matchinggifts.com/unh/>

**Corporate
Matching**

- **Donate anytime through the PTSA Website.** Go to the homepage and on the left side is a link for "Fundraising". Click on that and then click on "Make a Donation". If you have not signed up yet for the website, choose the option, "Make a Guest Donation".

BellevueBPSPTSA.org

- **Bring a check to the Main Office** anytime and leave it with the Registrar, Rebecca Thornton. Please make checks payable to "Bellevue Big Picture PTSA" and mark in the memo line that it is a "donation".

**How to
Donate**

- **We will also be taking donations directly at Curriculum Night.** The Middle School Curriculum Night is on September 20th and the High School Curriculum Night is on September 25th. PTSA members will be passing around envelopes to collect donations. We will accept cash, checks and we will also have school laptops set up so that parents can log on to the PTSA website to donate online with credit cards.

Thank you for your support! Together we can make a difference!

