



Moraga Education Foundation Endowment: Inspiring the Future

It is up to us to honor the legacy that we were left, and to leave a legacy that is worthy of our children and of future generations. In 1991, the MEF Endowment Fund was established to provide a long-term, stable source of funding for Moraga's public schools. Gifts to the Endowment Fund become money for the future- growing over time and allowing MEF and the schools MEF supports stability, flexibility and an ongoing source of income.

Over the last few years, MEF has made growing the Endowment Fund a strategic priority to ensure a financial bedrock for the Foundation and Moraga's students. It's been 25 years and the Endowment Fund is over \$990,000 and we are within striking distance of reaching the initial goal of \$1 million. Once this goal is met, the Foundation has its first opportunity to infuse our annual campaign with additional funds to help insulate our schools from constant volatilities in state funding. These funds, generated by investment income from the Endowment Fund, may then be directed to the schools each year through MEF grants.

35 years ago, MEF's Founding Board members established a legacy of excellent educational opportunities for all students in Moraga's public schools and that legacy has impacted generations of students. Through the Endowment Fund, we have an opportunity to inspire not only our own children's education, but guarantee this legacy will flourish in perpetuity.