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Mission Statement

FLITE works in partnership with the Tredyffrin/Easttown School District to help all district students reach their potential. FLITE recognizes that some children do not have the financial, emotional, and environmental support to succeed in school. FLITE aims to invest in helping these students, and thereby invest in the good of our entire community.

Help FLITE Help Kids!

FLITE's goal of supporting excellence in our schools benefits everyone by giving us more successful students, which leads to stronger property values and a healthier community. However, that can't happen without you! Please help FLITE make a difference right here in T/E by making a tax-deductible donation today.

In addition to contributing directly to FLITE, other options for donations can be found at our website www.flite-pa.org/giving. Options include:

- *United Way* (#19698)
- *eScrip* (*Genuardi's*) program (#500004069)
- *T/E Staff Tributes, Memorial Tributes, Alumni Tributes*

Checks should be made payable to FLITE and sent to:

FLITE
PO Box 806
Southeastern, PA 19399-0806

FLITE is an IRS recognized non-profit organization under section 501(c)(3) of the tax code. All donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. The official registration and financial information of the Foundation for Learning in Tredyffrin/Easttown may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll-free, within Pennsylvania, 1-800-732-0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.



Creating Opportunities
Enhancing Achievement



Non-profit educational
foundation based in our community

Funds programs in district

◆
Helps local kids

◆
Seeks your donations

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In cooperation with but independent of the T/E School District, FLITE programs help all T/E students reach their full potential. FLITE's programs are especially designed to reach children who face obstacles to their learning due to difficult financial, home or family situations. Thanks to the generosity of our donors, funds were available for many programs during the 2007-2008 school year. These programs, along with any new initiatives, will take place in 2008-2009. Check our website, www.flite-pa.org, for even more new programs as the year continues.

Programs Currently Supported By FLITE

Preschool Initiative

FLITE partners with the Upper Main Line YMCA and other local preschools to help provide preschool opportunities to children in the area who might not otherwise have the chance to attend preschool.

Middle School Tutoring Clubs

The mission of these after-school clubs at both middle schools is to provide students with a quiet and supportive environment to complete homework, work on projects and study for tests. FLITE supports them by covering costs related to transportation and some staffing.

Elementary After School Clubs

All five district elementary schools have after-school programs staffed by district teachers and aides. The mission is to identify and invite students in grades two through four to participate in a program designed to provide academic assistance, homework help, recreation, social interaction, and mentorship for every-day living. FLITE supports them by covering costs related to transportation and some staffing.

CHS Calculator Program *(new in September 2008)*

FLITE is purchasing a number of TI-84 graphing calculators for use by selected students in their math courses throughout their years at CHS.



"This program has been very beneficial for my child and the whole family. As my child gained confidence through regular homework completion, the stress level for all family members decreased exponentially. Please continue to offer this program!"

~ a district parent

"The program made me more confident, strong-minded, and better in class."
~ a student



Music In Our Schools

Participation in the band and/or orchestra is a big part of the school experience for many district children. FLITE will provide the funds to cover rental costs for selected students who are unable to access the instruments on their own.

Summer Reading Support Program

This program involves a partnership with Delaware Valley Friends School, FLITE and the T/E School District. The program, held at DVFS, provides scholarships for T/E District middle and high school students who need additional help with reading skills.

College Prep Workshop

Supplemental to the current activities offered by the CHS Guidance Department, FLITE sponsors workshops which help selected students with additional information, guidance and hand-on advice regarding the college application and financial aid processes.

Paoli Library Summer Safari Program

A summer reading enrichment program at the Paoli Library provided hands-on learning incentives to keep children reading throughout the summer. FLITE provided funds for a field trip to the Academy of Natural Sciences in Philadelphia.

Summer Reading Books

FLITE is funding the purchase of books for the summer reading requirements for select middle and high school students.

"During the year I was stopped in the hallway by many teachers who commented on the increased participation and motivation they were seeing in their FLITE students. Now that their homework was completed, and they knew it was correct, they had the confidence to raise their hands in class."

~ a teacher