

Frequently Asked Questions

Why should I give when I already pay tuition?

At ISDenver tuition covers the basic operating budget while our Community Giving, program supports the **'ISDenver Experience'.** Each year, roughly 30-40% of our community has helped to fund improvements to the school that 100% of us enjoy.

I already plan to give to other organizations. Why should I prioritize ISDenver?

We hope that you will make ISDenver the top of your philanthropic priority list. Our small community is our source of philanthropic support, providing the ISDenver Experience we have all enjoyed year in and year out.

What has Community Giving funded at the school?

- Playground equipment
- STEAM enhancements
- The Dragon's Den
- Yearly financial assistance
- Faculty professional development
- Outdoor drinking fountains

- A/V equipment
- Resurfacing our gym floor
- Bike racks
- Campus safety, security, and signage
- Academic technology

See more funded projects at isdenver.org/support/impact

THE ISDENVER EXPERIENCE

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You Should Know:

We've spent over \$270K so far this year just in hard costs for preparing our campus and working through safety items related to COVID-19. We expect this to at least *double* over the course of the school year.

We love it when you give monthly! Many of our donors simply set up a monthly gift through any of our giving forms at ISDenver.org/support. This helps the school to budget ahead, particularly when meeting unforeseen challenges like COVID-19. A popular choice in 2020: committing to \$20 every month!

Every gift matters. This year, we hope to reach the giving rate of our Faculty and Staff by having at least 50% of our families make a gift to Community Giving this year. Most years **our parent community participates at a 30-40% rate while our faculty often hit 80%**. Fifty percent is 240 families - can we count on you to give this year?

Check out the other side to see our three fund options and what they support, then head to **isdenver.org/support** to choose a fund.