

2025-2026

MACLAY FUND IMPACT REPORT

As we reflect on the 2025-2026 school year at Maclay, we are filled with gratitude for the unwavering support of our generous community. Your continued commitment to the Maclay Fund played a vital role in advancing the school's mission and enriching the student and faculty experience. Because of you, we continued to make a meaningful impact across every corner of our 100-acre campus.



THE 2025-2026 MACLAY FUND SUPPORTED MANY INITIATIVES, AND WE ARE TRULY GRATEFUL FOR YOUR PARTNERSHIP.

The Continued Expansion of Visual and Performing Arts

The Maclay Fund supported the continued expansion of visual and performing arts at Maclay School, creating innovative opportunities for students to explore, create, and experience the arts. Highlights included curated exhibitions in the Beck Family Innovation Center Gallery, an Artist in Residence Program, enhanced theatre lighting on the Cartee Stage, and experiential learning opportunities for performing arts students, including masterclasses and opportunities to experience professional productions.

"The new stage lighting has elevated every performance. Your generosity didn't simply fund new lighting, it illuminated new possibilities for every student who steps onto our stage."

-Cindy Thomas, Fine Arts Department Chair '84

Robotics Equipment for Middle and Upper School Students

New robotics equipment enriched classroom learning and competitive opportunities for students in all three divisions. This investment and expanded faculty presence encouraged collaboration, problem solving, and innovation as students explored advanced STEM concepts and represented Maclay at competitions across the state.

Expanded Professional Development Opportunities for Faculty

The Maclay Fund provided increased professional development opportunities for faculty, supporting teachers as they continue to grow professionally and bring new ideas, strategies, and best practices into their classrooms. As part of Maclay's work to align mathematics instruction across all three divisions, we also welcomed a new math consultant who supported teachers and helped guide the implementation of new curriculum and instructional practices.

Continued Expansion of Strength and Conditioning

The Maclay Fund supported the continued expansion of Maclay's Strength and Conditioning program, which serves students in grades 6 through 12. This program provides students with opportunities to develop strength, athletic performance, confidence, and healthy lifelong habits while supporting student athletes across a wide range of sports.

Upper School Experiential Learning Trips

Upper School students participated in experiential learning trips to historic World War II sites in Europe and New Orleans. These experiences provided meaningful opportunities to explore history and culture firsthand while deepening students' understanding of the past and its ongoing relevance to the modern world.

"I truly cannot express how grateful I am to have been given the opportunity to go on this trip. It has truly impacted my life. The knowledge and experiences I have gained on this trip will stay with me for the rest of my life."

-Reid Roberts '26

Investing in Our Faculty Through the Faculty Salary Growth & Supplementation Endowment

The Maclay Fund continued to support the Faculty Salary Growth & Supplementation Endowment, which seeks to transform the way the school's faculty is compensated. This investment supports Maclay's ability to recruit and retain the best possible teaching faculty and ensures that our students continue to learn from exceptional educators.

Thank you

for investing in Maclay and in the people, programs, and experiences that make our school extraordinary. Your generosity impacts every aspect of our community.

