



PTSA PROGRAMS FAQs

Is my donation tax deductible?

Einstein PTSA is a 501 (c) (3), so your membership fees and donations are tax deductible! The PTSA uses the funds to help fund the many programs and activities that the PTSA provides for our school. Examples of these programs and the relevant school year are listed below.

What programs does the PTSA provide?

Some of the Programs Your Funds Supported		2019-2020 Annual Expense: \$100,000+
Science Expo_____ Canceled	Educational Experiences ² _____ \$4,800	Emergency Prep_____ \$600
Teacher Grants_____ \$3,600	Art Docent_____ \$2,500	Staff Appreciation_____ \$1,300
Walkie Talkies_____ \$2,600	Choir Program_____ \$4,800	Student Clubs_____ \$1,700
Family Events_____ \$1,200	Nature Vision_____ Canceled	Success Fund_____ \$850
Online Curriculum ¹ _____ \$3,200	Physical Education_____ \$1,500	Student Council_____ \$2,500
Advocacy_____ \$800	Lunch Buddies_____ \$300	Assemblies_____ \$1,800

Some of the Programs Your Funds Supported		2020-2021 Annual Expense: \$31,000+
Science Expo_____ Canceled	Educational Experiences ² _____ \$1,344	Emergency Prep_____ \$794
Teacher Grants_____ \$4,011	Art Docent_____ \$178	Staff Appreciation_____ \$2,510
Power Washing Equip._____ \$1,891	Choir Program_____ Canceled	Student Clubs_____ \$1,700
Family Events_____ \$241	Nature Vision_____ Canceled	Success Fund_____ \$850
Online Curriculum ¹ _____ \$1,895	Library Programs_____ \$1,503	Student Council_____ \$2,094
Advocacy_____ \$439	Lunch Buddies_____ Canceled	Library Furniture_____ \$1,529

¹Online Curriculum: Programs that teachers choose to buy for students like First in Math and Raz-Kids

²Educational Experiences: Funds given to Einstein to use towards field trips and other enrichment

How can I donate?

To make a donation, fill out the First Day Checklist and return it in an envelope with your donation or go online to <http://einsteinptsa.org>. Thank you for your support!

Don't forget your employer match! As much as 1/3 of our fundraising dollars often come from corporate matching sponsorships.

Do I have to volunteer if I join the PTSA?

Absolutely not! Every person has a different capacity to give and be involved. The PTSA appreciates everyone's contribution, whether it's time or a financial contribution. Some volunteer roles do not require a significant time commitment, so those might be worth exploring.

How will my child's life be different if I join the PTSA?

Research has proven that parental involvement within your child's school increases academic achievement and decreases behavioral issues. Membership puts you in direct communication with other parents and teachers, and it shows your child that you are invested in their educational experience.

How do I share my ideas with the PTSA?

New ideas are always welcome! To share, attend a membership meeting or email the board at volunteers@einsteinptsa.org.