

Donations for Buildings and Grounds Projects

The Board of Education encourages parents, alumni, and other donors who offer financial contributions to make improvements to Cincinnati Public School buildings and grounds. The Board of Education may choose to consider other factors as the circumstances and merit of each potential gift may be unique.

The potential gift or donation shall contribute to an improvement that will:

- Support the mission and vision of Cincinnati Public Schools and increase the involvement of the community in supporting Cincinnati Public Schools to achieve its strategic objectives.
- Support academic achievement and/or enhance the operational or aesthetic environment of the school.

Donations to support the Cincinnati Public Schools are encouraged, but supporting funds may not always be available. Therefore, schools should attempt to limit the scope of the project based on the donations received.

The Administration must select any professional design consultants and award contracts for all improvements to property and facilities operated by Cincinnati Public Schools in accordance with the requirements of the Ohio Revised Code. Donated funds shall be deposited in the appropriate Cincinnati Public School account with the Treasurer prior to the solicitation of bids for the project. The Administration will support approved requests from the district's maintenance budget if funds are available. The Administration may make exceptions when warranted. All improvements to Cincinnati Public School facilities become the property of the district once the installation is satisfactorily completed.

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