

**FUND THE NEED**  
EVERY STUDENT, EVERY SCHOOL



| Enhancing Virtual Learning  | Promoting Classroom Innovation and Learning   | Supporting Student Social and Emotional Well Being   | Building for a Secure Future  |
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| <p>District needs for resources supporting online instruction drastically changed in March 2020. CEF grants will support the SDOC as it expands upon its existing web-based platforms to ensure continuity of instruction and allow for enhanced virtual delivery of class resources, activities, and assignments.</p>                                      | <p>CEF looks forward to helping our students and teachers return to the classroom for the 2020-2021 school year and beyond. We are positioned to help fund grants that provide innovative, safe outdoor learning spaces, as well as necessary resources to help our teachers enhance the learning experience in the classroom.</p>  | <p>CEF stands behind the belief that concrete steps can be taken within our schools to help alleviate student stress and anxiety. The current environment has given rise to the need for additional resources within the District to meet the social and emotional needs of its students. CEF is poised to help support the needs of our students, teachers and administrators in this challenging time.</p> | <p>Given New Jersey's current financial situation, the Board of Education has stated that state aid will likely be reduced, and it is already forgoing planned technology upgrades, but that only covers some of the expected shortfall..</p> |
| <p><b>Example Grant Funded August 2020: Using Technology for Engagement \$12,300</b></p> <p>Three web platforms will be purchased to improve student engagement, in both virtual and in person learning. Teachers can create more engaging content for their students, and the platforms will also be used to improve teachers' online teaching skills.</p> | <p><b>Example Grant Funded August 2020: Taking Learning Outdoors: Outdoor Classroom at Milton Avenue School \$16,000</b></p> <p>CEF partnered with the Milton Avenue School PTO in July to fund \$16,000 towards a new outdoor classroom at MAS. MAS was the only elementary school without an outdoor classroom, and with CEF's help, now students at MAS can benefit from the positive impacts gained from outdoor learning – in addition to having an outdoor space for classes during the pandemic.</p> | <p><b>Example Grant Funded August 2020: Clear Communication with Clear Masks \$3,300</b></p> <p>This grant purchases 200 reusable, washable clear masks for teachers and support staff so that students can see their teachers' faces in various subject areas. This grant supports communication, effective teaching and social and emotional well-being among staff and students.</p>                      |   |