Dear Friend,

What if your child had completed a rigorous Advanced Placement course but could not afford the final test that could earn them early college credits and save them thousands in college tuition?

What if your child was poised to become the first in the family to go to college, but you were unable to take them to visit to a college campus?

What if you couldn’t afford even the most basic needs?

These are real stories every day in High School District 214. You are the bridge between the need and the dream.

In a single year, you empowered an estimated $250,000 in early college credits through the funding of Advanced Placement tests for students in need. You sent more than 150 first-generation students and parents to college campuses. You fueled $23,000 in new curriculum opportunities, and launched scholarships and success funds in the arts, nanotechnology, law and STEM education.

Your support impacts our students in life-changing, tangible, meaningful ways.

$65 can fund a healthcare credential for a student, giving them a head start on college

$100 can fund an Advanced Placement exam, empowering $1,500 or more in college credit

$350 can fund a first-generation family on a college tour

$500 can enroll six low-income students in summer enrichment programs

$1,500 can fund one year of a scholarship for a student in our first-generation program

$3,000 can support a daylong college visit or a semester of early college for our students

Your gift matters, in a time when one in four students live in poverty and so many more are just beyond that threshold. Your gift matters, in a time when every student deserves to recognize their full potential, but not every student has access to the resources that will allow them to get there.

As donors, you help us build a legacy of success, bigger dreams, and brighter tomorrows. You fund the future.

Thank you!

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