



GIVING TUESDAY



Join the Weaver-Goetz Family in Creating Change

Now until midnight on [Giving Tuesday, December 3rd](#), you have the opportunity to make [twice the impact](#) in the lives of Redwood City students. Thanks to a **matching gift from generous donors**, every dollar you give will be [doubled](#)—ensuring we can reach even more students who need support.

Every donation tells a story—of hope, opportunity, and change. One family that embodies this spirit of generosity is the Goetz-Weaver family.

Katie Goetz lives in Redwood City with and her husband, Daniel Weaver, and their two children, Tiernan and Evelyn.

Katie, a Northern California native and pastor at Woodside Road United Methodist Church, and her husband, Daniel, both long-time Redwood City residents, have brought a thoughtful, intentional approach to their philanthropic efforts. As a family, they've carefully selected three primary areas of giving where they believe their contributions can make the most meaningful impact. A significant portion of their support is focused on uplifting the Bay Area Peninsula, their home, by investing in programs that address community needs, and foster a future rooted in justice and prosperity for all.

THE POWER OF YOUR 2X MATCHED GIFT

\$210

Provide $\times 2$ students in need with 10 weeks of one-on-one therapy

\$555

Fund a semester of tutoring for $\times 2$ 54 students, boosting their academic performance

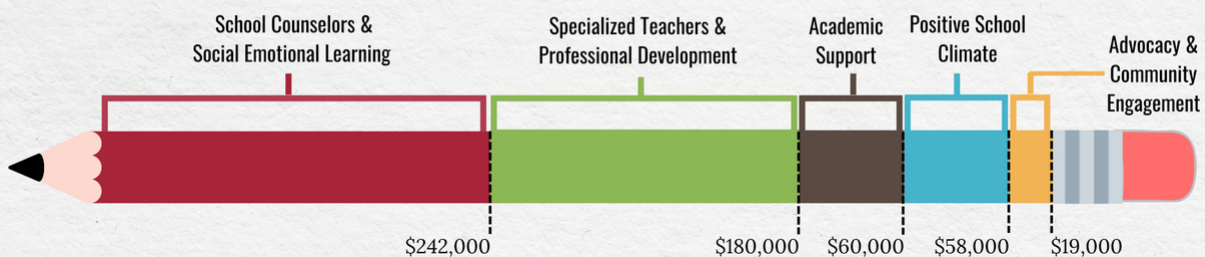
\$1,130

Give two months of STEAM lessons for $\times 2$ entire grades, sparking curiosity & innovation

SEND 2X THE SUPPORT NOW

Although the [Redwood City Education Foundation \(RCEF\)](#) wasn't initially part of their philanthropic portfolio, that changed when Katie attended one of RCEF's events and learned more about the foundation's work, particularly during the challenges of COVID-19. Hearing how RCEF had shifted its strategy to prioritize educational equity deeply resonated with the Weaver-Goetz family. With their children, Tiernan and Evelyn, going through their own educational journeys in Redwood City schools, **Katie and Daniel wanted to ensure that the learning experiences and opportunities available to their children were extended to all students in the district.**

YOUR DOLLARS AT WORK



Since their first involvement, the Weaver-Goetz family has remained steadfast supporters of RCEF. They are drawn to the foundation's targeted, impactful funding strategy, which strengthens education and the broader community social fabric. Their ongoing commitment reflects their belief in building a stronger, more equitable future for Redwood City's youth.

RCEF is working every day to ensure every student has access to quality education, regardless of their background. [Your gift today will directly support programs that make this possible.](#)

Thank you for being a part of our community and for believing in a future where everyone has the opportunity to thrive.

With gratitude,

Florence Ortiz
Interim Director, Redwood City Education Foundation

P.S. If your gift and this email have crossed paths, thank you so much for your generosity and support of RCEF!

MATCH MY GIFT

*** You may receive increased communications as we hope to share the message about their programs. Giving Tuesday and our Winter Appeal will conclude after December, and the typical*

*number of messages will resume. Thank you for your understanding and continued support! ***



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Redwood City Education Foundation increases academic performance for underserved K-8 students in Redwood City by closing the gap between district resources and educational needs. We provide financial support, advocacy, and community engagement to address systemic inequities and ensure all students can thrive.