



STEFFENENGAGE (PARENT-TEACHER ORGANIZATION)

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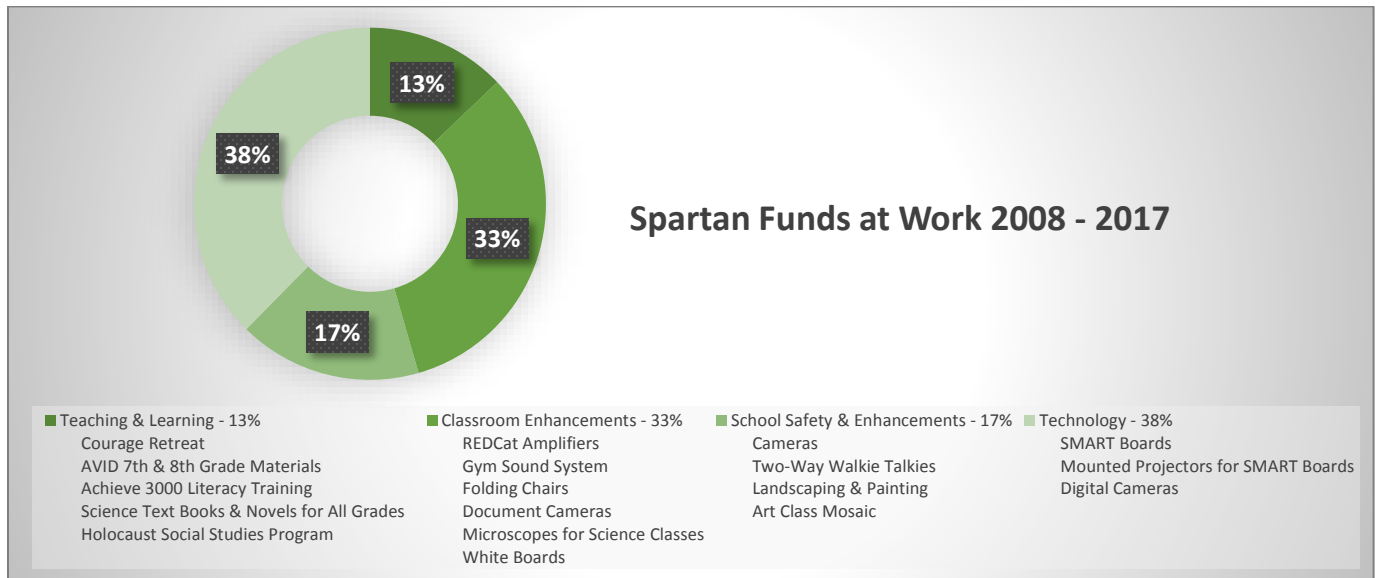
Dear Steffen Family,

The Steffen PTO, SteffenENGAGE, is a vibrant, active and involved organization dedicated to supporting the mission and goals of teaching and learning at Steffen Middle School.

We ask for your help in supporting the success of our children by making a contribution to the Spartan Fund.

The Spartan Fund was established in the 2008-2009 school year and is our only “UnFundraiser” at Steffen Middle School. Because the Spartan Fund has become the only large fundraiser at Steffen and is in lieu of traditional school fundraisers, it is critical to our mission.

You can be assured 100% of your tax-deductible donation supports the needs at Steffen Middle School. Donations are distributed through mini-grants and prioritized needs identified by Ms. Anderson and the Steffen leadership team. Last year, 80 Steffen Families participated in the Spartan Fund, contributing nearly \$10,000 to fund safety and technological enhancements and resources to enhance our students’ learning environment.



We ask you to thoughtfully consider your contribution; gifts of all sizes help. To make your gift, please use the enclosed form and return to the Steffen school office by **Monday, October 23, 2017**. All participating families will be recognized on a banner that will be proudly displayed in the gym later this school year.

Please contact Liz Klug [lizklug@gmail.com] or Ms. Anderson with questions about the Spartan Fund. Thank you in advance for your support!

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