United Way is on a mission to end intergenerational poverty through a 2-generation approach focused on building youth success and stability for individuals and families.

With your support of the Impact Fund, and the combined giving power of more than 100K donors at your workplace, in your neighborhood and across our region, we are creating a brighter future for this generation and the next.

**YOUR DOLLARS MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

**1 PERSON GIVING $150**

- ALLOWS 1 TEACHER AT A SCHOOL PARTICIPATING IN OUR EARLY GRADE LITERACY PROGRAM to receive a year of professional development focused on grade-level reading and the use of a new classroom library.

**WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?**

Reading on grade level by fourth grade is a key indicator of high school graduation. In fact, children not reading proficiently by the end of third grade are 4x more likely not to graduate high school.

**10 PEOPLE GIVING $150 = $1,500**

- ALLOWS THE SIEMER FAMILY STABILITY INITIATIVE TO HELP 1 FAMILY AT-RISK OF HOMELESSNESS move from crisis to stability through a combination of financial assistance, case management, budget coaching, job training and more.

**WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?**

Children without stable homes are 2x more likely to repeat a school grade, be expelled or suspended, or drop out of high school.

**50 PEOPLE GIVING $150 = $7,500**

- ALLOWS 280 SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS TO BE TRAINED IN TRAUMA-INFORMED CARE PRACTICES.

**WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?**

1 Trauma-Informed professional reaches 55 children and 30 adults. With 280 trained professionals, 23,800 individuals will be served with a trauma-informed approach, allowing clients to start on a path toward healing and a brighter future.

**10 PEOPLE GIVING $1,000* = $10,000**

- ALLOWS 10 GIRLS TO ENROLL IN OUR GIRLS TODAY, LEADERS TOMORROW (GTLT) PROGRAM.

**WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?**

Since 2007, 400 girls from underserved communities have completed the GTLT program. 75% graduated high school and immediately enrolled in college or a post-secondary program.

**100 PEOPLE GIVING $150 = $15,000**

- ALLOWS 14 INDIVIDUALS RE-ENTERING SOCIETY AFTER INCARCERATION TO BECOME EMPOWERED with a paid 6-week job-training course and guaranteed employment at its completion.

**WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?**

Nearly 50% of released offenders are re-arrested within the first year of release. More than 50% of children with parents who are incarcerated experience academic and behavioral issues in school. With United Way’s Workforce Development supports, 96% of graduates remained free of re-incarceration, stabilizing life for themselves and their families.

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