



JOURDANTON

Education Foundation



2021-2022 ANNUAL REVIEW

The Jourdanton Education Foundation is pleased to offer our 2021-2022 fiscal summary and share our goals for the future.

- Jourdanton Education Foundation (JEF) is a 501(c)3 organization founded in 2019.
- Board Members: 21 comprised of community members, parents, business owners.
- All board members are annual financial contributors.

Board members are selected or renewed annually in August.

Revenue

Total Income: \$76,622.07

Funds to Jourdanton ISD

Innovative Teaching: \$32,929.29 Summer Reading: \$28,046.53 First Year Teacher Gift: \$400

Expenses

Total: \$11,028.36 (Marketing, Postage, Printing, Database, Insurance)















GRANTS 2022

Hit the High Notes: A program to bring new musical instruments to elementary students and expand music instruction.

Enhancing the Technology in Physics:
Bringing new equipment to bring the application

of physics to life in the classroom.

Science Innovation in FCCLA:

A: Expansion of culinary tools including pasta makers to allow students to focus on cooking skills and nutrition.

B: Addition of 3 interactive baby models to the Child Development curriculum.

Microscope Accessibility: Two compound microscopes with digital connections to visual equipment allows all students to view microscopic objects as a group or on a large screen to accommodate visual challenges. Data can also be recorded and saved for future use.

Indian Innovation Station: Phased application of STEAM centers in the elementary library – Interactive Lego Wall, STEAM Challenge Books, & hand held microscopes.

Ag Science Lab Expansion: Butcher Beef Cut Model utilized in animal science, food technology, and food processing courses.



THEIR FUTURE IS OUR FUTURE

Jourdanton Education Foundation connects donor resources to enhance the opportunities for JISD students and educators.

Creating educational opportunity for students is our priority. We know education is the key to success and education comes in many forms...books, shared knowledge, technology, hands on experience.

JEF dedicated to award \$35,000 in 2022 and that goal was successfully reached. Twelve applications were received and a total of \$32,929 in grants were funded.

JISD Teachers produced an amazing set of applications with innovative ideas for their students this year. Placing tools in the hands of children reached an all-time high. From musical instruments to electrical equipment in physics class, to interactive baby models, our students are gaining invaluable experience and knowledge.

The Summer Reading Program reached new heights in 2022. With a focused curriculum, reading instruction, and hands on activities, students took a deep dive onto the ocean floor culminating in a field trip to the San Antonio Aquarium. Placing books in the hands of children was accomplished via grants from JEF and donations of books from The UPS Store. Primary funding was provided via a \$25,000 grant from The Carroll & Marguerite Wheeler Foundation.

To date JEF has provided over \$107,000 in awards and programs to JISD during our first 3 years as an organization.

The JEF Board of Directors strive to be an invaluable resource to our teachers, students and community. We focus on providing innovative programs designed by exceptional teachers, that result in student success. Future programs will include sponsorship of a Junior High Newspaper, classroom reading sets that support the science of reading, and continued funding of innovative teaching awards.

JEF continues to build relationships with businesses and community members to provide not just financial support, but also open the door to mentorship, trade skills, and job prospects for JISD students. We desire to create opportunities where the community can support education specific programs at Jourdanton ISD and give generously to a local and effective non-profit. When our students succeed, our community succeeds.

We look forward to the coming year of fundraising events, new programs, innovative grants, and community involvement. Please visit us at JourdantonEF.com to learn more.



When you encourage a child's strengths and interests, you will motivate them to learn.

- Valerie Woods



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