



# Year in Review

## 2022 - 2023



The Richardson ISD  
Foundation

Innovation • Collaboration • Equity

The Richardson ISD Foundation's mission is to advance impactful opportunities to benefit all within the Richardson Independent School District.

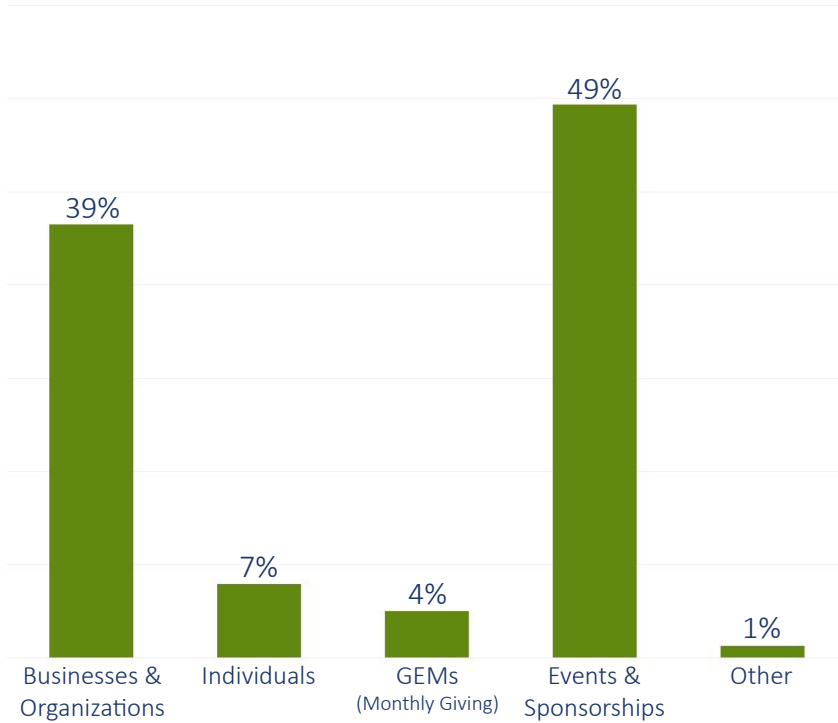
Our values express the heart of the Foundation and are the filter through which evaluate our activities and priorities.

- **Innovation:** Continuously seeking new and creative ideas.
- **Collaboration:** Purposefully reaching out and engaging partners.
- **Equity:** Advancing fair and impartial initiatives for all in RISD.

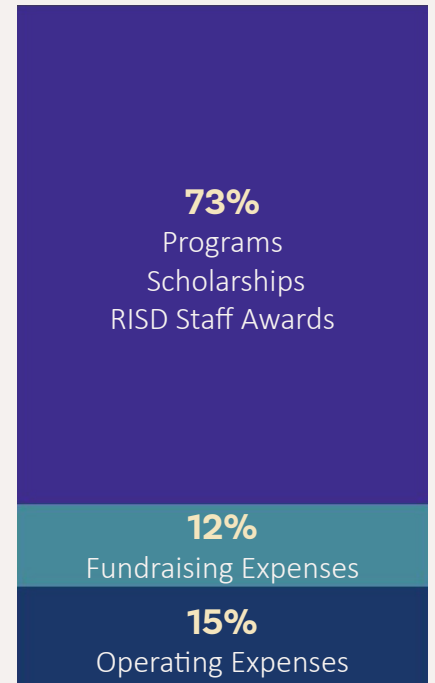


# FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

## Income by Source Total Revenue: \$600,115



## Expenditures Total Expenses: \$572,187



“The average reading Lexile level of my seventh-grade intervention students is 508, which is at the beginning of a third-grade reading level. High-interest graphic novels entice and encourage students to read and improve their reading levels. My students have been energized to spend more time reading because of these new, current graphic novel additions to our seventh-grade Academic Literacy classes. The joy and excitement created through approachable, engaging titles for struggling readers is magical. Students learn to love to read by finding books they love.”

Heather Pineda

W2022-2023 Impact Grant Recipient  
Forest Meadow Junior High School



“Receiving a scholarship means everything to me. It is not just about the financial aid that comes with it but also the recognition and validation of my hard work and dedication to my education. It means someone believes in me and my potential to significantly impact my chosen field. It also takes away the burden from my parents of worrying about how to pay for my education and allows me to focus on my studies without any distractions. More than anything else, receiving a scholarship motivates me to work even harder and strive for excellence in everything I do.”

*Josephine Akinrotimi*  
2023 Foundation Scholarship Recipient & Freshman, University of Texas at Arlington

# OUR IMPACT

**\$117K+**

donated to help fund literacy and STEM programs in RISD

**\$57K+**

awarded to recognize RISD leaders, teachers and staff

**\$72.5K+**

in scholarships awarded to 37 graduating seniors

**\$78K+**

raised to provide backpacks and school supplies

**\$71K+**

in Impact Grants awarded, doubling the amount given in 2021-2022

**100+**

donors funding Impact Grants through GEMs monthly giving

**\$8 MILLION+**

invested in RISD since 1984

The Richardson ISD Foundation’s Board of Directors recently completed strategic planning and identified the following goals to help the organization focus its energy and resources to respond to the changing needs of RISD.

1

Evaluate existing initiatives and evolve to include sustainable programs.

2

Increase awareness of the Foundation and value we bring to our stakeholders.

3

Align more closely with RISD to guide funding priorities and Foundation efforts.



Thank you to our incredible community partners and donors who invest in The Richardson ISD Foundation and support our efforts to help RISD students, teachers, and staff achieve their academic growth goals.



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