



Examples of How Your Gift Makes a Difference

< \$100	Every Gift Matters! Just like crowdfunding, all donations add up to give today's students the full MICDS experience!
\$100	Average cost for 5 students to have access to Sora, an e-book and audiobook platform
\$340	Purchase of one Robotics Kit for STEM
\$750	Average cost of a professional development conference for one teacher
\$1,000	A year's supply of clay for the Lower School Art Studio
\$2,500	Uniforms and equipment for 10 student-athletes
\$5,000	Cost of "Math in Focus" program for the entire Lower School which helps students build deeper understandings of math concepts
\$9,600	Average cost for purchase of two new tubas that would allow two students to take up band
\$18,303	Average Tuition Assistance Grant for 2023-2024 school year: the average grant for Lower School was \$14,100, for 5th and 6th grade \$17,000, and for 7th through 12th the average grant was \$21,600 (combining MICDS Fund donations and endowed funds).