



**The Mission of the Troy Foundation for Educational Excellence** is to strengthen the educational experience of Troy School District students by funding innovative learning opportunities, entirely through private support. The primary focus of the TFEE is awarding **grants** to teachers for innovative **classroom** programs through which they **ENGAGE** their students, **ENHANCE** curriculum and **ENRICH** their classroom environment while **ENERGIZING** both teachers and students.

The TFEE reaches out to the Troy community each year for support through **direct donations** as well as various fundraisers. Our **TFEE Donation Campaign** is supplemented by our largest fundraiser, our annual **TFEE Golf Outing**, the Tony Spagnola Memorial Classic, which will be held on June 19, 2020, at Sanctuary Lake Golf in Troy. Through community support, donations and fundraisers the Foundation contributed over **\$74,000** to Troy School District teachers and students during the 2019-2020 school year. In addition, TFEE annually provides four graduating seniors with a Sharon Alexander Fine Arts scholarship.

### **2019-2020 TFEE GRANT 'INNOVATOR OF THE YEAR':**

#### **Troy and Troy Athens High Schools, 'Physics of Cell Phones'**

**Christopher Dannug, Sydney Barosko, Jacob Augustine**

Grant Project: In this project students create and learn about the technology we all use every day. Students apply their knowledge of waves, sound, light, and energy as they design and refine a sound-proofing solution. Students also have the chance to work collaboratively to build a cell phone and send a message to another classmate.

### **OTHER NOTEWORTHY GRANTS:**

**Schroeder Elementary and Boulan Park Middle, 'Building Environmental Awareness'**

**Troy Center for Transition/GROW, 'Gardening @TCT'**

**Hamilton Elementary, 'Mentor Texts for ELD Learners'**

**Morse Elementary, 'Community Compost and Garden'**

**Baker Middle School, 'Augmented & Virtual Reality'**

Please join us as we continue supporting our Troy School District students through funding teacher grants. Visit [troyfoundation.org](http://troyfoundation.org) and click **DONATE** for an electronic donation or complete the attached form to mail with your donation (check payable to TFEE) to:

**Troy Foundation for Educational Excellence, 4400 Livernois, Troy, MI 48098.**

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**YES, I want to support our students! Enclosed is my check for**

**\$25**

**\$50**

**\$100**

**\$250**

**Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**YES, I would like to volunteer to help with annual fundraising events. Please contact me.**

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