



## How to Donate

- **Donate to both organizations** during online registration or at Welcome Back day in August. Each donation must be made separately.
- **Donate to the Murwood PTA** by mailing or dropping off a check payable to Murwood PTA.
- **Donate to WCEF K-12** by visiting [www.wcefk12.org](http://www.wcefk12.org) to make a secure online donation, set up payments or print a donation form that you can mail to us.

Together, with support from ***all*** of our families, we can keep Murwood strong

and provide our students with academic and enrichment opportunities—advantages that will last them a lifetime.

### Your donation matters!

Participating in art, music, P.E. and science lab activities gives students an academic edge.

#### Art develops critical thinking and creativity

Elementary art education helps develop creativity, visual learning, critical thinking and motor skills through art project creation.

#### Music supports math and language development

By teaching students to visualize how harmonic elements fit together, music helps to develop spatial intelligence and problem-solving ability. It also develops the left side of the brain, which processes language.

#### Physical Education fosters social and emotional wellness

Physical education supports knowledge gained in other disciplines, including science, math and social studies. Physical activity also improves self-discipline, judgment and goal-setting skills.

#### Science lab instruction builds a life-long appreciation for science and technology

With engaging, hands-on activities, science lab activities help develop the observation skills and inquisitiveness needed to meet 21st century workforce challenges.

**Together, Murwood and WCEF K-12 provide enriching experiences that set students up for success. Donate now to help our students thrive!**

#### WCEF K-12

PO Box 186  
Walnut Creek, CA 94597  
(925) 933-WCEF (9233)  
[www.wcefk12.org](http://www.wcefk12.org)

#### Murwood PTA

2050 Vanderslice Avenue  
Walnut Creek, CA 94596  
(925) 943-2462  
[www.murwoodpta.org](http://www.murwoodpta.org)

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# Together We're Stronger

**Make An Impact. Donate Now.**

**Walnut Creek Education  
Foundation K-12  
and Murwood PTA**

*Working together to enrich our children's academic experience through science, music, art, P.E. and more.*

# Supporting Murwood

## A COLLABORATIVE FUNDRAISING APPROACH

The collaborative fundraising model of the Walnut Creek Education Foundation K-12 (WCEF) and the Murwood PTA allows us to share fundraising efforts to best support Murwood students.

### WCEF K-12 donations fund:

- Specialist instructors in:
  - Science lab
  - Art
  - Music
  - Physical education
- Extended school library hours
- Professional coaching and mentoring time for teacher collaboration

### Murwood PTA donations fund:

- Access to technology through a variety of programs
- Grade-level support
- Specialist grants
- Community-building activities and programs
- Soul Shoppe
- Walking Club
- Library books
- Hospitality for both parents and teachers

Good things come in twos. Don't shortchange the education of our children. Donate now to both the Murwood PTA and WCEF K-12 and maximize opportunities for all our students.



## Do your part! Donate today!

The California state budget does not fully fund our children's education. Your donation to the Murwood PTA and WCEF K-12 helps bridge the gap, so every dollar counts!

**Murwood PTA**

\$100 per child



**WCEF K-12**

\$400 per child

\$800 per family

(Payable in monthly installments)

**What if I am not able to contribute the full amount needed by the Murwood PTA and WCEF K-12 for this school year?**

If you cannot give the full amount, please consider contributing what you can, with a split of 30% to the Murwood PTA and 70% to WCEF K-12. Both are non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations and your donations are tax deductible.

**What if I would like to contribute more?**

Become a member of WCEF K-12's *Scholar Circle* and help our foundation increase the services we offer students. *Scholar Circle* memberships begin at \$1200 per year.

**Maximize your donation through a corporate matching gift!**

Many employers match their employees' educational donations, effectively doubling the amount received by the Murwood PTA and WCEF K-12—but corporate matching gifts do not happen automatically. Check with your employer or contact WCEF K-12 for more information.

