



**The Marlborough Education Foundation**  
**P.O. Box 5824**  
**Marlborough, MA 01752**

Dear Marlborough Public Schools Family,

As you may know, the Marlborough Education Foundation has provided over \$150,000 worth of grants to teachers since 1997. In most years, our fundraising of between \$11,000 and \$15,000 is sufficient to fulfill the majority of the grant requests we receive. However last year we received over \$40,000 in grant applications. We were able to fulfill about \$15,000 of these requests but that left many worthwhile projects unfunded. In an attempt to raise more money for our teachers and garner a more broad-based community support system we are reaching to the school families.

Included with this letter is our brochure which shows different levels of contributions. We would appreciate your help with whatever amount your family can afford at this time. Our hope is that, with the community's help, we can raise a substantially larger amount this year. All monies donated go directly to the Marlborough Public Schools in grants awarded to our teachers every fall. If you would like to see descriptions of the grants that have been awarded in past years, please go to our website at [www.mefonline.org](http://www.mefonline.org).

We thank you in advance for your consideration and/or donation. All donations are 100% tax deductible.

Sincerely,

The Board Members of the Marlborough Education Foundation