

sagamore hills foundation

# Frequently Asked Questions

## WHY DOES SAGAMORE HILLS ELEMENTARY NEED A FOUNDATION?

The Foundation helps ensure that our students receive a first-rate education at one of the best schools in Georgia by securing funds to enrich learning in the classroom and improve our school's facilities. Donations to the Foundation provide the necessary resources to bridge gaps in our school's funding needs that are not covered by DeKalb County.

## WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE FOUNDATION AND THE PTA?

The Foundation focuses on funding teacher requests for classroom initiatives and equipment, capital improvements to school facilities, academic enrichment support, staff training, and technology needs. The PTA funds initiatives that enhance student learning and activities that build community at our school. Unlike the PTA, the Foundation is able to accumulate funds for longer-term and larger-scale projects. The two organizations coordinate their efforts and work closely together.

### **HOW DOES THE FOUNDATION RAISE MONEY?**

Contributions from Sagamore Hills Elementary families, staff,



community members, and corporate sponsors provide important sources of funds raised by the Foundation. We invite everyone in our school community to get involved and make a gift. Donations directly benefit Sagamore Hills Elementary School, building an even stronger foundation for students at our school for years to come. Gifts of all sizes add up to make a meaningful impact!

#### **HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?**

- Make a donation
- Give your time and talents as a volunteer
- Share feedback and ideas with the Foundation Board

The Sagamore Hills Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that supports the quality of education at Sagamore Hills Elementary. Donations are tax deductible to the extent provided by law. PO. Box 33191

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