



FAMILY ★ STAR

Montessori & Early Head Start

Program Sponsorship Opportunities

Do you want your gift to support a specific program area at Family Star? Check out the opportunities listed below, or contact us at (303) 477-7827 to discuss other options for support.

Support our “Future Stars” through the Pregnancy Program - \$1,000

Family Star offers a 10-week pregnancy class to low-income women three times each year. This program teaches women about health, nutrition, parenting and child development. Your gift of \$1,000 would provide a weekly nutritious dinner and baby shower gifts for all of our expecting parents attending one of our classes this year.

Sponsor our Summer Continuation/Graduation Ceremony - \$1,000

Each summer, Family Star celebrates all of our young students who are graduating from our program into elementary school, or moving up within our program from one classroom level to the next. Your gift of \$1,000 would provide a celebratory dinner for all of our families attending this event.

Grow our Garden - \$1,000

Our goal is threefold: to increase the nutritional intake of our children by feeding them food from the garden; educate families about the variety of vegetables available to eat and grow at home; and foster a love of gardening in the children, creating a strong connection to the earth. Your gift of \$1,000 will allow us to expand our garden beds and provide plants, flowers and seeds for annual planting.

Sponsor our Staff Holiday Party - \$600

Help thank the teachers who have been working hard all year to provide an outstanding education program for Denver's low-income children. Your gift of \$600 will provide a holiday celebration and thank you for our 60 staff members.

Sponsor a Family Night - \$500

As part of Family Star's commitment to educating parents, we offer monthly Family Nights at each of our two centers. At Family Night, we give parents an opportunity to socialize, provide them with a nutritious dinner and offer a one-hour educational session such as “Montessori in the Home” or “Ask a Nurse”. Your gift of \$500 would cover the cost of one dinner for one Family Night at each center.

Sponsor a Nutrition Education and Cooking Class for Parents – \$500

Family Star offers the 6-week *Eat Smart Cook Smart* cooking class from Operation Frontline/Share Our Strength two times a year, once at each center. Your gift of \$300 will cover the cost of dinner and child care for parents participating in the class.

Sponsor a Financial Planning Class for Parents - \$300

Family Star offers Operation Frontline's *Save Smart-Spend Smart* class to parents at each center once a year. This three-week class teaches parents basic financial planning and budgeting skills from a financial professional. Your gift of \$300 will cover the cost of dinner and child care for parents participating in one class.

Provide a Spanish Language Translator - \$100

In order to meet the needs of our Spanish-speaking families, Family Star provides a translator at all of our events. Your gift of \$100 would provide translation services at two Family Night events.

All gifts will be acknowledged in our organization's newsletter, annual report and at the program/event sponsored. Family Star is a registered 501(c)3 nonprofit organization. Tax ID 84-1114455