

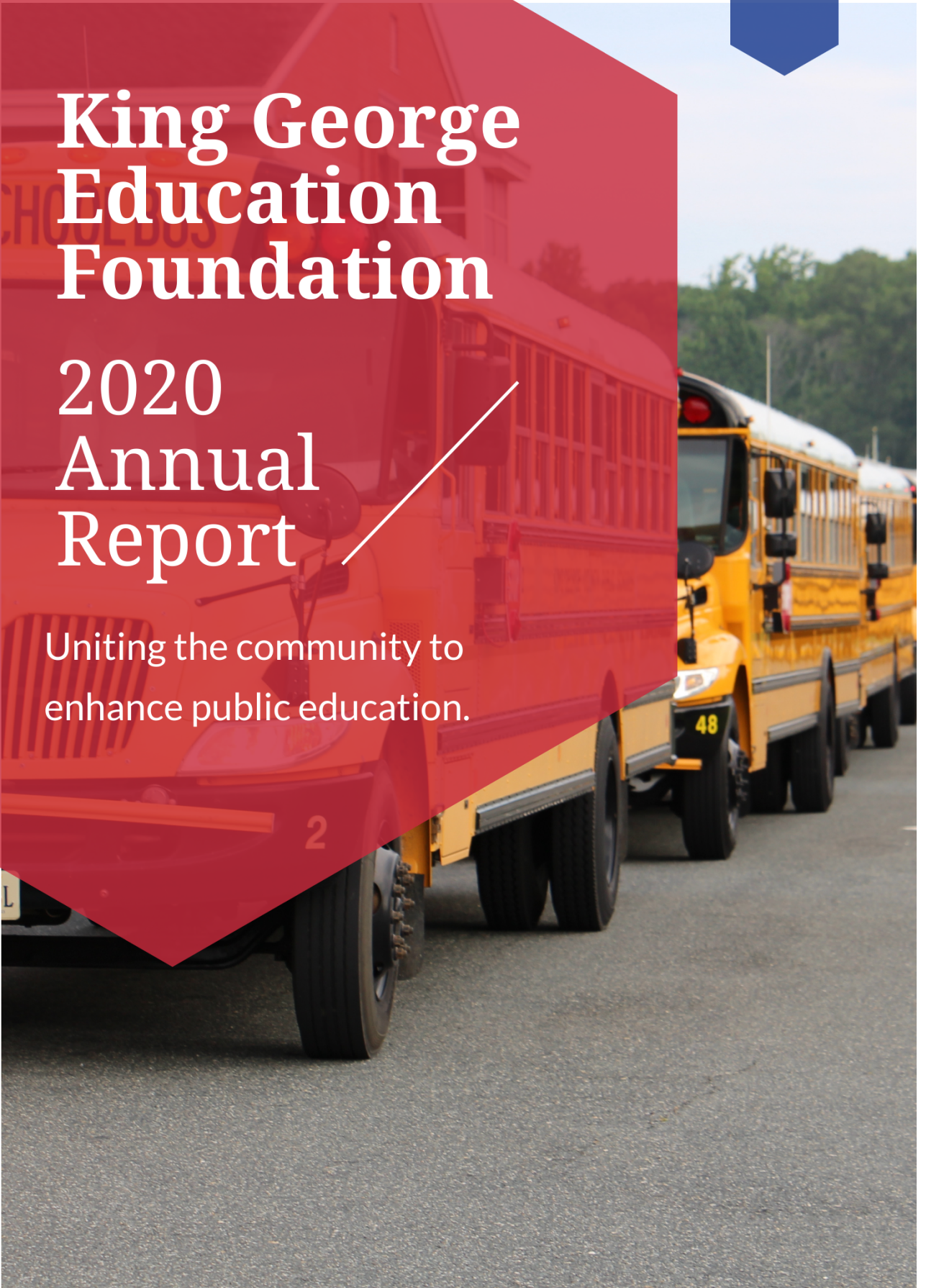


King George Education Foundation

2020 Annual Report

Uniting the community to
enhance public education.

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Overview

The King George Education Foundation received \$21,465 in donations, grants, and in-kind donations for the fiscal year spanning July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.

Awarded

3 Innovation Grants

totaling

\$1,483.30

to teachers and staff in King George County.

The FoxSmart Center served

191 teachers

and

42 families

with supplies that schools need most.

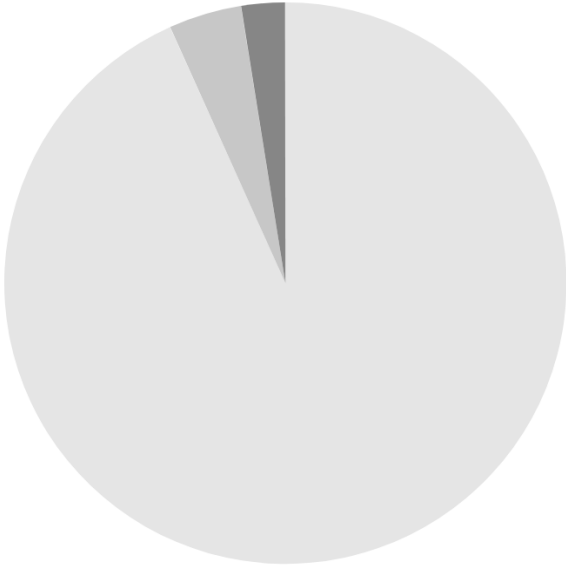
Partnered

11 businesses

with King George schools through the Partners in Education program.

Donations

King George Education Foundation received a total of \$21,465 in donations and grants from business, individuals, and community groups.



Individuals (93.28%) Community Groups (4.19%)
Businesses (2.52%)

Spending by Program

Expenditures for the fiscal year totaled \$3,493.29.



Innovation Grants (42.46%) FoxSmart (43.54%)
Insurance (11.05%) Other Administrative (2.95%)

Innovation Grants

Innovation Grants are awarded to school division staff who present promising ideas for achieving the district's curricular goals, enhancing students' personal development, and/or encouraging links with the community.



Lego Wall

Lego Plate Wall for Students in the Middle School Library

"The wall was a welcome break to instructional life—a place where they could just let creativity flow, creating designs and names and adding to each other's creations. They dragged over the wobble stools, planted themselves in front of the Lego bins, and just enjoyed themselves. I am looking forward to next school year when we can begin using the wall from the first day of school!"

Jessica Drinks, King George Middle School



Hydraulic Claws Grabbing Our Future

6 Teacher Geek Tool Kits and Teacher Geek Hydraulic Claw Kits

"As classes finished their builds, we began to test their abilities. It was great fun to watch the testing of each design. During testing, we assigned jobs to students from other groups to help keep everyone on task. Some students were timers, some were counters, some recorded the information for the class, and some were cheerleaders. We had a variety of results from 1 cotton ball to 198 cotton balls."

Yvonne Richard, King George Elementary School



Flexible Learning Spaces

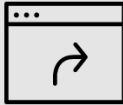
Tools to Create a Flexible Learning Space for 3rd & 4th Graders

"Students used the surf seats as flexible seating that held their laptop and allowed them to move to a private workspace to communicate with their virtual book groups... The Qball empowered students to use their voice and develop confidence in their oral communication. Last but not least, the mobile white board was a collaborative space for student to think visually and a tool for collaborative learning."

Sally Clements, King George Elementary School

FoxSmart Center

FoxSmart is a one-stop shop for families and students in need, as well as staff members who continue to make classroom purchases from their own funds.



In July 2019, FoxSmart launched a web form that allowed teachers and staff to request supplies online.



In August, KGEF volunteers distributed supply bags to new teachers at the back-to-school staff breakfast.



FoxSmart received a total of 233 supply requests, an increase of 60% from the previous school year.



When supplies got low, more were purchased using funds or partners in education stepped up with supply drives to restock.



The supplies that were needed the most were composition books, folders, and markers.

Looking Ahead

The Education Foundation will continue partnering with schools to meet the increased demand in supplies resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic for the 2020-21 school year.



COVID-19 Response

In March 2020, the world was shaken by the COVID-19 pandemic as schools, daycares, and businesses abruptly closed in Virginia and the world.

Children who were reliant on schools not just for learning, but for necessities like food, suddenly found themselves at home 24 hours a day without basic supplies.

King George Education Foundation worked with the school division to distribute 170 supply bags to students using supplies from FoxSmart to help all children continue their education at home.





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