

The Douglas School PTO is an integral part of our children's elementary school experience. We are there to welcome you on your first kindergarten tour and to celebrate with you at sixth-grade graduation. And we fill the years between with everything from educational programs, to teacher support and appreciation, to good old-fashioned fun.

For over a decade now, the Douglas School PTO has funded its programs without the tedium of various fundraising drives and sales. These were replaced with a simple request for donations, 100% of which directly fund the PTO's many efforts.

And while giving for the sake of giving is a lovely idea, it's more fun when there are prizes involved. And boy do we have some awesome raffle prizes! When you give, *no matter what the amount*, you will be entered into all of the drawings listed below. The sooner you give, the more chances to win!

Donate by 8:00a.m. on Tuesday, October 4, to be entered in the drawing for our **DOUGLAS CELEBRATION GRAND PRIZE**:

- Reserved parking at the Ice Cream Social (October 28), plus pizza, ice cream, and games for two
- Two tickets to the Spring Social & Auction (March 25)
- Four wristbands to the Festival of Cultures (April/May TBD)
- Four Lowell Spinners tickets (June TBD)

But don't wait to give. Drawings begin the week of September 26, and any donor can win! (Sorry, one prize per household only.) Other raffle prizes include:

- **Get Out of Snack Cart Free!** Never rush to the store on Wednesday night again. The PTO will donate snacks for your family (up to two children) for all of 2016-17.
- **VIP Parking!** You pick the event; we save a spot for you.
- **Lowell Spinners!** Four tickets to Douglas Night at the Lowell Spinners in June (date TBD)
- **Spiritwear!** Just in time for the fall sale, \$40 to stock your closet with blue and gold at iTownstore.com

Save time and give online!  
Look for the purple button at  
[www.DouglasSchoolPTO.org](http://www.DouglasSchoolPTO.org)

If you would prefer to send a check, return this form to school in an envelope marked **PTO Annual Giving**. Make the check payable to **Douglas School PTO**, and write **Annual Giving** on the memo line; no staples, please! You will receive a receipt in the mail for tax purposes.

**Please accept my donation of:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$25  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$75          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$150 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$200         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$300 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other \$_____ |

Check the back to see where your PTO money goes!

**Name(s) of Donor(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

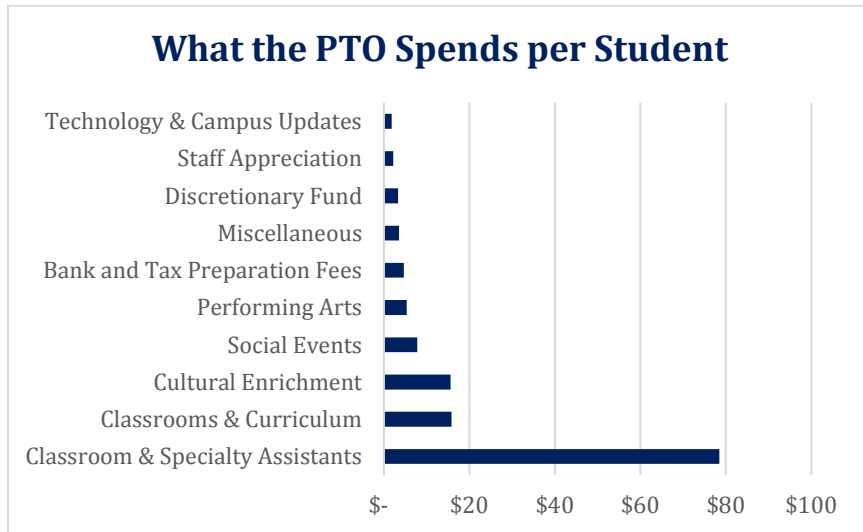
**Name/teacher of youngest child at Douglas:**  
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**Name & address of employer for matching gift purposes:**  
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*Be part of the joy. Be part of the growth.  
Gifts of any size make a difference for your child.*

### Curious where your money goes?

Under the current PTO budget, the PTO spends about \$140 per student. The vast majority of the PTO budget is spent on teaching assistants and specialists, but we fund many more elements of our children’s elementary school experience, too.



Please participate at a level that feels right for you. Every penny makes a difference in our students’ education.

