

# Culver City Education Foundation

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## Recent Grants Acquired by the Culver City Education Foundation

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### California Fertilizer Foundation:

CCEF is pleased to announce a grant award of \$1,200 from the California Fertilizer Foundation. One of 24 grants, state-wide, the funds will be used to create a *Learning Garden* at La Ballona Elementary School. La Ballona is the only elementary school without a garden and this grant, along with funds from CCEF's Garden Fundraiser and the La Ballona Education Partners, will create an outdoor classroom garden space with a hands-on learning curriculum. Teachers, parents and community volunteers will be active in this project which will increase students' awareness of agriculture and nutrition.

### Wells Fargo:

Wells Fargo has granted \$1,500 to CCEF in support of "Technology Enabled Learning" at El Rincon Elementary School. This project will enhance 5th grade teachers' ability to connect with students, using the most current technology equipment. In previous years, Wells Fargo has donated funding for projects at other CCUSD Title 1 Schools, including La Ballona and Linwood E. Howe Elementary Schools.

## Sip for Our Schools Hold the Date

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Look for more information-coming soon-for our 3rd **Sip for Our Schools Fundraiser** that will be held *Saturday October 15th* at SPF: a Gallery.

## Happy Summer

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All of us at CCEF hope everybody is having a relaxing and safe summer. We are very busy preparing for a successful upcoming school year and looking forward to seeing everyone real soon.

Be sure to stay in touch as we have exciting new changes on the horizon.

## **Mission Statement of the CCEF**

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The Culver City Education Foundation is a charitable, non-profit organization dedicated to supporting and enhancing quality educational programs for every student in the Culver City Unified School District.

To accomplish our mission, the Foundation reaches out to the community to secure funds and resources.

Founded in 1981, the Culver City Education Foundation has garnered millions of dollars to the Culver City schools.

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