

"If the children and youth of a nation are afforded opportunity to develop their capacities to the fullest and given the knowledge to understand the world and the wisdom to change it, then the prospects for the future are bright."

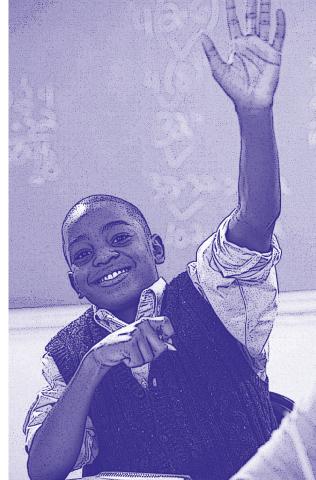


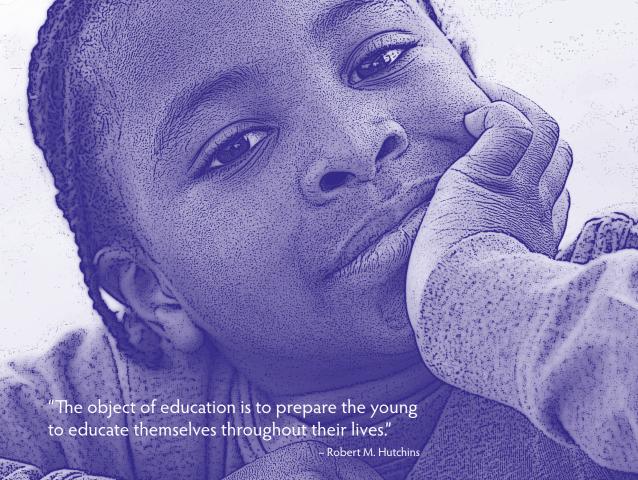
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IMAGINE THE IMPACT on our community if every child were to receive a quality public education.

At the **CREC FOUNDATION**, we firmly believe that inspired leadership and passionate teaching will help transform and enrich public education.

We support CREC's core belief that: "Every student can and shall learn at high levels and therefore must have access to all educational resources of the region through the system of public schools served by CREC."





ABOUT THE CREC FOUNDATION

The CREC FOUNDATION was established in 2005 to support CREC'S mission, programs, and its school member districts. The Foundation achieves this goal by: • Providing financial support for CREC educational programs and services

- Developing strategic partnerships with other community organizations that help promote and advance CREC's educational initiatives
- Supporting teachers and educational leaders by helping fund programs that build and strengthen skills and abilities
- Seeking funds for innovative and highly progressive educational programming to meet the needs of a diverse student population
- Acquiring school and classroom resources for teachers and students
- adult literacy, workforce preparedness and job training

• Obtaining scholarship funds for disadvantaged students • Assisting families by securing support for programs that improve The **CREC FOUNDATION** exists exclusively for charitable purposes and is funded by private gifts from individuals and organizations. The Foundation also hosts and participates in fund raising events. As a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, it is governed by a board of directors that supports the Foundation's mission.

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