

Inspiring Experiences at Sunset Ridge!

The Middleton-Cross Plains Area School District Education Foundation was launched in the summer of 2011 to raise funds to augment programs and activities currently provided by the District, and to keep our local community informed on the strengths, challenges and needs of its schools. Our goal is to provide inspiring experiences for our students now, and for decades to come, through teacher innovation grants, student scholarships and a growing endowment.



We seek to accelerate all Middleton-Cross Plains Area students as part of the District's next steps on its journey of excellence.

Since 2013, the Foundation has awarded Inspiration Grants at all District schools. Here are some of the grants funded right here at Sunset Ridge. Find out how your contribution can fund many more inspiring experiences by visiting www.inspiringexperiences.org.

Elementary Technology (2017)

Cassie Roberts received \$600 to purchase two touch screen monitors to be used by all students as part of technology classes.

Makerspace (2017)

Sunset Ridge received \$1,000 to purchase supplies and materials for its Makerspace. The Makerspace philosophy embraces process-oriented learning and open-ended activities.

Exercise to Achievement (2017)

A grant of \$1,000 was awarded to help pay for transportation and healthy snacks for Exercise to Achievement, an after-school program that runs for six weeks and helps students improve their fitness and prepare to participate in the Tri 4 Schools triathlon.

Battle of the Books (2015)

Sunset Ridge received a \$500 grant to support this reading program, which is designed to encourage third- and fourth-grade students to read great books and have fun while competing with peers.

Bilingual Project (2014)

Sara Reeves-Metz and Roberto Moreno received a grant of \$400 to create a mural at the school. The mural includes the earth, surrounded by 33 flags representing the diverse heritage and nationalities of Sunset Ridge students.