

Chalk Talk

TEF – Charity of Choice

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As Thanksgiving approaches and 2019 begins to come a close, it offers time to reflect upon how grateful we are to the many people who support the Tooele Education Foundation.

Thanks to our kind donors, we have wonderful projects and programs that influence positive educational outcomes for students and teachers. Our staff dreams of what it would be like to have the good fortune to fund all requests for support that TEF receives as the community's education foundation. It is a dream that Tooele Education Foundation strives to fulfill each day!

One simple way to help accomplish this dream is to support TEF by clicking on the "Donate Button" on our website at www. tooeleeducationfoundation. org Another convenient way to support TEF is through online shopping domains. AmazonSmile is one such software platform that encourages shoppers to give to a favorite charity.

This is a very easy way to contribute to TEF when already making other purchases on Amazon, using your same account



and login. All you have to do is go to smile.amazon. com from the web browser on your computer or mobile device. On your first visit to AmazonSmile, you need to select a charitable organization (Tooele County School District Education Foundation, Inc.) to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Amazon will remember your selection, and then every eligible purchase you make will result in a donation of 0.5%, at no cost to you. What a bonus opportunity and nice way to help Tooele's school children!

Also, with the current tax year winding down, it is a

good time to think about finalizing yearly charitable giving as well. The following are additional ways to make contributions that strengthen the TEF mission – Enriching and Enhancing Learning in the Tooele County School District: Bequests, Charitable Gift Annuities, Charitable Remainder Trusts, Endowments, Real Estate, and Securities.

Our Cause Is Kids, and we invite you to make it your cause too by becoming a donor. TEF cares deeply about students and their learning, and is passionate about providing opportunities for students that are outside regular education funding mechanisms. Please consider TEF as your charity of choice and help to sponsor projects and programs for our cause – OUR KIDS!



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