

Crockett Elementary PTO

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To our valued HISD Area Community,

We are a Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) raising funds for HISD Crockett Elementary School. Crockett Elementary is a Magnet School for the Performing and Visual Arts. Our goal is to raise \$15,000 for the Magnet Program 2021/22 School Year.

The PTO is currently seeking donations and sponsors for our **Monthly Teacher Appreciation** and **Silent Auction**. We are looking for local businesses interested in donating goods and/or sponsors looking for targeted advertising opportunities.

We reach out to you because our Crockett families are involved, supportive families that live, work and shop locally. Crockett Elementary School is a Title 1 Part A school:

Title 1, Part A, is a federally funded program that provides resources and opportunities to improve the academic achievement of economically disadvantaged students. Title 1 ensures that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education based on the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) and reach, at a minimum, proficiency on the State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR). -HISD 2018/19 Title 1 status Notification Letter.



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**"WE HAVE ENOUGH
VOLUNTEERS" – SAID NO
ONE EVER.**

A 2005 report by the Rand Corporation about the visual arts argues: "that strong arts programming in schools helps close a gap that has left many a child behind. The children of affluent parents generally get exposed to the arts whether or not public schools provide them. Low-income children, often, do not. "Arts education enables those children from a financially challenged background to have a more level playing field with children who have had those enrichment experiences," says Eric Cooper, president and founder of [National Urban Alliance for Effective Education](#).

Our hope is that you will support us as we support you!

Sincerely yours,
The Crockett Elementary PTO

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