



Educational Enrichment Foundation
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**EEF receives \$10,000 General Support Grant from
Bank of America Charitable Foundation**

Tucson, AZ (August 27, 2008) --- The Educational Enrichment Foundation (EEF) has received a general support grant of \$10,000 from the Bank of America Charitable Foundation to build fundraising capacity to support it's mission of providing resources to expand and enrich student learning in TUSD.

The grant was in response to a request to assist EEF with capacity building in three areas: generating community awareness, communications and volunteer support.

To make a contribution or for more information, please contact Linda Goode, Director of Development at The Educational Enrichment Foundation, 3809 E. Third Street, Tucson, AZ 85716, or by phone: (520) 325-8688.

The mission of Educational Enrichment Foundation (EEF) is to provide resources to expand and enrich student learning in the Tucson Unified School District (TUSD). EEF began in 1983 with a grant from the Ford Foundation to enrich education and learning in TUSD, where 58% of students qualify for free or reduced meal assistance. The first programs provided mini-grants to teachers for special classroom projects. EEF's programs have expanded to provide special needs assistance (shoes, clothing, eye exams and glasses) and scholarships to low income/at risk students. Since its beginnings, EEF has awarded over \$3.5 Million in programs and services to the TUSD family.