



# SEED

*Source for Excellence in Educational Development*

FOUNDATION INC.

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Welcome to all incoming Holland Township School families!

We want to introduce you to the Holland Township School's education foundation, Source for Excellence in Education Development (SEED). SEED provides grants to teachers for extra educational projects and equipment that enhance the opportunities of the HTS students. The grants support programs beyond the traditional school budget. It is an independent, not-for-profit organization made up mostly of HTS parents. SEED had the same goals as the PTO, but it differs in that there is a grant request/approval system, and the grants are solely meant for educational programs with a lasting quality.

Some of the numerous previous grants include the 1<sup>st</sup> grade Dino Dig, the middle school Tower Garden, and wireless microphones for the Drama Club and Music programs. SEED also sponsored the start-up materials for the kindergartners' Gone Hog Wild project as well as the CROW (Connecting Reading with the Outside World) backpacks for the elementary school library.

SEED depends on the generosity of our community and fundraising efforts to support programs. Funds may be from monetary donations (tax deductible), payroll deductions, matching employer/corporate contributions, memorials or tributes, and fundraisers. Market Day is a newly revived fundraiser that we are hoping to use again this year - you buy food items that are delivered to your home, and SEED receives a percentage. Please see the attached flyer and select Holland Township School - Milford - NJ for the organization.

You can help in the following ways. Join SEED. Parent participation is critical to the continued success of SEED. Any amount of time you can volunteer is extremely helpful, whether helping to develop new fundraising ideas or buying from Market Day.

If you have any questions, please email SEED at: [seedhollandtownshipschool@gmail.com](mailto:seedhollandtownshipschool@gmail.com).

Sincerely,  
The SEED Board