



Annual Contribution Drive

Parent Partners, welcome to the 2026-2027 school year! We are looking forward to seeing you and your children again soon and starting another wonderful year at Traut Core Knowledge School (TCKS). As I have said countless times before, our success rests solidly on the foundation of parent-teacher-student partnerships. Our unique model is why we enjoy such tremendous success year after year and is the reason we are one of the highest achieving schools in the state of Colorado.

To help us provide the highest quality education for our students, we do ask parents for a one-time annual contribution. By providing these funds, Traut can use nearly all our allotted state dollars to hire quality educators who directly support our students and their learning. Nothing is more important than getting well-trained, passionate educators and interventionists connected to our children. Your contribution makes that possible and supports the curricular needs within the classroom, including but not limited to supplies, consumable workbooks, digital subscriptions, enrichment activities like science experiments, and other necessary items. It also covers the cost of **all** field trips, culminating celebrations, events, and experiences (other than ECO Adventures for 5th grade.)

The recommended contribution amount at Traut is \$100 per student. *We will accept a contribution of any amount.* If you are able to contribute more than the suggested amount, your money will support those who are unable to contribute or are willing to contribute a lesser amount. **Every dollar collected will directly support students and teachers.** The richness of our classroom programs and the learning experiences of our students are greatly enhanced by the funds from our contribution program.

Please make your contribution via www.schoolpay.com at any time.

Thank you for supporting Traut students, classrooms, and teachers. Again, none of this would be possible without your partnership!

Sincerely,

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