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Airport High School
Educational Foundation
P.O. Box 3223
West Columbia, SC 29171

*"An investment in education
always pays the best interest."*

~ Ben Franklin ~

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needs YOU!

- ◆ Volunteer Time, Ideas, and Expertise
- ◆ Donate Supplies and Equipment
- ◆ Donate Auction Items or Services
- ◆ Donate Money for Special or Designated Projects
- ◆ Fund Business Scholarships
- ◆ Become Educational / Business / Technology Sponsors
- ◆ Initiate School to Work Partnership Programs in Your Workplace:
 - ◆ Apprenticeship
 - ◆ Internship
 - ◆ Shadowing

Thank you for supporting our
children!

AIRPORT HIGH SCHOOL

Educational Foundation



Mission Statement

The Educational Foundation was established in May of 2000 to encourage and benefit the students and teachers of AHS through scholarships for deserving students and grants for teachers working to improve their skills.

<http://airporteducationalfoundation.com/>

Foundation: Investments in Our Students Futures

The Airport High School Educational Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) tax exempt organization. The AHSEF supports teachers and students from Airport High School. The school opened in 1958 as a combined junior-senior high school. The junior high school moved to its own facility after one year, and the high school grew by adding one grade at a time until the first class graduated in 1964. At that time, the school was located in a semi-rural area. Today it is in the midst of a developing commercial area near the Columbia Metropolitan Airport.

The AHSEF has given over \$250,000 in scholarships and grants. Administrative costs are kept to a minimum allowing almost 100% of the money raised by the Foundation to be awarded in scholarships and grants. Funds are raised each year through our Hall of Fame Gala and Tennis Tournament. Funds are raised through entry fees, ticket sales, table sponsorships, and a silent auction.

Foundation: Facts at a Glance

Purpose:

The main purpose of the Airport High School Educational Foundation is to provide scholarships to students for the Early College program and post-secondary education and to provide grants to Airport High School teachers.

Executive Board:

President: Donny Burkett, CPA
Treasurer: Bob Hampton
Secretary: Lola Richbourg

Membership:

To be comprised of AHS students, parents, alumni, friends, business and community leaders.

Programs:

Educator Hall of Fame
Annual Tennis Tournament
Teacher Grants
Student Scholarships

Funding:

Educator Hall of Fame Gala
Tennis Tournament
Entry fees
Table sponsorships
Ticket sales
Silent auction
Membership Dues

Goals:

- To provide financial assistance for non-funded educational opportunities at Airport High School.
- To better prepare our students for the 21st century!

