

# **Mills University Studies High School**

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## **Partners in Education**

2020-2021



# Partnership Invitation

Mills University Studies High School establishes partners between businesses and organizations within the community to create measurable strategic outcomes. Partners in Education play a vital role in ensuring educational excellence by preparing students for the competitive job market, closing the achievement gap for low-income students, helping reduce the school's dropout rate, and improving reading proficiency.

The strength of the economy is built by the health of the community and on the success of the efforts of our educational systems. In an attempt to meet the needs of every student, Mills University Studies High School is seeking to connect with stakeholders within the community that will become our Partners in Education.

The members of our school community believe our school will succeed best if we are supported by our entire community. Partners in Education provide students with the resources and the help that they need to gain necessary, skills for the future. Our program connects students teachers, faculty, and students with corporate education, volunteers, and Civic and government leaders.

The Partners in Education (PIE) program enriches and enhances the educational experiences of our students by developing corporate Partnerships within the community. The efforts of one person, one organization, or even one company can change the life of a student in many beneficial ways, primarily in being college and career ready.

VOLUNTEER DURING SCHOOL HOURS	VOLUNTEER BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL	DONATE IN-KIND ITEMS	DONATE FINANCIALLY
Reading Partners	Tutoring and mentoring	Classroom supplies and materials	Donate funds to be used by the school, as needed
Volunteer teacher's assistant	Clubs and organization Sponsors	Teacher appreciation gifts and events	
Watch D.O.G.S. G.R.A.N.D.S.	DRIVEN AVID Men of Potential	Attendance incentives PBIS	<b>Together we can Rise Above!</b>





# How You Can Help!

**Together we can**

**Rise Above!**

Partnerships allow:

- schools to meet needs beyond available resources,
- a collaborative effort from the community to help the school accomplish the goals of the annual School Improvement Plan,
- business partners to share expertise with students to provide a more complete educational experience,
- an enhanced curriculum that applies academics with workplace skills to prepare students to be college and career-ready,
- increased contact and visibility with successful role models and mentors from the community,
- ownership to the community for academic excellence,
- improved economic development and prosperity.

## LEVELS OF GIVING

\$10 - \$150	Comet Companion
\$151 - \$300	Comet Comrad
\$301 - \$500	Comet Cohesion
\$501 - \$1500	Comet Cohort
\$1501-	Comet Consortium

**Business Partnership** - A Business Partnership is an annual commitment that serves as a mutually beneficial relationship created by a business and the school to provide both an opportunity to share resources.

**PALS** - People Assisting Local Schools, are an integral part of the Mills University Studies High School community through volunteerism.

**AVID** - Advancement Via Individual Determination—fosters a safe, open culture, high expectations for teachers and students, and collaboration in all classrooms.

**DRIVEN** - Students in grades K-12 will have access to core and elective curriculum options that can be customized to fit the learning styles and interests of each individual child.

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***Comet Companion***



**Rev. Michael Jenkins, Jr.**



**First Baptist Church, Wrightsville**



**Primrose United Methodist Church**

**\$151 - \$300**

***Comet Comrad***



**Ironton Road Baptist Church**



**DKR Associates**



**Elite Limousine**



**Center Ridge Baptist Church**

**\$301 - \$500**

***Comet Cohesion***

**Mills High Alumni Association**

**\$501 - \$1500**

***Comet Cohort***



**\$1501-**

***Comet Consortium***



**Jerry's Deli**



**Pulaski County Youth Services**

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