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Yes! I'll support BCSIS in its commitment to teaching the whole child, through a rich, aesthetic environment in which *artistic expression, active involvement, and academic excellence* provide the ideal foundation.

I've included my tax-deductible gift of:

____ \$325 (one student) ____ \$650 (two students) ____ \$975 (three students)

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____ \$250 ____ \$100 ____ \$75 ____ \$50 ____ \$25 ____ other

I would like to help **sponsor a family** with my gift of \$_____.

I would like to make a pledge of \$_____ to be paid in full by the duration of the current school year.

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Why BCSIS?

BCSIS is inspired by a variety of methods including **The Multiple Intelligences** of Howard Gardner, aspects of **Waldorf Education** (Rudolf Steiner), **Arts Integration**, and student-initiated project learning. Further, BCSIS incorporates the skill-building techniques of traditional Western education in a culturally, socially, and emotionally responsive learning environment.

Our Vision:

Our teachers strive to create safe spaces where students develop positive personal identities through individual engagement and acknowledge the value and dignity of others through community collaboration. Together, students discover and express their voice, exchange ideas through meaningful dialogue, and treat everyone with empathy and respect. This continuum of engagement extends beyond the classroom and prepares students to think critically about the world, make informed decisions, and take action.

Here's how BCSIS teachers and staff will put your money to work:

- \$3,000 Supports the annual *Artist in Residence* program and *First Fridays* at BCSIS
- \$2,000 Is provided to each classroom teacher yearly for high-quality art materials and unique arts integrated activities
- \$1,500 Makes community-building events such as the Autumn Social, the Spring Carnival and our *Special Speaker Series* for BCSIS parents possible
- \$1,000 Provides equipment and supplies for our Talented and Gifted specialist who works with over 75 students each year and supports *all* students through enrichment consultation with classroom teachers
- \$500 Supports continuing education opportunities for each BCSIS teacher who then brings cutting-edge ideas back to the BCSIS community
- \$300 Supports the school's *Garden to Table* program – enabling students to learn first-hand about ecology, economics, meteorology, and the importance of supporting healthy ecosystems.

Your gift is completely tax-deductible.

Questions?

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BCSIS is recognized as a school of excellence by the Colorado Alliance for the Arts in Education, and is a recipient of the John Irvin Award for Excellence.