



GRANT EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Grant Education Foundation (GEF) is to support and promote the technical and vocational educational programs in the Grant Joint Union High School District.

This Mission is accomplished through some of the following avenues:

- Creating strategic alliances with educational agencies and private businesses.
- Creating public/private partnerships that promote technical and vocational education
- Developing community-based job development resources for the students and parents of the District.
- Linking schools with local area businesses to further support the mission of the District.
- Initiating local, state, federal, and private grants to support the educational programs of the Grant Educational Foundation (GEF).
- Developing entrepreneurial opportunities between schools and businesses to develop and nurture students to be “life long learners”.
- Seeking gifts and endowments to support the technical and vocational educational programs of the District.

The Foundation’s ultimate objective is to promote, protect, and nurture the Grant Educational Foundation as a national education model, which will contribute to the reform of the educational system in both the State of California and, ultimately, the nation, and to enhance community services and skills, by creating public and private investment partnerships.

The Foundation believes that technology provides the greatest opportunity to make significant positive changes in today’s educational process. We believe that all people, regardless of social, economic, and cultural conditions must be provided with the ability to take charge of their lives. Through technology in education, they will be empowered to make critical decisions to positively impact their future.

We believe in coalescing community energies and ideas to dissolve the barriers to educational enhancement, thereby giving the opportunity for all members of the community who express concern to be involved. We believe that students function with more flexibility and independence in an environment of trust and responsibility. We believe in sharing our knowledge and experience with other educators and institutions in order to foster and enhance educational reform.