



SUPPORTING THE YOUTH IN OUR D4 COMMUNITY

New Beginnings CDC (NBCDC) would like to thank everyone who contributed to the 2022 School Supplies appeal. Because of your generosity we were able to purchase and fill 240 backpacks. Please know that your contribution will greatly impact the learning experience for students receiving these supplies. The average teacher spends more than \$500 a year of their own money providing supplies for the classroom. A survey of teachers showed that when students have the supplies and tools needed in the classroom it leads to the following*:

1. A more equitable learning environment
2. Focus on other areas of need rather than worrying about supplies
3. Increase in the variety and scope of projects offered to students

If preparation is the key to success, think of the difference it will make for the children to have the classroom tools they need.

* <https://www.kinf.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/2017-KINF-Impact-Report.pdf>

