

Neah-Kah-Nie School District No. 56

NEHALEM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Eillen Corren,

Thank you so much for the generous gift to our Elementary Backpack Program and Neah-Kah-Nie's Student Health & Wellness Center. It warms my heart to know there are people in our community who are thinking of our children and are offering to help support those in need during these stressful times.

The NES Backpack Program is funded entirely by donations and grants. Your contribution of \$1,250.00 will directly purchase food items and help ease the lives of families in need of supplemental food.

Nehalem Elementary School currently has 47 children enrolled in our Backpack Program. This special program helps 28% of our students and their families bridge the weekend food gap. Many families rely on our school breakfast & lunch program for their children's meals during the school week. By providing healthy, easy to prepare meals we help these children be ready learners during the week.

We are truly grateful for all our community partners working together for the health, emotional wellbeing and academic success of our students!

With Much Gratitude,

Heaven Hartford NES Family Resource Coordinator