



Key School  
— Est. 1966 —

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Congratulations to the Key School Class of 2015

Top Row: Luke Song, Colin Engelbert, Aaron Davis  
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# Annual Report 2014—2015



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## Our Mission

Since 1966, Key School has provided an individualized learning environment that continuously challenges every student's unique strengths in the classroom. This success oriented learning process is designed to instill confidence and unlock intellectual potential.

We are dedicated to equipping our students with the skills and strategies necessary to achieve, not only in academic pursuits, but also beyond. Everything Key School does is to facilitate the development of our students and provide them with a specialized environment where they can excel.

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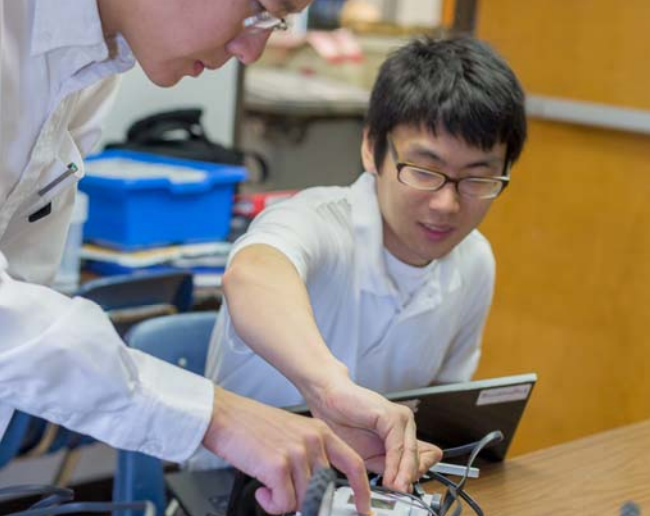
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Mary Ann Key

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Kerri Benson



# Letter from the President

On behalf of our Board of Directors, I want to thank everyone for another successful year at Key School. We had over 114 students in our 9-Month Program and 175 in our Summer Program. Words cannot express how honored we are to help children with learning differences succeed in the classroom.

We continued our marketing efforts that were initiated last year and our website is up and running. We hope you find the information on our website shows the great things Key School does in helping students achieve their own academic level of success.

We look forward to next year as we celebrate 50 years of serving kids with learning differences in the Fort Worth area. We are excited to embark on our strategic planning process early in the 2015-2016 school year.

As one of our parents, Theresa Greig said, "Sometimes Key School is for a season of your life, and sometimes Key School is forever. It just depends upon the child. But regardless of how long you've been there—a summer, a semester, a year, forever—everybody's lives are changed by the Key School experience."

Yes, our lives are changed by Key School and the kids we serve daily. I am very proud to be a part of Key School and its rich 50-year history.

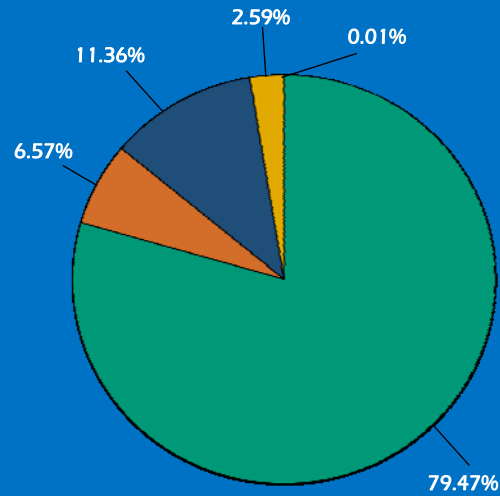
Sincerely,

Platt Allen III  
President

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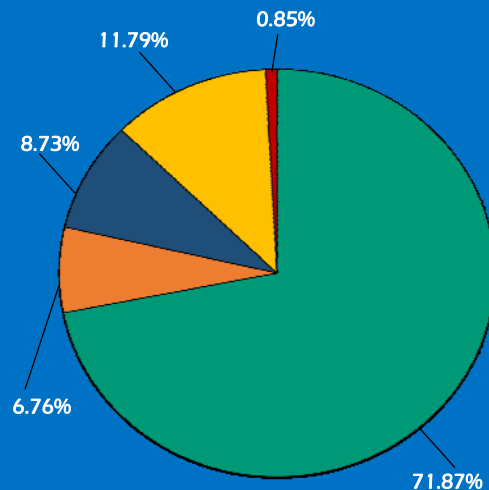
## Support and Revenue 2014-2015

Tuition	\$1,911,721
Books, Meals, Fees	\$ 158,078
Contributions	\$ 273,255
Fundraising Events	\$ 62,299
Interest Income	\$ 271
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$2,405,624</b>



## Expenses 2014-2015

Salaries and Related Benefits	\$1,644,062
Occupancy	\$ 154,524
Education Expenses	\$ 199,792
General and Administrative	\$ 269,661
Fundraising	\$ 19,498
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$2,287,537</b>



## Enrollment and Financial Aid

<b>Total Number of Students Serving During:</b>	<b>Financial Aid Awarded:</b>
Regular School	114
Summer Program	175
	\$129,600

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Special thanks to the Greig's  
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Left to right: Victoria, Lauryn, Theresa, Elizabeth,  
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