



Cuyahoga Falls City Schools
FRIEND OF EDUCATION AWARD

Certificate of Commendation

THIS CERTIFICATE IS PRESENTED TO

DR. JON MUNDORF
MS. KATE MUNDORF JOHNSON
DR. CHRIS MUNDORF

IN RECOGNITION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
RACHEL'S LIBRARY AT PRESTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

YOUR UNIQUE CONTRIBUTION TO OUR CHILDREN,
ESPECIALLY THOSE WHOSE LIVES ARE IMPACTED BY
LOSS, GRIEF, AND OTHER EMOTIONAL TRAUMA, WILL
PROVIDE A WARM AND WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT
TO STUDENTS IN NEED OF COMFORT AND HOPE.

Dr. Todd M. Nichols,
Superintendent/CEO

1/8/2020

Date

Ms. Karen Schofield,
President - Board of Education

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The Mundorf Family | Dr. Jon Mundorf, Ms. Kate Mundorf Johnson,
Dr. Chris Mundorf

Jon, Kate, and Chris Mundorf have established a special library in our district at Preston Elementary School that previously did not exist.

When the Mundorfs were deciding how to memorialize their mother (thirty years after her death), they realized that a library with materials related to trauma would be a perfect way to provide resources to the students in our district. When their mother passed away, they were students at Preston Elementary School. Although they received support from their teachers, counselors, staff, and friends, there were few library materials to help them work through their feelings of loss and grief. When they researched to see what materials were currently available to help current students and their families, they discovered there was still a void in this area. By reaching out to friends and family and establishing a social media page related to this mission, the Mundorfs were able to raise the funds needed to buy the resources for Rachel's Library. They purchased materials related to all kinds of trauma and created a warm and welcoming room at Preston where students and staff can find materials related to the trauma they are experiencing in their lives. It is the hope of the Mundorfs that Rachel's Library will continue to expand and find homes in many other buildings in our school district.

Thanks to their thoughtfulness, our students will have resources related to many forms of trauma that will help them work through their feelings during difficult periods in their lives.