

*Please Support the Curley K-8  
Auditorium Improvement Project!*



*Dear Families and Friends of the Curley K-8,*

As we enter this season of celebration and giving, we are asking for your support to ensure that Curley students receive a well-rounded education with strong academics as well as opportunities for arts, music, and dance.

While the Curley is very fortunate to have a large, beautiful auditorium in the building, parents and students are well aware of the auditory challenges we face in the space. During musical and dramatic performances, it can be difficult to hear performers, words get muffled, and audience members struggle to follow the action. So much work goes into preparing for these shows, and at present much is lost due to our aging sound system.

Given our commitment to the performing arts, this year we are focused on improving the auditorium to give the kids the facility they deserve. We would like to make the following investments:

- New audio equipment including new speakers, amplifier, and supporting gear
- Enhanced lighting
- Sound-enhancing materials for the walls and ceiling
- Repairs to seating on the main floor
- Assess costs and create action plan to restore the balcony to use with new seats and safety railings

As 2018 comes to an end, we kindly ask that you consider a **tax-deductible donation** in support of the Curley K-8's Auditorium Campaign. **Our goal is to raise \$25,000** to address the issues described above. Gifts of any amount help, so please forward this message to family, friends, colleagues, and any other potential supporters. Also, don't forget to ask if your company matches charitable donations – we are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.

Give online via Paypal ([www.paypal.me/curleyk8](http://www.paypal.me/curleyk8)), send in cash/check (payable to: *Friends of the Curley*) to your child's teacher, or mail your check to: Curley K-8 School SPC, 40 Pershing Road, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 Attn: Curley SPC Auditorium.

*We deeply appreciate your support and commitment to revitalizing the Curley School auditorium!*

Gratefully,  
**Curley School Parent Council and Principal Grassa**