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OVER 1,850 STUDENTS



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ISE is impacting four public schools and over 1,850 K-12 students through innovative and rigorous hands-on sustainable education in the classroom, cafeteria and community. We believe the best ideas are developed in community, not in isolation—YOU play an essential role.

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“Generation Growers” is an exciting new program. At the IHS entrance, we’re building a new public fruit and vegetable garden with a special focus: to bridge generations and lifestyles. The effort seeks to bring the older adults in our community together with our youth by encouraging them to work together on the challenges and rewards of a common garden.

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We all recognize the need for settings where young people can gain empathy and respect for their elders, while older generations can appreciate and invest in the lives of our youth.

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How to sustain the garden over the next 3-5 years and beyond:

- **Two Summer Jobs program (run thru IHS, paid by Federal Gov.)**
 - **STEAM Pathways (Design theory i.e. solar, water)**
- **Feoffee Grants for curriculum based on garden use/help from *Change is Simple***
 - **Will become a tradition of current IMS Green Team members, Sustainability Scholars and Community Service program at IHS (25 hrs)**
 - **The Gen Grower community participants**
 - **Green Team fund raising events**
 - **Sail + Yacht program workers**
- **A matching fund between the schools and a local company to cover maintenance and a stipend for a teacher to run Gen Grower program (estimate 3k per year)**

POTENTIAL

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BORGMAN • HACKETT • WAGNER • WEEDON • HACKETT • COLLIN
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ESTIMATED COSTS



DESIGN/PLAN: Donated by Rob Clocker, Nicole Whitten + Amy Borgman

LUMBER/MATERIALS: Locust \$10k

LABOR TO BUILD: Donated/Jamie Hickey & Jacob Borgman with a local volunteer crew

FABRIC, STONE DUST, PEA STONE: \$2K

COMPOST/SOIL: Compost donated, seeking soil donation

SEEDS: \$300

BARE ROOT FRUIT TREES: \$200

BENCHES, CAFE TABLES, CHESS/GAME TABLES: \$5K (donated thru fund raising “family” or biz names on aged brass plaques)

GRANITE for outdoor classroom: \$2K

SIGNAGE: \$1K

Total: 20K

Additional: Water cisterns (STEAM PROJECT)

Maintance:

- During school months: Gen Grower members, Green Teams, IHS Community Service
- Summer job/5 hours a week for upkeep: (60 hours at \$15 per hour)=\$900