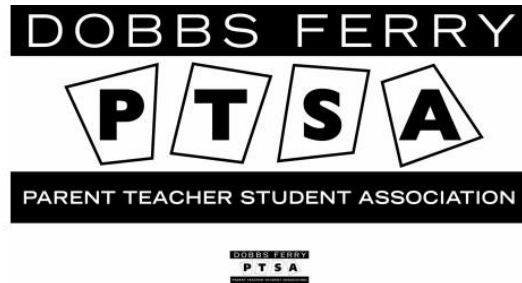
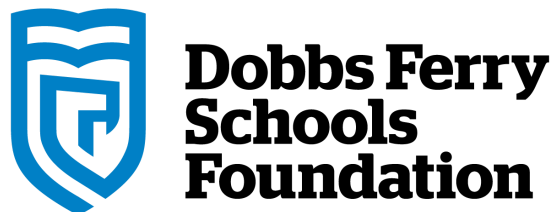


## Dobbs Ferry School District Parent Organizations



The Dobbs Ferry PTSA is a 100% volunteer-run organization, working together with the Dobbs Ferry School District to enhance the educational experience of every student. The mission of the PTA is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children. Membership is open to everyone who believes in the mission and purposes of the PTA. We collaborate with the district to fulfill this mission by advocating for the needs of the students on all levels, and by helping to support and fund programs that enrich the school curriculum. Our many initiatives include conceptualizing and implementing programs and services, fundraising for events and enrichment, and supporting the schools to help them bring some of their programs to life.

By joining and volunteering your time to the DFPTSA you become a member of a parent community with a shared passion for helping to provide a quality education and a nurturing environment for every child. Together we are the most powerful voice for our children. If you would like more information or to get involved and become a member please visit [www.dobbsptsa.org](http://www.dobbsptsa.org) or email us at [dobbsferrypta@gmail.com](mailto:dobbsferrypta@gmail.com)



The Dobbs Ferry Schools Foundation is a parent volunteer, local, tax-exempt, not-for-profit charitable organization with one purpose: we exist to provide financial resources that enhance the educational environment throughout the Dobbs Ferry Schools, enabling the District to provide opportunities to students that are not possible using District budget funds alone. We aim for excellence in all aspects of learning, supporting students to realize their full potential through resources and opportunities.

The Foundation works with our school administration, principals and faculty to accelerate innovation and to support strategic goals, programs, curriculum and equipment. The Foundation funds a wide array of programs, initiatives, and equipment in all aspects of our children's education including technology, the arts, academics, staff development, academic scholarships, playgrounds and other structural investments. The programs may target a specific class or grade, or an entire school. We were founded by Dobbs Ferry parents in 1994 and We were founded by Dobbs Ferry parents in 1994 and since that time we have raised over \$4.5 million through individual contributions, as well as through public and private grants. Our fundraising has included a spring Gala and auction, and a winter Annual Appeal. Please visit our website to learn more:

<https://www.dfsfoundation.org/>



Together for Dobbs Ferry Children

## **SPRING Community Partners**

SPRING Community Partners is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to building a strong foundation of support and belonging for children with limited resources in Dobbs Ferry. Operating primarily with parent, teacher and community volunteer support, SPRING provides access to a broad range of activities including enriching academic, extra-curricular, recreational, arts, music and social-emotional programming. As a bridge between school resources and community organizations, SPRING advocates on behalf of participants to ensure inclusion for all. In moments of crisis, SPRING offers assistance with basic needs. If you or someone you know could use help from SPRING, please contact us at [chair@springcommunitypartners.org](mailto:chair@springcommunitypartners.org) or call (914) 295-0184 and leave a message. If you would like to volunteer or contribute to SPRING, please visit <https://www.springcommunitypartners.org> or email [chair@springcommunitypartners.org](mailto:chair@springcommunitypartners.org)



## **Trailguides**

*A support network created by parents for parents in Dobbs Ferry who have a struggling learner: with an IEP, 504, or other learning difference. We connect parents to resources, programs, and other families in the area. In addition, we provide education and advocacy for families to help understand their rights, changes in the laws, and other issues. If you have questions regarding your students' needs, we connect you with the information, organizations, or people that can help. Above all, we believe that parents and guardians are their children's best advocates and we support families through the process. Please visit us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/dftrailguides/> Our email address is [dobbsferrytrailguides@gmail.com](mailto:dobbsferrytrailguides@gmail.com)*

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