Renzulli Learning Proven Differentiation

Funding Facts

Proven investment sources for Public School systems

More than 2,000,000 students have raised achievement through Renzulli Learning. Many of our schools have benefited from the following funding sources:

- <u>Title I</u> Renzulli Learning has proven to increase reading comprehension and reading fluency scores with Free/Reduced Lunch populations (Field, 2007).
- <u>Title II(D)</u> The primary goal of Title II(D) funds is to improve student academic achievement through the use of technology. Renzulli's web-based tool is a next generation, inquiry-based platform that applies technology to curriculum delivery and differentiation.
- <u>Special Education</u> The personalization of curriculum made possible through Renzulli
 allows special education populations to participate with engaging, visually-oriented
 resources suited to their strengths & abilities.
- <u>Restructuring School Funds</u> Many major urban school systems have incorporated the Renzulli program as a much-needed engagement initiative for schools facing Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) penalties.
- Intervention Funds Through "pilot" implementations that focus on student interests, administrators have discovered Renzulli's ability to reach behaviorally-challenged and atrisk populations. We provide much needed motivation for these students, which pay dividends through reduced disciplinary events and increased attention spans in class.
- <u>ESOL/ELL</u> Students complete the Profiler in their native language to accurately identify interests, expression and learning styles. Teachers can see a student's Profile in English and in their native language. Students are then assigned to their English language grade level within Renzulli Learning. Teachers leverage Renzulli Differentiation Engine and match ELL students to personalized learning activities matched to their strengths and interests. The end result is that students learn English faster and skills acquired through Renzulli ELLA are transferable to other subject areas.
- <u>Textbook Funds</u> Customers have used traditional textbook funds for Renzulli by categorizing our program as the next generation, personalized "textbook". This rationale is furthered by our unique ability to not only provide resources correlated to national & state standards, but to evolve the delivery of that content to incorporate individual student interests and learning styles.
- <u>Magnet Grants</u> Renzulli counts over 100 Magnet school customers around the country. Administrators have leveraged Renzulli's student personalization capabilities as a recruitment tool for attracting a diverse parent applicant-base. Our database also allows for seamless integration with all magnet themes.
- Instructional Technology Renzulli develops students and teachers' technology skills
 by providing an easy-to-use curriculum application. Many customers have shifted their
 Instructional Technology budget priorities from teaching technology as an end-unto-itself
 (mouse skills, keyboard skills, etc...) to a means-the-the-end of enabling great teaching
 and learning.







- <u>Parent Organizations</u> Due to Renzulli's personalized approach to teaching each parent's child, as well as the Parent Portal - which allows parents to proactively support their child's achievement - many PTA / PTO organizations have supported to program fiscally.
- After School Programs Dozens of customers have partnered with their after school providers to fund a Renzulli investment. These strategic alliances enable a continuum of learning by providing a means to accomplish a "beyond-the-bell" curricular handshake.
- <u>Corporate Partners</u> Renzulli provides a highly visible connection to the local community. Technology, community center, and financial companies have all funded our program thanks to administrator fund-raising efforts.
- 21st Century Grants Renzulli Learning is available for students, parents, teachers, and administrators 24 hours a day, 7 days a week which provides opportunities to increase achievement during school, after school, and over holiday and summer breaks.
- <u>Distance Learning</u> Through basic internet connectivity, teachers and students can safely and securely collaborate on lessons, assignments, and projects. This "anywhere, anytime" portability has afforded districts with the justification to use funds assigned to supporting rural, trade, and transportation-challenged populations.
- <u>Professional Development</u> We provide a host of Professional Development services that empower educators with an easy-to-use scaffolding approach for the implementation of differentiated instruction.
- <u>"Virtual" Teacher Aides</u> Several innovative customers have re-allocated parttime headcount funds to an investment in Renzulli. Thanks to our automated resource match-making process, teachers are able keep the entire class on task with less need for classroom aides.
- Homeless Grants Given the transient nature of homeless students, Renzulli's
 portability has been cited as a solution to tracking the progress and portfolio of this
 population.

Based on our research on increasing test scores, we've found that your students <u>crave a tangible connection between the classroom & their lives</u> — we believe our personal interest-driven mindset establishes that missing connection. Because you've invested the time to consider these funding ideas, we trust you agree - we're providing a desperately needed, forward-thinking solution to raising achievement. Thanks for your support,

