

# Riverside Education Innovation District

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**A bold initiative to improve educational outcomes and invest in the Near Northwest Area, the Riverside Education Innovation District is preparing to reimagine education.**

The Riverside Education Innovation District (REID) is powerful because it is driven by the needs & desires of local leaders and educators.

**48.1% of Near Northwest Area students pass the IREAD-3.** REID begins with a commitment to walk alongside neighboring schools to meet state standards of 95% IREAD-3 pass rate by 2029 and advance educational attainment in the community.

**Nationally recognized, Marian's Klipsch Educators College shapes the educators of tomorrow and offers award-winning educational outreach programming to support educators and learners of all ages.**

## For Educators

Science of Reading aligned professional development, K-12 support, and evidence-based programs to foster student success.



## For Adult Learners

Adult Education, English Language classes, and programs to prepare for high school equivalency or workforce development.



## For The Community

A hub for education and innovation at the former Larue Carter campus to advance lifelong learning for the Near Northwest and beyond.



REID is supported by the community, trusted partners, and Marian University's leadership and Board of Trustees.

Contact Dr. Lee Ann Kwiatkowski to learn about partnering with Marian University in your school at [lkwiatkowski1@marian.edu](mailto:lkwiatkowski1@marian.edu)

While Marian University spearheads this initiative, this work cannot be done alone. Your financial support will make a difference in the lives of children, educators, and an entire community for generations to come.

## Support the Future of Education

Can be customized to meet your philanthropy goals.

### Tutor Training

**\$4,000**

The #1 request of community members is to be trained in the Science of Reading to support emerging readers in schools and at home. Funding includes training and materials for Tutors, Instructional Assistants, Volunteers, and Parents.

### In-Person Professional Development

**\$4,000**

Professional development for one Near Northwest Area school. Sessions on the National Reading Panel's five areas of reading, Strategies for Multilingual Learners, Language Comprehension instruction for staff. Ongoing onsite coaching services also provided.

### Family Literacy

**\$10,000**

Support families of K-12 students in enhancing their English language skills. Sessions take place at the schools, providing a familiar and accessible environment for 10-15 participants. Individual training for workforce certification in hospitality field, also available.

### Science of Reading Masters Degree

**\$16,000**

Sponsor a Near Northwest Educator in becoming a Science of Reading expert with a 34-credit hour Master's Degree in the Science of Reading.

### Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)

**\$20,000**

Sponsor the annual Indy STEM Alliance Spring Showcase or Robotics competition. This gift level secures a venue, and covers the cost for materials, enrollment efforts, catering, and trained staff.

### Dedicated Science of Reading Support Specialist

**\$100,000**

A dedicated Science of Reading Support Specialist to provide on-going, job-embedded professional development in the Science of Reading for K-3 teachers at all elementary REID schools for a year.



#### FOR MORE INFORMATION

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