



November 20, 2017

Dear Parents, Guardians and Friends of Katherine Michiels School,

The holiday season for giving is approaching as we enter the last two months of the 2017 calendar year. This is the time of year when we write to ask you to think of all your children's teachers at KMS. Annually we collect this money from our community to use for an annual bonus given to each and every one of our AMAZING faculty. Members of the administration are not recipients of the benefits of this fund as they want all your appreciation to get awarded to the teachers they rely on everyday. We hope that you will be able to give to this year's campaign. No amount is too small.

Each day at KMS brings joy, growth, learning, exploring and shared educational experiences as our teachers give to all the students. The 2016 – 2017 school year provided a lot of unforeseen challenge where everyone held strong together. Please visit our photo/video library to view and enjoy some of what this year has provided so far.

<http://kmsosf.org/photo-albums-2017-18/>

It is now time to show the KMS teachers and staff your appreciation. Your participation will bring additional joy to our teachers as they continue to provide your children the highest quality in education; your gift will encourage staff retention and job appreciation. Please use your annual fund envelope received at parent teacher conferences. We have extra envelopes in the cubby area or you can use the website link:

[Donate to KMS Annual Fund](#)

We are grateful to continue to have you as a member of our community and we hope that you and your family have much to be thankful for during this season of giving.

Thank you in advance for your continued support of Open Mind's Katherine Michiels School.

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