

AAUW FUNDS

The AAUW Fund goes to where the need is greatest. Unrestricted gifts to this fund support existing programs and give AAUW the dexterity to act quickly and responsibly in the wake of any new challenges facing women and girls.

The Leadership Programs Fund supports programs that develop women's potential to lead in their schools, communities, and country. It supports all the following tax-deductible programs:

- National Conference for College Women Student Leaders (NCCWSL) attendees develop their leadership skills, networks, and ambition at this three-day conference held annually in the Washington, D.C. area. This fund provides financial assistance to young women who would be otherwise unable to attend the conference.
- Campus Action Projects award grants to campus leaders who deliver programs guided by AAUW research to address a gender-based issue in their campus communities.
- Elect Her teaches young women leaders to run for student government and future office. This program has increased the number of women running for and winning campus positions.
- Start Smart. These salary negotiation workshops provide college women who are approaching the job market with the knowledge and skills to negotiate salaries and benefits.

The Educational Opportunities Fund supports educational and lifelong learning opportunities that give women a chance for a lifetime of success. Donations to this fund support the following tax-deductible programs:

- Fellowships and Grants
- Tech Trek educates and inspires rising eighth-grade girls across the country in science, technology, engineering, and math through weeklong camps.

The Eleanor Roosevelt Fund supports AAUW research to provide analysis, data, and accurate information about issues that are important to women and girls. Past reports include *Solving the Equation: The Variables for Women's Success in Engineering and Computing* (2015) and *Graduating to a Pay Gap: The Earnings of Women and Men One Year after College Graduation* (2012).

The Legacy Advocacy Fund supports the protection of the legal rights of those who are facing sex discrimination and sexual harassment. Donations to this fund support the following tax-deductible programs:

- Case support protects LAF plaintiffs by supporting workplace sex discrimination cases.
- Travel and Education Grants inform AAUW members through educational programs delivered by LAF plaintiffs and lawyers about legal rights.
- Campus Outreach Projects protect college students from discrimination, harassment, and assault through on-campus program grants.

The Public Policy Fund supports advocacy for public policies and laws that are fair to women.

The AAUW Action Fund advances equity for women and girls through member activism and voter mobilization.

Donations to **Brevard Branch operating expenses** will be used to offset the costs of programs, yearbook, newsletters and costs supporting other local causes.