



Employer Matching Gifts and Volunteer Incentive Programs

Your contributions can have twice (or even triple) the impact if you participate in your company's matching gift and volunteer incentive programs!

A **Matching Gift Program** allows a company to match an employee's contribution to a non-profit organization. For example, an employee may donate \$900.00 to **Can Do!** and the employer will match or even triple the contribution.

A **Volunteer Incentive Program** allows a company to make a contribution to an organization of the employee's choice in exchange for volunteer time at the organization. For example, 20 volunteer hours may be matched by an employer at \$500.00 or more.

Here's How it Works:

- ♦ **Matching Gift Program:** The employee completes one part of the employer's application form and submits the form with a donation to **Can Do!**. Once the donation is received, **Can Do!** completes the second part of the application and returns it to the corporation. Within a period of three months to one year, upon approval, the corporation will match the employee's gift.
- ♦ **Volunteer Incentive Program:** The Volunteer Incentive Program recognizes an employee's contribution of time and talent to nonprofit organizations such as **Can Do!**. Under this program, employees are eligible to apply for a grant on behalf of our qualified organization where they have volunteered 20 hours or more during the year.

Not all companies advertise these programs, so be sure to ask your Human Resources Department or the Employee Benefits Department if they are available. These programs are a seldom-used benefit that helps our school district and the employee at the same time.

Keep in mind - most companies also make it easy to process your company match donation online. If that's the case, just let us know by checking the "processed online" box on the **Can Do!** remit envelope. We'll take care of the rest!

Start Now! Sometimes it takes a while for the process to be completed. Some employers only give 60 days to match and others give a year. To ensure that your employer matches your donation, please make this request as soon as possible. What a great and easy way to double or even triple your gift to the children of the Dixie School District!

Questions? Contact the **Can Do!** office at 492-3500.

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Can Do! ♦ Dixie Home & School ♦ Mary Silveira Home & School ♦ Vallecito PTA/ Home & School ♦ Miller Creek Home & School

Can Do!

The following companies have contributed over \$40,000
in Matching Gifts

Adobe	John Wiley & Sons
American Express	Kaiser Permanente
Autodesk	Levi Strauss Foundation
Bank of America	Macy's Foundation
Bank of New York Mellon	Met Life
Charles Schwab	New York Life Insurance
Chevron	NIKE
City National Bank	Novartis
Diageo	Oracle
Dolby Labs	PG&E
Fair Isaac	Salesforce.com
Fidelity Investments	Symantec
Forest Labs	Tellabs
Gap Foundation	Union Bank Foundation
GE	United Way
Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation	US Bancorp Foundation
	Wells Fargo

DOES YOUR COMPANY MATCH?

Ask your human resources department today!

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