



our challenge

On July 7, 1986 , with little fanfare, The Therapeutic Learning Center officially opened its door to serve children born with a disability. Over the course of 15 years TLC struggled to identify a stable source of funding for the program until the St. Johns County School Board approved its admission as a Charter School . Today it is one of few programs left in Florida that serves children from birth to 5.

The capacity of the current rental facility can only serve 22 children, and there is no space for future expansion.

With the security of operational funding from the School Board, TLC has a plan to build a permanent home which will ideally serve the educational and therapeutic needs of these children and many more with similar disabilities.



The T.L.C. Home Campaign



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Therapeutic Learning Center
A Special Place for Kids with Special Needs



community need

With St. Johns County projected to grow by 35,000 people over the next five years, it is reasonable to expect a rapid growth in the number of children needing the services of TLC to meet their very specific needs. Currently there are over 2,000 children enrolled in a special education kindergarten and pre-kindergarten program in the St. Johns County public schools. If we were to serve only 3% of this population in the early intervention program from birth to age 3 we will need to plan on serving 60 children in the new facility. The Capital Campaign will also serve as an educational program to make people aware of this valuable educational service for at risk children.

More than 50 years of research reveal both quantitative and qualitative evidence that early intervention increases the develop-



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Uniquely designed for kids with developmental disabilities



mental and educational gains for the child, improves the functioning of the family and reaps long-term benefits for society. The child's increased developmental and educational gains can decrease dependence upon social institutions, help the family cope with its child's disability and assist the child's ability to gain continuing employment throughout his or her adult years.

Commemorative Recognition

As a donor to the TLC Home Campaign, there are a variety of recognition opportunities available, including a ceramic tile mural recognizing those who contribute \$1,000 or more, and a donor plaque which will be displayed in the main meeting room.

Donors who give \$30,000 or more will have an opportunity to name specific parts of the TLC Home. TLC is an extraordinary program that provides a valuable service to children with special needs. The Donor Recognition Program welcomes donors to memorialize or honor distinguished individuals and groups by connecting their names with the Therapeutic Learning Center mission.

Naming Opportunities & Mural

The TLC Building Dedication	\$300,000
Kourtney's Corner (family counseling)	\$300,000
The TLC Honors Pavilion	\$150,000
The TLC Administrative Suite	\$150,000
Learning Center/Class Room	\$ 75,000
Kitchen & Conference	\$ 50,000
Memory Keeper's Sensory Garden	\$ 50,000
TLC Adventure Park/Playground	\$ 50,000
Reception Porte Coche	\$ 30,000
Old School Bell/Friendship Tower	\$ 30,000
Mural	
Leadership	\$ 25,000
Community Partner	\$ 10,000
Sponsor	\$ 5,000
Patron	\$ 1,000
Wall of Honor	
Advocate	\$ 750
Friend	\$ 500
Donor	\$ 100
Contributor	\$ 25

It is my/our intention to contribute \$_____ each Year Quarter Month (circle one) for the next five years in support of the fundraising campaign to build The Therapeutic Learning Center. It is my/our intention to make the first payment in _____/_____/_____, (date).

May we include your name, without amount, in our list of commemorative levels?
 Yes No

Signature: _____

Name (please print): _____

How would you like your gift listed in the commemorative levels or named opportunities?

Name (please print): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Commemorative Contribution Levels