

## Gift Giving Guide



## Changing the Employment Landscape for Youth with Behavioral Health Needs

## Campaign Goal: \$1,018,000 Neighbors You will receive grateful acknowledgment. Any gift up to \$999 Fields of Dreams Your name will be recognized in our newsletters and listed in our Capital Campaign updates. \$1,000 - \$2,499 All offered above, plus your name will be recognized on a **Building Futures** \$2,500 - \$4,999 plaque in our building. Acres of Tomorrow\* All offered above, but listed on a larger plaque in \$5,000 - \$9,999 our building. Community Partners\* All offered above but listed on a larger plaque. \$10,000 - \$24,999 All offered above plus metal plates on equipment in the Harvesting Hope\* \$25,000 - \$49,999 kitchen or farm. All offered above but your name will be recognized on an Sustaining Stars\* individual plaque placed prominently in our building. \$50,000 - \$99,999 All offered above plus your names at the main entrance of Chefs Table\* \$100,000 - \$249,999 our building. Founding Leaders\* At these levels, we will customize your naming rights in a manner that best honors your wishes. \$250,000 - \$500,000

\* Donors at the Acres of Tomorrow Level and above will be provided with naming or sponsorship rights at our Laurel campus. This list of benefits is a guide to ways we might honor your partnership in making our vision a reality. If you have suggestions about other ways you would like to be recognized, our Development Department is happy to work with you. For example, logos on student shirts, on produce packaging, signage on our fleet of vehicles, and signage in and around our campus are potential options.

All pledges \$25,000 or more are payable over two years.

Your generous support is greatly appreciated and will offer our youth hope.

## To be of use

by Marge Piercy

The people I love the best jump into work head first without dallying in the shallows and swim off with sure strokes almost out of sight. They seem to become natives of that element, the black sleek heads of seals bouncing like half-submerged balls.

I love people who harness themselves, an ox to a heavy cart, who pull like water buffalo, with massive patience, who strain in the mud and the muck to move things forward, who do what has to be done, again and again.

I want to be with people who submerge in the task, who go into the fields to harvest and work in a row and pass the bags along, who are not parlor generals and field deserters but move in a common rhythm when the food must come in or the fire be put out.

The work of the world is common as mud.

Botched, it smears the hands, crumbles to dust.

But the thing worth doing well done
has a shape that satisfies, clean and evident.

Greek amphoras for wine or oil,

Hopi vases that held corn, are put in museums
but you know they were made to be used.

The pitcher cries for water to carry
and a person for work that is real.