

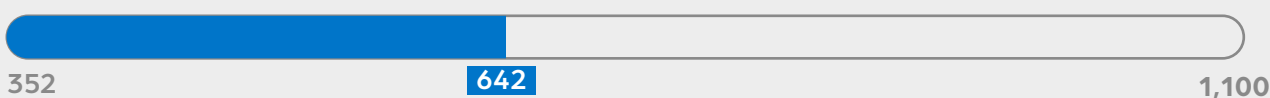
PATHWAYS to OPPORTUNITY *campaign*

In 2025, Breakthrough Central Texas launched its most ambitious initiative yet. On October 1, we publicly unveiled the Pathways to Opportunity Campaign, a bold \$30 million accelerator fund designed to expand educational opportunity for thousands of students across Central Texas.

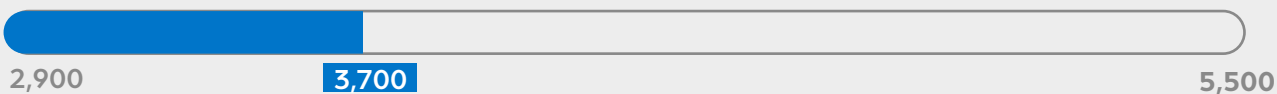
Thanks to tremendous early support from campaign chairs and donors, Breakthrough had already raised \$24.8 million toward its \$30 million goal as December 31, 2025, with significant matching challenge grant by Christie and Clint Bybee and Carolyn and Jack Long encouraging others to invest in student success. This campaign represents more than a fundraising effort — it's an investment in the future of students, families, and the Central Texas community, unlocking the power of education and a lifetime of opportunity.

With your support, we were able to make significant progress towards our goals.

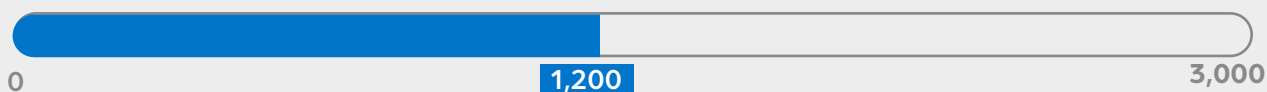
Triple the number of Breakthrough students graduating college each year, celebrating 1,100 total first-generation college graduates by 2029



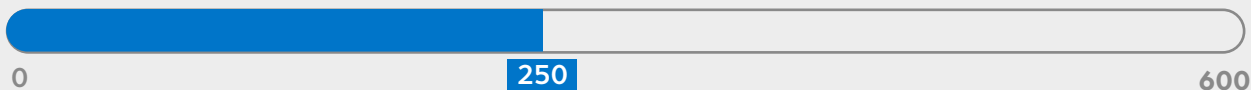
Nearly double the number of students engaged in Breakthrough to 5,500 served by 2029



Admit more than 3,000 new middle school & high school students to Breakthrough over the next 5 years



Provide invaluable field experience to 600 Summer Teaching Fellows and Student Advocacy Fellows, fueling a diverse pipeline of future educators and community leaders



Expand the Schoolwide Program to transform high school campuses and bring Breakthrough's radical long-term commitment to more students



Eastside ECHS is serving an academically diverse group of students whose wide-ranging strengths, needs, and experiences are giving us powerful insight into how to better support postsecondary success. What we're learning from this diverse student community is directly strengthening the Schoolwide Program model and guiding how we expand it to an additional campus.

Breakthrough creates cohorts of students and faculty, a community that supports them and shows them the way to a future they might not have otherwise considered. With the Pathways to Opportunity Campaign, we can grow and bring the support of Breakthrough to more students, showing them the possibilities and options they have!

Mary Beth Canfield
Campaign Co-Chair | Pathways Investor



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When I hear about the incredible Pathways to Opportunity Campaign, I’m excited that thousands more students will be able to find a home in the Breakthrough community. That more will be able to envision themselves going to college. That more will be able to defy expectations and realize their dreams.

Jeremiah
Breakthrough Alum

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