

RE: Your Business and the Alcott Community!

Dear Local Business,

Friends of Alcott, a non-profit 501(c)3 organization, conducted one of its first corporate sponsorship drives in the Fall of 2023 to raise funds for Alcott College Prep, a public elementary school in the Lincoln Park neighborhood of Chicago. Alcott serves over 600 students in Pre-Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. That corporate sponsorship drive raised over \$15,000, but we heard from businesses that they still wanted to support the school even though the official drive ended. For this reason, we are continuing to secure sponsorships throughout 2024. We would like to ask for your support and for your business to become a corporate sponsor of Friends of Alcott for the calendar year 2024.

We hope for corporate sponsorships to be a significant fundraiser for Alcott. The funds FOA raises support, among other things:

- Infrastructure upgrades and renovations;
- Instructional materials, curriculum, and other programming;
- Teacher salaries; and
- School improvements and maintenance.

Chicago Public Schools continue to face budget shortfalls. The good news is that the Alcott community and families are dedicated to doing our part to maintain Alcott's position as a top-ranked public elementary school. We rely on generous donations from businesses like yours to continue our achievements year after year.

Sponsors will have their brand, product or business featured to the Alcott community in a variety of ways depending on your sponsorship level. Enclosed are the corporate sponsorship opportunities that are available for your business. With over 600 students and hundreds of families considered part of the Alcott community, this could be immense exposure for your business.

Alcott is more than just an elementary school – it's a tight-knit family of educators, students and parents. We hope you will be a part of this year's success by becoming a corporate sponsor. If you would like to participate, please complete the attached Sponsorship Form or reach out to our Corporate Sponsorship Committee with any questions you may have.

Thank you in advance for your generous support,

2023-2024 Alcott Corporate Sponsorship Committee Ron Chan • Myra Mormile-Wolper alcottsponsors@gmail.com



