



San José Public Library  
Foundation

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Annual Report

2019

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Dear friends,

I'm so excited to share this annual report with you! As you will see in the following pages, 2019 was an incredible year for the Library Foundation. As you helped us to exceed our fundraising goals, we brought on new staff and board members, and - most importantly - we saw true impact from the programs that you make possible.

One of the many memorable moments from 2019 happened during the August graduation of Career Online High School students. We had our largest graduating class to date and each student was so happy to finally achieve their diploma that will open career opportunities and builds their self-confidence. Most

graduates bring their family and close friends to the ceremony in City Hall Rotunda and this was also the first year that all graduates spoke at the microphone about their experience and gratitude to the Library for enabling and encouraging them. All of that was wonderful, but the moment that sticks in my memory is as a Latinx man in his mid-thirties steps off the stage after receiving his diploma and a hug from City Librarian, Jill Bourne, and a young child dressed in pink confectionary launches herself at him exclaiming, "Daddy, Daddy, you did it!"

Your gift to the Library Foundation makes it possible for moments like this for your neighbors

to achieve their dreams, build a life with more options to thrive, and inspire their children and friends to do the same. For each one of us, the Library is a place to follow our curiosity, learn new skills, get help, and connect with others. I hope you use your local library often and well in 2020.

Thank you for your support and for investing in the future of our Library!

Dawn Coppin



2019 snapshot



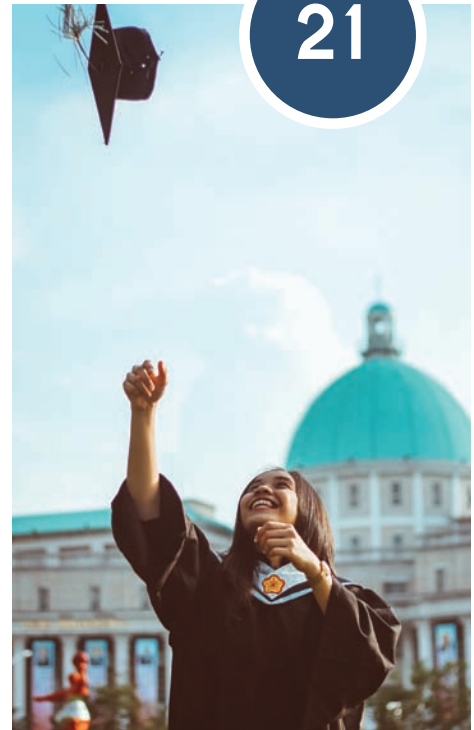
"SJ Aspires showed me what it takes to get to college and understand the college application process. My parents didn't have a college education—I'll be the first in my family to go to college. I'm excited to use my scholarship next year!"

- JESUS, incoming freshman, San José State University

### SAN JOSÉ ASPIRES

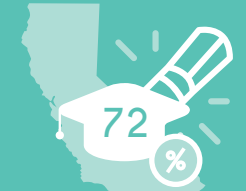
Users have graduated high school and enrolled at a post-secondary institution

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### CAREER ONLINE HIGH SCHOOL

has a 72% graduation rate, the highest in CA



### WEE PROGRAMS



78% of caregivers report they read more to their child due to library programs



95% of caregivers report they are more engaged with their child's learning



### PARTNERS IN READING

pairs ESL adults with tutors to learn English

Over 50% of adults in San José speak a language other than English at home



In 2018-19 there were 242 ESL class sessions and 377 adult learners







“We have this one student who came to us at the beginning of the school year...he was really behind. He didn't know how to read. We worked with him one-on-one and saw his growth from the beginning of the school year, when he barely knew his ABC's and could hardly spell his name, to the end of the school year when he was reading at grade level!”

-Program Staff, Moreland School District (SJ Learns grant recipient)

### SUMMER LEARNING



Participated in Summer Learning Initiative



### SJPL WORKS



96% report they gained knowledge to help with business/career goals



### SAN JOSÉ LEARNS



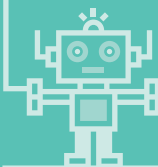
87% of students showed academic growth



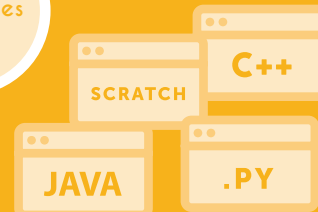
### CODING5K

over 6,000 unduplicated learners in coding or robotics programs

in 2018-2019



coding languages taught



In one year Coding5K grew from 5 branches to being offered at all 25 Library branches





## San Jose Public Library Foundation

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acknowledges the following supporters for their commitment to our libraries through gifts received in 2019.

*\*Please note: we do not give out the names of our individual supporters in order to respect their privacy. They are also a significant source of income for the foundation and we are so thankful for each of them.*

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Library Tier \$100K+

- \*Alaska Airlines
- \*\*Apple, Inc.
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- KLA+ Foundation
- \*Sobrato Family Foundation

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Paperback Tier \$10K+

- Boston Properties
- City of San José, District 3
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- ROEM Development Corporation

Board Book Tier <\$10K

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*\*Multi-year gift  
\*\*Part of this gift was in-kind*

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## Legacy Society

**SJPLF Legacy Society** is for those who have informed us they have included San Jose Public Library Foundation in their estate plans. We are so grateful for the generosity and forethought of these individuals:

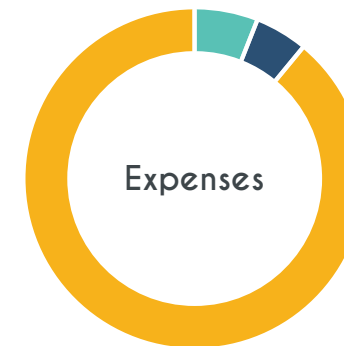
Rose Crimi  
Susan J. Devencenzi  
Tom and Carol Langston  
Patty and Stephen Z L Tsai  
Patricia and Richard Wolfe

*\*Above names are to the best of our knowledge, please let us know if your name is missing above and you have left us in your will so we can update our records.*

## 2019 Financial Snapshot



Government	1,676,341.33	59%
Foundation	536,348.00	19%
Corporate	293,386.72	10%
Individuals	268,129.64	9.5%
Other	68,176.08	2.5%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>2,822,381.77</b>	



Program	2,521,382.00	89%
Administration	175,888.92	6%
Fundraising	139,665.00	5%
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>2,836,935.92</b>	
Net Revenue	(5,445.85)	

### Balance Sheet

Assets: \$4,335,983      Liabilities: \$1,303,430

*Numbers above are unaudited. For our most recent financial audit, please visit [sjplf.org](http://sjplf.org).*



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