

PATHWAYS · BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA

2027 Sponsorship **Opportunities**

Invest in Monroe County's youngest learners and the families behind them.

Compass Early Learning Center · Family Resource Center · Your Path



WHY PATHWAYS

Strong families start early

Since 1939, Pathways has helped Bloomington families build stable lives. We do it through two programs under one roof: **Compass Early Learning Center**, with accredited, full-day care for children ages 1 to 5 on a sliding fee scale, and our **Family Resource Center**, with weekly groceries, essentials, emergency help and Your Path mentoring for parents. Every sponsorship stays right here in Monroe County.

1939
serving Monroe County families

94
children in our care at a time

100%
of families working or in school

"This is more than a school. It's more like a family."

Sarah, Compass parent since 2020, now saving for her first home through Your Path

AT A GLANCE

Five ways to partner in 2027

Our 2027 goal is **$226,158** from business and community partners. Every level makes a real difference.

1	**Family Sponsorship** A family's year of groceries, essentials and child care	**$3,150 – $6,402**
2	**Shared Start** NEW One-third of a preschooler's tuition, so their family pays $20 a week	**$2,870 per year**
3	**Classroom Sponsorship** Your name on a Compass classroom for a full year	**$5,479 – $9,013**
4	**Your Path Sponsorship** A parent's year of one-on-one mentoring toward stability	**$700 – $4,800**
5	**Paths to Prosperity** Sponsor our biggest night of the year in February	**$100 – $3,000**

More ways to help

- Teacher Appreciation Week · $250
- Summer swimming · $3,000
- Diapers, hygiene & pantry items
- Arts & Crafts, one year · $2,500
- Child Sponsorship · $4,800
- Business Partner discounts for families

Ask us for details on any of these.



OPPORTUNITY 1 · WHOLE-FAMILY SUPPORT

Family Sponsorship

Stand behind one Pathways family for a full year. Your gift brings weekly groceries, affordable child care and a safety net for life's emergencies, so parents can keep working and children can keep learning.

FULL SPONSORSHIP

$6,402

Weekly groceries, hygiene products, subsidized child care and Opportunity Fund support for one family for a year.

You receive

- "Presented by" title recognition, logo on our website and monthly newsletter thanks
- An employee volunteer day
- VIP tour and family event invitations
- A custom impact report and your family's story

PARTIAL SPONSORSHIP

$3,150

Weekly groceries and a partial child care subsidy for one family for a year.

You receive

- Logo on our sponsor page and in our annual report
- An employee service shift
- Family event invitation
- An impact snapshot report

Add to any sponsorship

Diapers & wipes for a year $648 · Morning snacks for a year $117 · 6 weeks of swim lessons $42 · One therapy session $125



OPPORTUNITY 2 · NEW FOR 2027

Shared Start

Same classroom. Same start.

Most Compass preschoolers attend for about $20 a week thanks to MCCSC referendum preschool or child care vouchers. Some children qualify for neither, and their families face $115 to $230 a week for the very same classroom. Shared Start closes that gap.

One-third	One-third	One-third
Family sponsor	Parent's employer	Community fund

Together they cover the cost, and the family pays $20 a week, just like their classmates.

YOUR SHARE, PER CHILD

$2,870	$2,985	$5,855
2027–28 school year	2028–29 school year	two-year total, about $244 a month

Two ways to join: sponsor a child's share as an individual, family, business or group, or, as an employer, cover the share for your own employee's child. Our first group of 11 children starts preschool in August 2027.



OPPORTUNITY 3 · COMPASS EARLY LEARNING CENTER

Classroom Sponsorship

Put your name on one of Compass's six classrooms for a year. Your gift covers what other funding doesn't: tuition subsidies, books, furniture, and learning and sensory materials for a safe, joyful place to grow.

Puffins	**$9,013 / year**
Sea Turtles	**$8,200 / year**
Sea Horses	**$6,145 / year**
Dolphins, Penguins or Otters	**$5,479 / year each**

Your team in the classroom

- A personal tour of your class
- Lunch with the class for up to 4 of your team
- Volunteer: reading, circle time or chaperoning a field trip

Recognition

- A plaque outside your classroom
- Logo and link on our website for 12 months
- Annual report, e-newsletter and press release
- 4 tickets to Paths to Prosperity



OPPORTUNITY 4 · ECONOMIC MOBILITY

Your Path Sponsorship

Give a parent a year of one-on-one mentoring, a supportive peer group and goal incentives, focused on what their family needs most. Progress is tracked every quarter with the research-based Bridge assessment.

$700
per family

Financial Resilience

Pay down debt, build an emergency fund, or plan for a big purchase.

$3,900
per family

Well-Being

Mental and physical health goals, with counseling and peer support.

$4,800
per family

Family Stability

Reliable transportation, safe and stable housing, or legal and financial planning.

Every Your Path sponsor receives: logo on our program website for 12 months, an Annual Report listing, a family event invitation, a custom impact report and an e-newsletter spotlight.

Well-Being and Family Stability sponsors also get: a private campus tour, a corporate volunteer day, and 2 or 4 tickets to Paths to Prosperity.

OPPORTUNITY 5 · PATHWAYS' BIGGEST FUNDRAISER

Paths to Prosperity

February 2027 · 200+ guests · $25,000+ raised for families

A night of fellowship and fun that powers our programs all year. Event sponsors cover the cost of the evening, so more of every dollar raised goes straight to families.

Level	Gift	Tickets	Recognition
Presenting	**$3,000**	8	Reserved table, plus everything below
Bar	**$1,500**	6	Listing in the event invitation, plus everything below
Platinum	**$1,000**	6	Pre-event emails, logo displayed at the event, first option to renew, plus everything below
Gold	**$500**	4	Logo on our website, plus everything below
Silver	**$250**	2	Recognition during the program and on social media, plus everything below
Bronze	**$100**	1	Logo in event materials



HOW TO SPONSOR

Ready to partner?

1. Choose the opportunity that fits your goals.
2. Scan the code or visit btownpathways.org/sponsor to sign up.
3. We'll follow up with everything you need, including payment options.

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Don't see the right fit? We're happy to design a partnership around your goals.

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