



The **PTA Shoe Fund Program** is a vital initiative aimed at providing shoes to students in need within our school community. We believe that every child deserves to start the school year on the right foot, literally! Our program ensures that students have access to footwear so they can confidently step into the classroom and face the challenges of their education.

#### How it works:

**Identification of Student Need:** Our dedicated counselors and student support advocates are always on the lookout for students who may need new shoes. They use their experience and observations to identify those who could benefit from the *Shoe Fund Program*.

**Reach out to the Shoe Fund Chairperson:** Once a student in need is identified, our counselors and student support advocates contact the chairperson and initiates the process to get shoes.

**Elementary Students:** For our youngest learners our chairperson personally shops and selects the shoes after information is provided for each child. We believe in the importance of a proper fit and comfortable shoes to support a child's growth and development.

**Middle and High School Students:** Older students are provided with a gift certificate to purchase shoes that suit their style and size preference. This approach promotes independence and allows them to take an active role in their well-being.

**Your Support Matters!** By supporting the *PTA Shoe Fund Program*, you directly impact the lives of students in our community. With your generous contributions, we can continue to expand our reach and help even more students this year.

**How your PTA can help:** Donate, every dollar counts and goes to purchasing shoes or gift certificates for students. Spread the Word, share information about the *PTA Shoe Fund Program* within our community. **Good Shoes Take You Places!** Join us in making a positive impact on the lives of our students.

For more information, reach out to Jocelyn Sievers-Bailey, the Shoe Fund Chairperson for the 2025-2026 School year. 425-343-7335 or [shoefund@everettsacouncil.org](mailto:shoefund@everettsacouncil.org)