

BROCK YARD REVIVAL

BROCK SCHOOL NEEDS A YARD AS VIBRANT AS ITS COMMUNITY

Brock Public School (est.1887) is a community school serving 310 students from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 8, within a diverse community of mixed-income families in Toronto's west end. The school also houses Brock Early Learning Centre, a non-profit daycare serving 131 children aged 18 months to 10 years. Despite its foundational role in the community, the school's outdoor space is in **desperate need** of revitalization, and we are seeking financial support from business leaders to create a space to for our community to learn, play, and thrive.

The NEED

The Brock PS schoolyard is in dire need of renewal. Currently, it is a barren expanse of wood chips that lacks shade, greenery, or play structures, or a track - all of which are essential for the physical, social, and developmental needs of the children and all those who use it daily.

Brock PS is in one of the most economically diverse ridings in Toronto. In recent years, there has been a large increase in local developments that has not been met with a similar influx of greenspace. As a result, our schoolyard is an increasingly important green and outdoor space for the broader community.

Revitalizing the schoolyard will transform it into a vibrant space that supports the development of positive mental health, well-being and growth. Adding greenery, shaded areas, and outdoor teaching spaces will create a pleasant environment for learning and play. New seating, an outdoor stage, a track, and play structures will encourage social interaction, imaginative play and physical activity.

The ASK

We are in the final year of a three-year fundraising campaign, and have raised \$25,000 through school events and parents donations. Now, we are turning to community leaders like you to help us close the remaining gap to our **\$125,000 goal**. We are seeking your support to help make this vision a reality.

The BENEFITS

Your generous support will provide students with a safe, inclusive, and inspiring place to play and grow. In recognition of your contribution, you will receive:

- Permanent recognition on a customized plaque at our school.*
- Acknowledgment in our communications, social media, and website.
- Recognition as a donor at our September 2026 unveiling event.
- Donations are eligible for tax receipts for income tax purposes.*

*For Corporate/Business Donors: There is a choice between plaque recognition and a tax receipt, as per CRA guidelines

Support Levels

Spark | \$500 to \$2,499

Bolt | \$10,000 to \$19,999

Flash | \$2,500 to \$9,999

Lightning | \$20,000+

To learn more or to donate, visit www.brockschoolyard.com. For questions or fund-raising suggestions, please email sc.brockpublicschool@tdsb.on.ca or call (647) 272-5136.

We'd be honoured to have your support – **any and all donations help** – Together, we can create a wonderful environment for the kids and families in our community that we can all be proud of!

Help us revitalize the Brock Public School playground – a space for our community to learn, play and thrive.

With gratitude,
School Council | Brock Public School