

2008 Annual Appeal

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Dear Friend:

Please accept this letter as a formal request on behalf of the DNA EpiCenter board and staff to support the DNA EpiCenter and its unique science educational programs that we offer to teachers and students across the State of Connecticut.

As a board member celebrating my sixth year with the DNA EpiCenter, I have personally witnessed the outstanding DNA EpiCenter School Programs that have been mapped to the Connecticut Core Science Curriculum Framework. With scientific studies being such an integral part of a young person's educational development, we have been fortunate to host a wide range of students and their teachers (from 3rd graders to AP Biology students) who have come through the doors to work in our state of the art laboratories. Our philosophy here at the DNA EpiCenter is about hands-on learning. To insure these great experiences for Connecticut's future scientists, we host Professional Development Workshops during which classroom teachers experience our great programs and integrate them into their classroom curriculum prior to their students' visits.

We are requesting that you support Connecticut's premier science educational programs at the DNA EpiCenter with your generous donation. Our goal in 2008-2009 is to have over 3,000 young people from across Connecticut experience the critically acclaimed genetic and forensic science curriculum specialties that are destined to make the DNA EpiCenter Connecticut's #1 choice for students and teachers to expand their science education. A response envelope is included for your donation.

Thank you for your continued support of science education in our schools and the DNA EpiCenter!

Sincerely,

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