

# UNITE

## IMPACT OF YOUR GIFTS TO UNITED WAY

LIVE UNITED.  
SOLVE IT TOGETHER.



Your support helps us impact Mid-South poverty by improving education, financial stability and health. Based on feedback from partner agencies, here are some ways your donations make a difference over a year's time.

### \$3<sup>46</sup>

Per week

**Increasing economic self-sufficiency:** Helps a person receive job readiness training, career counseling, and job placement services. This helps many of our most vulnerable and hard-to-place individuals, moving them into more self-sufficient lifestyles and easing the burden of societal care.

### \$6<sup>17</sup>

Per week

**Teaching people to read in community settings:** Provides adult literacy training for an adult who is unable to read. This training meets people's needs right where they live, removing barriers to learning. Literacy provides opportunities to better jobs with benefits, which can improve the quality of life for an entire family.

### \$6<sup>77</sup>

Per week

**Home Ownership:** First-time homebuyers learn the basics of financial literacy and home ownership, and gain access to lower mortgage interest rates and downpayment assistance. This results in proven reductions in the likelihood of foreclosure and stronger financial stability.

### \$15<sup>90</sup>

Per week

**Helping more students graduate high school and prepare for college:** Helps a teen in Middle School or High School with their academic achievement, social development and college awareness with special curriculum and an internet-based instruction tool with a goal of completing high school and being open to the possibility of continuing their education into college.

### \$18<sup>46</sup>

Per week

**Helping families with troubled youth:** Gives a family with a teen in trouble year-round intensive intervention that addresses education success and behavior problems, and offers youth ages 6-8 a summer "learning loss" prevention program.

### \$25<sup>58</sup>

Per week

**Emergency shelter from personal disaster and/or Domestic Violence:** Helps a family seeking shelter due to created by a personal disaster such as addiction, unemployment/economic tragedy, fire, mental health problems, eviction, or fleeing from domestic violence.

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