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## **California Masonic Foundation** *A charitable trust in support of education*

Education has always been a key focus of Freemasonry. Masons started some of the first public schools in America and championed legislation to help make education accessible to everyone.

The California Masonic Foundation is a charitable trust established in 1970 to help further the education of young people, from kindergarten through college.

The Foundation supports a number of important programs in support of education, including a robust Masonic scholarship program, partnerships with state universities, and charitable programs benefiting underserved youth. These programs have helped thousands of students improve their lives through education and intellectual growth.

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