



Dear Friends,

Young children need and deserve high quality learning environments for productivity. Today's children will be the caretakers of our future! It is our responsibility to prepare children, as best we can, for what lies ahead of them.

Research indicates that consistent and accessible high quality learning experiences for young children enhances brain development and prepares them better for further education. Reba Early Learning Center (RELC) takes pride in providing an inclusive, caring learning environment that nurtures each child, supports families, and collaborates with the community to build solid foundations for ALL children.

We know that you also value and support every child's right to have a high quality education. Generous donations, from people like you, provide classroom enrichment materials, activities, upgraded technology and facilities. Your support will also help us grow our newly-established *Dr. Allan H. Howe Memorial Fund* to provide tuition scholarships for families.

RELC is committed to continue building strong community partnerships. **We all have a responsibility to help shape the future of our children.** Together, we can ensure that young children will receive the high quality early learning experiences they need and deserve at RELC. Thank you for your generous support.



**Bettye Cohns, Executive Director**  
Reba Early Learning Center

**100 +**

**children served**  
60% in need of childcare assistance



42% Black  
29% White  
9% Latinx  
1% Asian

Based on FY2018 Demographics

**MISSION** Reba Early Learning Center is a community based organization dedicated to providing high quality care, education, and support for children and families of diverse cultural, ethnic, and socioeconomic backgrounds.

# 2018-19 RELC Supporters

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Evanston Cradle to Career  
Evanston Community Foundation (ECF)  
Evanston School District 65  
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## COMMUNITY PARTNERS ACTIVITIES



## FAMILY ACTIVITIES



## FIELD TRIPS



## FY2018 FINANCIALS

### REVENUE

Public Support	\$ 453,274
Tuition and Registration fees	\$ 244,245
Investment Income	\$ 1,543
<b>Total Revenue and Support</b>	<b>\$ 699,062</b>

### EXPENSES

Program Services	\$ 607,058
Management and General Services	\$ 114,530
Fundraising	\$ 2,884

**TOTAL EXPENSES \$ 724,472**

Partner with us to close the gap and continue to support early education in Evanston.

See the enclosed donation slip or give online at

**RebaEarlyLearningCenter.com**