

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Elementary & Secondary Education, circa 1998*

Foundation Name	State	Dollar Amount	No. of Grants
1. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	\$51,860,376	31
2. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	26,453,131	77
3. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	20,317,923	122
4. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	18,215,676	63
5. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	14,665,000	21
6. The Ford Foundation	NY	14,008,000	53
7. J. Bulow Campbell Foundation	GA	11,785,000	6
8. Howard Heinz Endowment	PA	10,973,000	17
9. The Brown Foundation, Inc.	TX	9,870,213	41
10. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	9,633,605	31
11. Hartford Foundation for Public Giving	CT	9,320,760	23
12. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	8,325,000	83
13. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	8,238,050	30
14. DeWitt Wallace-Reader's Digest Fund, Inc.	NY	7,693,954	10
15. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	7,307,000	22
16. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	7,095,008	26
17. Connelly Foundation	PA	6,629,553	82
18. AT&T Foundation	NY	6,445,635	79
19. Open Society Institute	NY	6,348,283	24
20. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	6,045,000	29
21. The Joyce Foundation	IL	5,844,605	30
22. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	5,401,025	41
23. The Paul G. Allen Charitable Foundation	WA	5,268,286	4
24. Oberkotter Foundation	PA	4,890,831	16
25. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	4,849,700	13
26. Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	4,744,857	28
27. Hall Family Foundation	MO	4,680,000	10
28. Robert R. McCormick Tribune Foundation	IL	4,679,297	54
29. Meyer Memorial Trust	OR	4,675,600	21
30. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	4,539,387	64
31. The Abell Foundation, Inc.	MD	4,377,691	28
32. Beatrice P. Delany Charitable Trust	NY	4,245,000	34
33. Citigroup Foundation	NY	4,079,801	87
34. The Danforth Foundation	MO	4,069,809	58
35. The New York Community Trust	NY	3,999,580	31
36. The Starr Foundation	NY	3,989,000	28
37. Lied Foundation Trust	NV	3,827,938	3
38. The Milken Family Foundation	CA	3,806,799	13
39. The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation, Inc.	WI	3,724,681	33
40. Vira I. Heinz Endowment	PA	3,608,955	26
41. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	3,516,200	9
42. The Spencer Foundation	IL	3,486,055	36
43. The Ford Family Foundation	OR	3,405,669	33
44. The Edward E. Ford Foundation	DC	3,383,148	96
45. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	3,340,000	20
46. Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	MO	3,311,581	59
47. Harold K. L. Castle Foundation	HI	3,305,693	17
48. Foundation For The Carolinas	NC	3,166,123	22
49. Stuart Foundation	CA	3,058,295	25
50. The Boston Foundation, Inc.	MA	3,050,750	63
Total		\$383,556,523	1,872

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,009 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.

Note: Elementary and Secondary Education grants are also included in the Education table.