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Our organizations are the recipients of a grant from The Starbucks Foundation.

Spectrum Empowerment Awarded Neighborhood Grant from The Starbucks Foundation This grant recognizes the community impact the organization has in empowering the kids on the spectrum and with any developmental disabilities.

As part of [The Starbucks Foundation's](#) Neighborhood Grants program, Spectrum Empowerment was selected to receive a \$1,000 grant. This grant award is thanks to a nomination(s) from a local Starbucks partner (employee) who recognized the work of the organization in Mason, OH with a big positive impact to the children on the spectrum and with any developmental disabilities. Through this unique program, The Starbucks Foundation invites Starbucks partners and alumni to nominate a local organization in their community. Since 2019, more than 13,000 grants have been awarded to local organizations, amounting to more than \$20 million. This 2024 to Spectrum Empowerment was selected from among 33,000 nominations submitted by Starbucks partners earlier this year.



The Starbucks Foundation's [Neighborhood Grants](#) program supports grassroots, community-led nonprofit organizations through catalytic investments in the form of grants. Neighborhood Grants also help build sustained local impact and inspire increased partner (employee) engagement with nonprofit organizations that work in their communities.

"Our partners (employees) know their communities best, and have shared great insights about the organizations helping to uplift others in their neighborhoods, from supporting youth and families to fighting hunger and promoting environmental stewardship," said Alicia Vermaele, executive director of The Starbucks Foundation. "Through our latest round of Neighborhood

Grants, we're proud to support local organizations nominated by Starbucks partners who make our communities stronger."

Learn more about the Neighborhood Grants program at [Starbucks](#)

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