

Annual report
2024-2025
Friends of the Arentschool Foundation

As parents, we like to give the school and our children a helping hand. We do so with *the Friends of the Arentschool Foundation*. Donations from parents/guardians have made it possible for all students to attend dance lessons, technology, music lessons, art and a beautiful festival during school hours this school year in addition to the compulsory school subjects. We have created these extra's for all kids in cooperation with the school in recent years. The school is rightly proud of this!

Donations 2024-2025

Last school year, the Foundation received donations totaling 13,975 euros. The donations are stable this year compared to last year and that is nice, but we would like to grow even further to be able to help all children and the school even better.

What were the donations used for?

In consultation with the school management, the money was spent on the deployment of professional dance teacher Nora for the entire school. In addition, we have arranged the cozy Christmas gathering for parents. The Friends Festival which we organize annually for the school has been moved to the beginning of the new school year due to the concurrence with the spring festival.

In previous years, art and technology education were financed, contributions were made to sports and games equipment for the schoolyard, and materials for art lessons and musical instruments were purchased. The starting point is that all donations benefit all students of the Arentschool.

After-school courses

During the school year, various after-school activities and courses are offered: karate, dance, chess and yoga. In total there were 100 participants this year. These courses are organized by the Foundation together with a number of parents.

The costs of this are not paid from donations. A cost-covering fee is charged per child for the course. Parents/guardians who cannot afford a course can apply to the Youth Fund Sport and Culture. This fund will then pay the costs of the course.

Is organizing your second nature?

In recent years, several parents have helped organize the after-school courses. If you would like to (help) organize a course or to give a course, please email [vrienden@arentschool.nl](mailto: vrienden@arentschool.nl). If you want to help organize other activities of the Foundation, such as the annual festival, you can also email us.

School year 2025-2026

We organized the Friends of the Arentschoolfestival at the beginning of the new school year. The performance by Upside Down Acro and the workshop of Superjam were fantastic. The dance lessons and music lessons during school hours will also be paid for by the Friends this school year. A new program of extracurricular activities is being created and the number of courses is increasing. We hope that even more children will participate in these fun activities.

Finally, we want to have a new Arentschool sweater designed and ensure that all children get such a nice sweater. In short, plenty of great plans to make our school even better and more fun than it already is.

Tax efficient donating

Our foundation has the ANBI status. This means that donating can provide you with a tax advantage! If you enter into a donation agreement (at least 5 years) with the Foundation, the entire donation is deductible for income tax.

So if you want to donate every school year, an agreement is a good idea! This often saves you 37% on the donation, because the tax authorities also pay: donating 100 euros will therefore only cost you 63 euros.

The board will be happy to tell you how to arrange this (easily).

If you have an agreement, don't forget to make your annual donation?

Donate

In order for our children to be able to enjoy beautiful extras again next school year, the Foundation needs your donation. Can we count on you (again) this school year? You could relate the amount of your donation to your family's taxable income over the past calendar year.

Please note, the proposed extra contribution is a contribution per family.

Taxable income	Donation
< €20,000	€ 0
€ 20,000 – € 30,000	€ 75
€ 30,000 – € 50,000	€ 150
€ 50,000 – € 90,000	€ 300
> € 90.000	€ 500

The account number is:

NL25 SNSB 0861 3223 63 in the name of Stichting Vrienden van de Arentschool.

Governance and contact

The board of *the Friends of the aren't School Foundation* consists of: Robert, Tamar, Iris, Martijn and Myrthe.

The board works with the management of the school to determine what the school and the students need.

Do you have any questions or ideas? Please contact us via vrienden@arentschool.nl.