Dear BSI family: We hope you will participate in our largest and most important fundraiser of the year, the Direct Appeal. Your gift pays for extra staff, such as teaching assistants, as well as the enrichments that add to our children’s education, above and beyond what the Department of Education provides. Our fundraising goal is $526,000. WE NEED YOU. Please give today: bsipto.org/donate. Thank you.

A Message from Principal Eric Havlik

Enrichments at BSI provide children with opportunities to explore new topics, ignite new passions and make connections that breathe life into classroom experiences. Programs such as chess, debate and Brooklyn Conservatory of Music offer fresh perspectives on learning and present students with new challenges during their day. Exposing our children to a wide array of instruction builds confidence, refines critical thinking skills and brings added joy and vibrancy to our building. Your generosity allows us to offer this programming, and ensures that BSI is a learning environment that can continue to focus on developing the whole child. I thank you in advance for your contributions and look forward to our continued partnership.

How much should you give?
We encourage each family to give what makes sense for their own economic situation. No amount is too small.

How you can give
You make a one-time payment or set up installments at bsipto.org/donate. Or you can use the detachable form below.

Our deepest gratitude
If you are able to give more than the suggested $1,500 (in line with what other citywide G&Ts ask), your generosity will help supplement the donations of those who can’t give as much. Thank you.

Thank you for supporting PS/IS 686. All gifts are FULLY TAX-DEDUCTIBLE. Tax ID: 27-1299073. You can SEND A CHECK payable to “BSI PTO, Inc.” with this form via the BSI PTO Mailbox in the office or backpack. Or mail to BSI PTO Inc., 50 Avenue P, Brooklyn NY 11204. Or you can DONATE at bsipto.org. For questions, contact donate@bsipto.org.

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ANY AMOUNT IS APPRECIATED.