

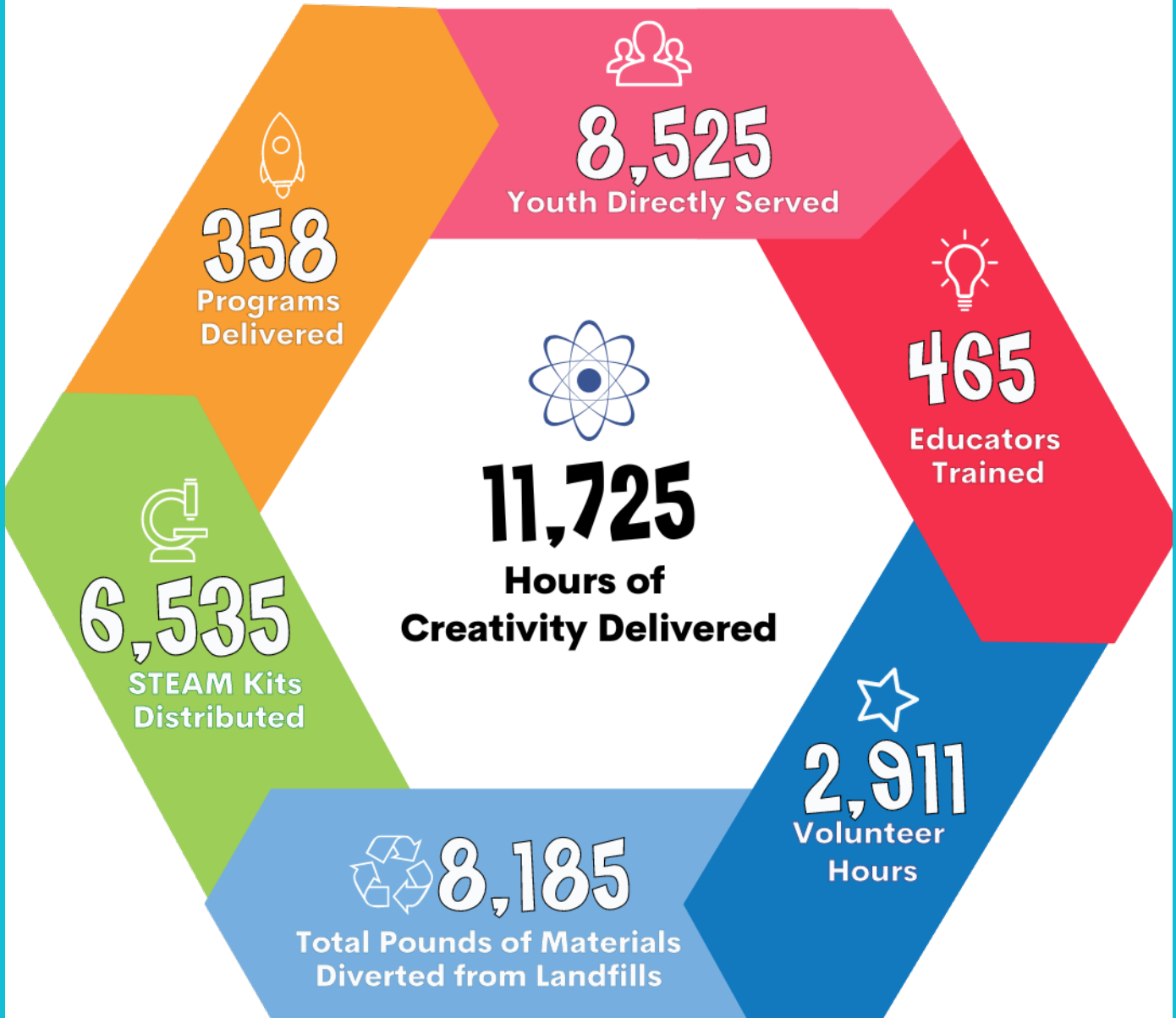


The Creativity Connection

January 2023

Thank you for being a champion for children!

As we look ahead to a new year of creativity, we want to share the impact that you made possible in 2022. Hand-in-hand with our supporters and volunteers, Child Creativity Lab worked to address learning loss that has affected every student regardless of grade level, school district or socioeconomic status—providing students with pathways to STEM careers and building 21st century essential skills.



Program Spotlight

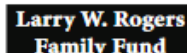


Donovan is one of the 8500 students you inspired and empowered last year. Donovan participates in programs at the Friendly Center in Orange—whose mission is to end generational poverty—and we met him when he joined our Entrepreneur STEAM Camp there. Over the course of a week, Donovan was mentored by employees from First Republic Bank and unleashed his creativity to invent his own product and develop a business plan—gaining essential skills about financial literacy, entrepreneurship, problem-solving, engineering, collaboration, public speaking, and most importantly: he learned to find his voice and believe in himself.

Because of the support of our partners, Donovan is ready to change the world.

WHO WILL YOU INSPIRE THIS YEAR?

Thank you to all of our grant partners who made 2022 possible!



Save the date for our next big event:

The Sky's the Limit!

Join us as we kick off our next decade of creativity.

On the Rooftop
Hyundai Capital America

Hyundai Capital America
Irvine, CA

May 19, 2023 · 6:00–8:30pm

Corporate Volunteer Groups

Thank you to all of our corporate volunteers who inspired students throughout Orange County.



PIMCO

PIMCO volunteers cheered on children at ThinkTogether in Santa Ana as they invented their own world-changing robots.





Edwards Lifesciences

From assembling STEAM kits in the Depot to teaching students in the classroom about the heart, groups from across Edwards Lifesciences made a difference in the community.

Lumen Technologies

Volunteers from Lumen took a break from the busy holiday season to spend an afternoon building 485 STEAM kits that will be distributed to schools.



McCarthy Building Companies

Engineers from McCarthy Engineering Companies in Newport Beach inspired the next generation of architects by building Super Towers with children at the Hive Community Center in Santa Ana.

Pacific Premier Bank

Experts from Pacific Premier Bank mentored budding entrepreneurs as students incubated their own businesses, from product development to marketing plans.



[Click here to learn more](#) about our corporate volunteer opportunities: whether it be assembling kits in the Depot, working with children in the community or CRA initiatives, we can craft a meaningful memorable opportunity for your group.

Team Building

Looking for a way to kick off the new year in the office? Corporate Partners such as **Pacific Life** and **VCS Environmental** have welcomed Child Creativity Lab to their offices to lead team building activities for adult groups. Our programs grow trust and camaraderie, increase communication and time management skills, and help staff think more creatively—besides just being a lot of fun!



"We loved having Child Creativity Lab at our office and completing their Zip Line Carrier Challenge. Even our office curmudgeon got into the fun. We can't wait to have you back next year!"

- Julie Beeman, Owner at VCS Environmental

Build the foundations of a stronger team here!

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Don't forget to use AmazonSmile to give back EVEN MORE! Every time you order goods through Amazon.com, Child Creativity Lab will receive a donation from Amazon of .5% of your purchase!



**Thank you for supporting our mission
to bring STEAM + creativity to as many children as possible.**

Did you know that Child Creativity Lab is a non-profit organization who brings our programs free of charge to children in low-income communities? The pandemic and distance learning had a devastating effect on these children and we are working hard to reduce the effects of learning loss. Please help us.

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