

## **GLADSTONE SECONDARY SCHOOL**

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Dear President Master Lian Tzi, Lotus Light Charity Society,

Once again, I am writing to say thank you so much for the amazing support you have provided to Gladstone students and families.

The food, gift cards and other non-perishable items you donated to our students and families were such a valuable contribution to the overall support system we strive to provide.

It was an unprecedented and dynamic year for everyone - with system change upon system change and various pandemic waves occurring alongside the various individual challenges people confront. The support you provided was consistently well timed. Sometimes items were delivered to people's homes and helped families feel supported emotionally as well as providing physical assistance. At other times, items were distributed through our student services centers, and kids could just pop by and grab a snack or a juice box when they needed it before or after class – and this too made them feel cared for and supported emotionally as well as physically. I have attached a few photos here of a student center with provisions tables set up, as well as of our staff receiving deliveries of your generous donations.

Thank you again for all your support throughout this extraordinarily challenging year!

Kind Regards,

Diane Phillips

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