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Verizon Grants \$10,000 to Support Plano ISD Family Literacy

The Verizon Foundation recently presented a nearly \$10,000 grant to the Plano ISD Education Foundation to support the Plano ISD Family Literacy Program's "*Parent and Child Together*" program. Approximately 50 families will benefit from the program which develops literacy and life skills for parents and children. The grant will fund the purchase of literacy materials that will be used for family learning both together and in individual classrooms, utilizing research-based curriculum.



Participating in the recent check presentation were Dr. Cathy Galloway, Student Services Department executive director; Jane Lilliston, Plano ISD Family Literacy Program coordinator; Linda Pannell, Verizon Foundation; Cesar Moncada, Verizon; Mary Jo Dean, Plano ISD Education Foundation president; and Dr. Doug Otto, superintendent.

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