



“We started seven or eight years ago. We come back because of the kids.”

*-Michael Moran,
Coastway Community Bank*



POWER LUNCH

An Inspiring Minds
Program





What Is Power Lunch?

Power Lunch is a program coordinated by Inspiring Minds, promoting literacy and mentorship to students in Providence's schools. We connect corporate volunteers and elementary school students, one-to-one in a group setting during their free lunch hour. Power Lunch strives to:

- Promote enthusiasm for literature
- Build comprehension, listening, and vocabulary skills
- Increase attention and concentration
- Provide positive role models for Providence youth
- Build self-esteem and confidence
- Enhance imagination, insight, and independent thinking

A business' commitment is approximately an hour a week during the school year. On an assigned day each week, a group of employees travels to the school to share a half hour of reading, games, and conversation. Sign up your business today!

Power Lunch Partners

The Power Lunch Program matches Providence public school students with volunteers from local businesses. There are various companies who make the decision to volunteer their time. Both large and small, for-profit and not-for-profit businesses comprise our Power Lunch team. Our current partners are:

- U.S. District Court
- Bank R.I.
- Lifespan
- Gilbane
- Coastway Community Bank

Invest in Youth

More schools are requesting the Power Lunch Program and the opportunity to partner with a business like yours. Your business can provide role models and positive exposure to the world of work for many children in our community.

Come gain a wonderful way to spend your lunch break.



See you at lunch!

Who We Are

Inspiring Minds was founded in 1963. We are a dynamic, award-winning educational nonprofit that works to enable our city's public school students to succeed in school and build a strong foundation for their futures.

Mission: To create successful students by providing them with the appropriate academic and social supports.

What We Do

Inspiring Minds partners with schools in Providence to deliver fully integrated student support systems that provide focused, individual tutoring to accelerate skill acquisition.

Services are available to students in Pre-K to grade 5 in math and literacy. Inspiring Minds efficiently manages these initiatives by using recruited, screened, well-trained and supported community volunteers and leveraging collaborations with other nonprofits, businesses and universities to make a difference in our students' lives.

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