


## What is The Jerusalem Fund?

 The Jerusalem Fund is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization based in Washington, DC that does educational and humanitarian work on behalf of Palestinians, particularly those living in the Occupied Territory and surrounding refugee camps. To implement its mission, The Jerusalem Fund maintains three programs.

## What does The Jerusalem Fund do?



**THE HUMANITARIAN LINK** program extends grants to hospitals, orphanages, clinics, schools, universities, and civil society organizations in the Occupied Territory and surrounding refugee camps in an effort to sustain the basic conditions of life in Palestine and to overcome the burdens of occupation.



**THE JERUSALEM FUND GALLERY** and cultural program showcase the rich culture and national heritage of the Palestinian people, as well as that of the surrounding Arab and Islamic societies. The Gallery hosts bi-monthly exhibits of fine art and/or photography, an annual juried art competition, a summer film screening series, evening musical performances, art workshops, and an annual souk and olive harvest celebration.



**THE PALESTINE CENTER** and its educational program give voice to the Palestinian narrative through policy briefings, lecture series, conferences, symposia, scholarly research publications, and an extensive research library. The Center's analysis emphasizes a Palestinian perspective on the peace process, the Right of Return and final status negotiations, elections, international law, media coverage of Israel and Palestine, and U.S. foreign policy in the region.



*Children in a Gaza refugee camp receiving food and school supplies through a recent Jerusalem Fund grant.*

Your support enables us to continue our humanitarian and educational efforts on behalf of the Palestinian people.

Donations to the Fund are tax-deductible to the extent allowed under the law. Funding for operational expenses is derived solely from investment income.

One hundred percent of funding for our humanitarian grants and educational programming is achieved through generous donations from people like you.

To find out more about how to bring hope to people in need, contact the Jerusalem Fund today.



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## Ask Questions.

### Our Purpose

The Jerusalem Fund for Education and Community Development is an independent non-profit organization committed to enhancing the lives of Palestinians and to communicating reliable and timely information about the Palestinian experience to the American public.

The need for such an organization can be found in the effects of the cultural and political oppression Palestinians have endured, which continues on a daily basis in Jerusalem, the West Bank, the Gaza Strip, the surrounding refugee camps and for Palestinians world-wide as they struggle to reclaim their homeland.

The Jerusalem Fund's purpose is therefore to bring together resources within the American and Palestinian communities on behalf of the Palestinian people, so as to educate about their economic, political and social context and to sustain their ongoing quest for sovereignty on their land, social justice and an end to occupation.

*Jerusalem Fund grants provide educational materials like books and computers to Palestinian schools, libraries, youth centers and universities, including the Dar Salah Boys School in Bethlehem, pictured here.*

## Be Informed.

Since its formation in 1977, The Jerusalem Fund has invested in the potential of the Palestinian people through community development initiatives and direct financial assistance to primary health and basic education projects, grassroots and civil society initiatives, and emergency relief programs.

Through its educational and cultural programs, The Jerusalem Fund also supports efforts to identify and address ignorance and distortions of the region's history, current events, and culture.



## Do Good.

### Our Need

The Jerusalem Fund and the people of Palestine need your help. The Jerusalem Fund works hard to ensure that 100 percent of all donations go directly to our grant projects and programming costs, without overhead or waste.

### How You Can Help

- Donate online at <http://www.thejerusalemfund.org/donate.html>. Your donations are made securely and can be set up on a monthly, quarterly or annual basis.
- Give a gift of appreciated stock, real estate property or mature life insurance policy. If stocks have been held for more than one year, capital gains tax is not applicable. As with real estate, you can deduct the full market value of the stock from your annual income taxes.
- Bequest specific assets such as art work, Palestinian antiques, a library collection, used automobiles, or a portion of your estate to The Jerusalem Fund. Bequests are free from federal estate taxes.
- Set up a pooled income fund, group memorial fund, charitable lead trust or annuity trust to benefit The Jerusalem Fund.
- Call our offices to explore other ways of tailoring your donation to upcoming community development and educational programming opportunities.

Annual financial statements and audit reports are available on our website at <http://www.thejerusalemfund.org/annualreports.html>.