Dear Friends,

Looking back at 2022, a few moments stand out to me: the day we welcomed all of our students back in person, the month we brought back our family workshop series, and that time last spring when Lanese spoke on behalf of all of her peers about how much GO can change the life of a young person.

I’m inspired by the sheer enthusiasm of our students, families, staff, and volunteers, who came back together this year to create what I can best describe as learning celebrations. When I look at the data on reading and math growth or the classroom attendance sheets, the love of learning shines through.

Our community has never been stronger and our mission never more urgent. Students continue to recover from the pandemic, and 2023 brings so much opportunity to help even more bright minds in New York City access the GO experience.

Thank you for your investment in educational equity, and in the lives of 700 young learners who love coming to GO Project.

With gratitude,

Gayle Villani
Executive Director
Learning gaps are closed when students access support early in the elementary years, receive personalized instruction in reading and math, and come back to GO year after year.

- GO helped students recalibrate to in-person learning in the 2021-22 school year and saw encouraging results: 60% of K-2 students moved one or more levels closer to the proficiency bar in reading and a third of all K-8 students demonstrated significant growth in math.

- Students not only beat the summer learning slide this July and August, but more than half - 53% - grew one month or more in both reading and math.

- GO expanded its ELA support, developing a Tier 2 literacy program for students in grades K-5 who have the most room to grow toward proficiency, with 85% of students outpacing expected grade level growth.
GO invests equally in a young person’s social emotional growth, using the Sanford Harmony curriculum in the classroom, targeted learning workshops, and summer enrichment activities to build confidence, empathy, respect, and motivation.

• With a new tool, Hello Insight, to measure progress, GO saw 80% of students experience growth in at least one SEL competency over the school year.

• Highest levels of growth included Academic Self-Efficacy – perceived mastery over learning and potential to gain academic success – and Social Skills – the ability to take other perspectives into account.

• Summer surveys revealed that 70% of students are having positive youth development experiences, predictors to be on track for meaningful SEL gains.
FAMILY SUPPORT

Parents and caregivers are the most important partners in GO’s work. Our social work team grew in 2022 to include 5 Success Coaches and 9 multi-lingual Family Engagement Associates to help ease transitions back to school, advocate for children with special education classifications, guide families through the middle and high school choice process, and extend support to student alumni after the 8th grade.

• More than 500 families received case management support and resource referrals to meet basic needs including food security, housing stability, and mental health care.

• Nearly 45% of GO students have an Individualized Service Plan (IEP) due to learning disabilities or speech impairments, and their families received additional support to ensure that students had the tools and services they needed to succeed.

• GO reintroduced its in-person family workshop series this school year to offer discussions on topics like self-care, nutrition, self-defense, and how to talk to your child about diversity.

• Parents of rising 6th and 9th graders received counseling and application support to ensure access to high-performing middle and high schools, and GO introduced a new Alumni Workforce Initiative to give former GO students paid professional experience.
OUR COMMUNITY

TOGETHER
WE ARE BETTER
because

WE RESPECT each other
WE CELEBRATE each other's success
WE LEARN from each other's mistakes
WE ENCOURAGE each other
• **40 public schools** that collaborate on student enrollment and progress and **5 independent host-site schools** that provide program space and resource sharing, including Avenues, Berkeley Carroll School, Grace Church School, LREI, and St. Luke’s School.

• **200 direct service staff members** from across the city, including Head Teachers, Teaching Assistants, Student Teachers, Reading Specialists, and Social Workers.

• **500 individual and corporate group volunteers**, including Bank of India, Brookfield, Cerberus, DailyPay, Glenview, JPMorgan, LH Group, McKinsey, and PwC.

• **30 nonprofit and higher education partners**, including NYU, Hunter, Bank Street, the Center for Attention & Learning, and the Promise Project.
LANESE MEJIA, 6TH GRADE, GIVES A SPEECH AT GO PROJECT’S ANNUAL CELEBRATION IN APRIL. WATCH IT HERE.

“It’s an environment where you feel safe.”
MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS OF STUDENTS REACH OR EXCEED GRADE PROFICIENCY AFTER AN AVERAGE OF 3 YEARS IN GO.

94% OF RISING 9TH GRADE STUDENTS ARE ACCEPTED INTO HIGH-PERFORMING HIGH SCHOOLS LIKE STUYVESANT AND BEACON.

90% OF GO STUDENT ALUMNI GRADUATE HIGH SCHOOL ON TIME.

“I would say it’s radical love.”
Christina Fontanarosa
Head Teacher
OUR IMPACT

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"I feel safe at GO Project"

GROWING WITH GO IN 2022: STUDENTS RETURNED TO IN-PERSON CLASSROOMS AND A SENSE OF NORMALCY AFTER TWO YEARS OF PANDEMIC CHALLENGES. SEE HOW THEY RESPONDED IN THIS VIDEO.
The Go Project is a 501(c)(3) not for profit organization with US Federal Tax I.D. 27-1411019. In fiscal year 2022, 75% of revenue was allocated to programs and 25% to management, administration, and development.

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The GO Project helps New York City public school students thrive in the earliest stages of their education through year-round academic, social-emotional, and family support.

EQUITY STATEMENT
GO’s mission calls for equity in education, and we strive to provide an inclusive space for every member of our community in pursuit of that mission. We recommit with humility and intention to examine our work and practices, and to ensure opportunity and belonging for every child and adult we serve, as well as for those who work alongside us. We recognize that work to dismantle racism and all forms of oppression is never done. Our vision and goals are dynamic and we recognize that continuous commitment and reflection is paramount to our progress.

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