

Watchdog Group Says Needy Students Bypassed in Education Giving

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Only 11 percent of grant makers that are major supporters of education organizations give at least half their grant money to programs for the neediest students, according to a new study by the National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy, the [Associated Press](#) writes.

The watchdog group looked at 672 U.S. foundations that gave at least \$1-million to educational causes from 2006 to 2008 in compiling its report, released Wednesday at the Grantmakers for Education conference in New Orleans.

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