



Dear Ian McKilligan,

This has been an incredible season for Gilbert's *First Lego League* teams! We can thank you for making it possible. With your \$5,000 donation to our program, we could fund six teams. Three of these teams were at the Intermediate with 4th and 5th graders, and the other three were with 6th and 7th-grade students. This is a total of 54 students who were able to experience the unique and creative atmosphere that makes up the First Lego League program. Among these six teams, four of these teams, made up of a total of 36 students, were able to go on to the state competition at lowa State University!

First Lego League creates an environment in which students can test the limits of their brains in the creation of an innovation project, coding the spike robots, and understanding what it means to be part of a team. This provides opportunities for students that they will be able to carry with them throughout their lives.

Your donation made it so that we were able to get four new spike prime kits with robots, sensors, and other various parts, the map and mission kits that the students use for the robot game, as well as the registration fees for all six teams.

The purchase of these items, other than the registration, is going to make it so that we can continue having this many teams moving forward. This makes it so that I, as well as my co-coaches, can provide the Lego League experience to up to 60 students every single year! I look forward to the future of First Lego League in Gilbert!

Thank you, Adam Smith Intermediate/Middle School Lego League Coach

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