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## Pittsburgh Steeler and Wife Duo Give Back to Pittsburgh Public Schools Teen ELECT Parents to Ensure the Holiday Smiles Continue

*Tyson and Desiré Alualu tackle holiday financial difficulties and provide some relief to help teen parents.*

PITTSBURGH PA January 6, 2023 – The holidays may be over, but that did not stop Pittsburgh Steelers defensive tackle Tyson Alualu and his wife, Desiré, from considering the needs of teen parents in the Pittsburgh Public Schools with a thoughtful donation. In 2005, Tyson and Desiré headed to the University of California, Berkeley, and trade school, respectively, when they became teen parents.

The couple continues to defy the odds. On Tuesday, Tyson and Desiré visited Pittsburgh Brashear to share their story and encourage the students to remain focused, positive, and family-oriented. Mr. and Mrs. Alualu presented 47 [Teen ELECT](#) students with a \$200 VISA gift card to help them with the holidays.

Carolyn Rychcik, Director of Pregnant and Parenting Teen Services, stated, "We are so fortunate to have community partners such as the Pittsburgh Steelers and Tyson and Desiré Alualu. Through this demonstration of care for our young people, they are planting seeds of hope that will encourage our students for a lifetime."

