Education Grants

COPS: School Violence Prevention Program (SVPP)
Deadline: STEP 1: Submit an SF-424 in Grants.gov.
GRANTS.GOV APPLICATION DEADLINE: **TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2026 (4:59 PM ET).**
STEP 2: Submit the full application including attachments in JustGrants.
JUSTGRANTS APPLICATION DEADLINE: **TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2026 (4:59 PM ET)**
Amount: up to $500,000
Match: Yes, 25%
https://cops.usdoj.gov/svpp
SVPP funding will up to 75% funding for the following school safety measures in and around K-12 (primary and secondary) schools and school grounds:

- "Coordination with law enforcement"
- "Training for local law enforcement officers to prevent student violence against others and self"
- "Metal detectors, locks, lighting, and other deterrent measures"
- "Technology for expedited notification of local law enforcement during an emergency"
- "Any other measure that the COPS Office determines may provide a significant improvement in security"

The following school safety measures are available through the Bureau of Justice Assistance's (BJA's) section of the STOP School Violence Act of 2018:

- Development and operation of anonymous reporting systems
- Hotlines
- Internet websites
- Mobile telephone applications
- Development and operation of a school threat assessment
- Specialized training for school officials in responding to mental health crises
- Training for school personnel and students to prevent student violence against others and self
- Any other measure the BJA determines may provide a significant improvement in security

JJ Watt Foundation
Deadline: Rolling, apply based on sport start season

Sports Starting in:	**Apply during:**
Fall (Aug, Sep, Oct)	Jan 16 – Apr 15, 5pm CST
Winter (Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb)*	Apr 16 – Sep 15, 5pm CST
Spring (Mar, Apr, May)	Sep 16 – Jan 15, 5pm CST

Amount: Varies depending on ask (reimbursement for equipment)
Match: No
Eligibility: 6-8 grade
Link: https://jjwfoundation.org/request-funds/
The mission and priority of the JJWF is to help as many schools/programs as possible. Due to the current economic impact of Covid 19 and inability to hold our annual fundraiser, we are currently prioritizing

schools who have not yet received funding from our foundation. We understand that you may need new uniforms and/or equipment across all programs. However, we have limited funds and request that you discuss overall athletic needs with your AD or Principal and apply for what is needed most.
Before submitting an application for funding, ensure that your organization meets the Foundation's criteria listed below and you've read through the entire FAQ section.

1) Meet between 3:00-5:30 and serve kids 6th-8th.
2) Operate a district where 60% or more are eligible for F/R.
3) Have outdated, worn out, out vital equipment/uniforms that need to be replaced and used year after year. (or in your case just beginning)
4) You provide staff, transportation, space for activity and have a secure place to secure the uniform/equipment.

Dollar General Literacy Foundation: Beyond Words
Deadline: Ongoing
Amount: Not specified
Eligibility: Pre-K-12 public schools whose library programs have incurred substantial damage or hardship due to a natural disaster, fire, or an act of terrorism within the past three years.
Link: https://www.dgliteracy.org/grant-programs/?#beyond-words
Summary: Beyond Words, a program of the Dollar General Literacy Foundation, supports public school libraries in the communities served by Dollar General. Grants are intended to help replace or supplement books, media, and library equipment.

US Soccer Foundation
Deadline: Rolling, Applications will be reviewed on December 31, 2024
Estimated Total Program Funding: Obtain a budget estimate by contacting your local Musco representative using this form: https://www.musco.com/soccerfund/
Application: https://www.tfaforms.com/4871632
Link: https://ussoccerfoundation.org/programs/safe-places-to-play/
Musco Sports Lighting and the U.S. Soccer Foundation view soccer as a powerful vehicle for social change. By supporting the development of the U.S. Soccer Foundation's Safe Places to Play program, we share a goal to ensure that children in underserved communities have easy and affordable access to quality soccer programs that support their physical and personal development.
The Soccer Fund was established to offer financial support for sports lighting projects on a rolling basis. Projects can include the Mini-Pitch System™ or soccer lighting projects of all sizes.

Toshiba America Foundation
Deadline: Grades K-5 due October 1st annually; Grades 6-12 for up to $5,000 due March 1, June 1, September 1, December 1 annually. Applications for grants more than $5,000 are due May 1 and November 1, annually.
Amount: Up to $5,000 (see website for details on grants over $5,000)
Eligibility: 6-12 grade Teachers in public or private schools
Link: http://www.toshiba.com/taf/about.jsp
Summary: The Toshiba America Foundation is dedicated to promoting quality science and mathematics education in our nation's schools. Grants for Grades 6-12 are provided to teachers who have an idea for making science and mathematics more fun for their students.