School Grant News

Do you have a favorite **grant-related bookmark** you'd like to share with other teachers? E-mail your suggestions to Demaria Young, <u>youngd5@scsk12.org</u> Here are a few tried-and-true web links:

- http://librarygrants.blogspot.com/
- https://thejournal.com/articles/resources/upcoming-grants-and-events.aspx

New to grantwriting? Here's a good place to start:

https://www.neafoundation.org/for-educators/grant-resources/writing-tutorial/

Look for monthly STEM competitions for teachers and students from the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education:

• https://orise.orau.gov/resources/k12/competitions-for-educators.html

Fourth grade teachers, help sign your students up for Free National Park Passes:

https://www.everykidinapark.gov/get-your-pass/educator

IKnowlt has a monthly drawing for elementary math manipulatives:

https://www.iknowit.com/contest.html

The **Tennessee Student Ticket Subsidy** grant program opens August 16 at 8:00 a.m.:

http://tnartseducation.org/grants/sts-grant/

The **AgriCenter** offers "bus scholarships" to reimburse schools for bus transportation for education programs:

http://www.agricenter.org/bus/

Dixon Gallery and Gardens offers free art and horticulture lessons for Pre-K through 8th-grade teachers within 30 miles of the museum.

• https://www.dixon.org/art-to-grow

MOSH offers a wide range of fresh classroom ideas and exciting curriculum to bring your class to life.

https://memphismosh.wpengine.com/teach-learn/learning-resources/

If you have received a grant and would like to share your success, please contact Demaria Young, youngd5@scsk12.org. We'll profile you in the next newsletter.

School Grant Opportunities

The Burroughs Foundation

Teacher Mini Grants (burroughsfoundation.org)

Teachers may now apply for mini grants to assist in purchasing essential school supplies for underserved schools. A total of 20 grants in the amount of \$500 are available for Shelby County teachers in grades Pre-K-4, with preference given to those who teach in Memphis-Shelby County Schools. Teachers may use the grant to purchase school supplies, curriculum, and/or technology resources for students. Deadline: **August 19, 2022**

USA Football

https://usafootball.com/resources-tools/commissioner/grants/

USA Football, the sport's national governing body on youth and amateur levels, is accepting applications for equipment grants to youth, middle school and high school football programs throughout the country based on merit and need. Youth school sponsored football programs at the elementary, middle, junior high, and senior high school levels are all eligible. Deadline: **September 1, 2022**

National Agriculture in the Classroom

Grants and Scholarships (agclassroom.org)

CHS Foundation provides \$500 grants each year to pre-kindergarten-12th grade teachers who have classroom projects that use agricultural concepts to teach reading, writing, math, science, social studies and more. Eligible projects include classroom and schoolyard gardens, embryology projects, aquaculture projects and agricultural literacy reading programs. Teachers have until June 1 the following year to complete the project and submit a final report. Deadline: September 15, 2022

NEA Grants to Educators

http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/grants-to-educators/

The NEA provides funding to educators through two programs: **Learning & Leadership** and **Student Achievement**. Learning & Leadership grants enable educators and educator groups to pursue high-quality professional development. Grants be used toward the cost of summer institutes, collegial study programs, and mentoring experiences, among other opportunities. Student Achievement grants support initiatives for improving academic performance in U.S. public schools. Funding is available in any subject area. Grants are for \$1,500 or \$5,000. Grants are only available to NEA members. Past MCS/SCS recipient schools include Lucie E. Campbell, Manassas High, Spring Hill, South Park, and Trezevant. Deadlines: **September 15, 2022**.

Association of American Educators Classroom Grants

http://www.aaeteachers.org/index.php/classroom-grant-application

Classroom grants are available to all full-time educators who have not received a scholarship or grant from AAE in the past two years. Awards are competitive. AAE members receive additional weight in the scoring rubric. Classroom grants (\$500) can be used for a variety of projects and materials, including but not limited to books, software, calculators, math manipulatives, art supplies, audio-visual equipment, and lab materials. Funds must be used within one year of the application deadline. Deadline: October 8, 2022.

Association of American Educators Foundation Teacher Scholarship

https://www.aaeteachers.org/index.php/teacher-scholarship-application

Teacher scholarships are available to all full-time educators who have not received a scholarship or grant from AAE in the past two years. Awards are competitive. AAE members receive additional weight in the scoring rubric. Teacher scholarships can be used for a wide variety of professional development opportunities and materials. These include conferences, inservices, and materials for PLCs. The scholarship will cover all associated costs with attending these events or obtaining these materials. Teacher scholarships do not cover classes or materials in pursuit of a graduate degree. Deadline: **October 8, 2022**.

The eCYBERMISSION Mini-Grant

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The eCYBERMISSION Mini-Grant program provides funding to support teachers and program leaders as they implement eCYBERMISSION in their classrooms, schools, or other organizations. Title 1 schools and those working with underserved students are given special consideration. Teachers do not need to commit to participating as an eCYBERMISSION Team Advisor or know exact student registration numbers to apply. The grant value is based on the selection criteria and is awarded in two payments. The first payment goes to the school for project supplies and is based on the number of registered students on complete teams. The second payment goes directly to Team Advisors as a stipend and is based on the number of students who submitted Mission Folders. Deadline: **November 16, 2022**

Aldi Cares Community Grants

ALDI Cares Community Grants | ALDI US

ALDI Cares Community Grants seeks to partner with K-12 schools that benefit all children in the community. Grants are smaller in size and designed to support communities.

Deadline: December 15, 2022

Classics for Kids Foundation

https://classicsforkids.org/apply-for-a-grant/

CFKF stringed instrument grants never exceed 50% of total instrument cost; please contact CFKF to determine total instrument cost through CFKF's authorized instrument provider. Deadlines: **June 30, 2022; September 30, 2022; and December 31, 2022**.

Walmart Local Community Grants

Local Community Grants (walmart.org)

Community Grants of \$250-5,000 are available to K-12 public schools to provide afterschool enrichment, tutoring or vocational training for low-income individuals and families in the local service area.

Deadline: December 31, 2022

Good Sports

Apply | Good Sports

Good Sports drives equitable access in youth sports by working with organizations in high-need communities serving youth ages 3-18. Applications for physical activity gear are accepted on a rolling basis. All approved organizations will gain access to Good Sports' catalog of available inventory, which displays the equipment, apparel, and footwear that is available for donation. Six (6) equipment requests must be used over a two-year period.

Deadline: Rolling

American Battlefields Field Trip Fund

https://www.battlefields.org/learn/educators/resources/field-trip-fund

Grants of up to \$1,500 are available to fund battlefeld related field trips. Past grants have supported nearby field trips to the Civil Rights Museum, the Mud Island River Museum, the 4th bluff, Corinth, MS, and Shiloh, TN. **No set deadline.**

AncestryK12 Grants

http://ancestryk12.com/k12/GrantProgram/

AncestryK12 is pleased to offer grants providing one year of access to Ancestry Institution (U.S. content), Fold3, and Newspapers.com to selected classrooms and schools. Teachers, school administrators, and district officials may apply to receive access to these services for an entire year (with the ability to renew upon request). **No set deadline.**

Believe in Reading

https://www.believeinreading.org/grant-guidelines/

School districts are eligible applicants for this grant program. Funded applications will feature successful literacy programs which serve populations that show out of the ordinary needs, such as geographic areas with low reading scores and high poverty levels. All awards are at least \$1,000 (and up to \$10,000) and are renewable for up to three years. **Rolling.**

Pets in the Classroom

http://www.petsintheclassroom.org/teachers/

The Pet Care Trust awards Pets in the Classroom Grants to PreK-6 teachers who wish to teach children how to care for pets. Deadline **June 1, 2023**.

Pollinator Quest

https://herofortheplanet.org/quests/pollinator-quest/

Small materials grants are available for upper elementary classrooms participating in this quest. No set deadline.

Supply a Teacher

https://supplyateacher.org/home

Each teacher will receive two large boxes filled with enough core school supplies to last for at least one semester. Pencils, pencil pouches, folders, notebooks, sharpeners, erasers, rulers, and pens are included in every box. Additional items are included based on grade level, such as crayons and markers for younger grades, and highlighters and colored pencils for older students. **No set deadline**.

Toshiba American Foundation Grants for Grades 6-12

http://www.toshiba.com/taf/612.jsp

Sixth to 12th grade teachers are invited to apply on-line for a Toshiba America Foundation grant of up to \$5,000 and more than \$5,000 to help bring an innovative project into their own classroom. Applications must be for project based learning. The foundation does not consider requests for computers, laptops or tablets. Deadline: **Rolling**.

Whole Kids Foundation

Whole Kids Foundation | Salad Bar Grant

The cost for one freestanding, mobile salad bar grant is \$3,284. This includes everything a school needs to get started: the bar, chill pads, pans and tongs. Each salad bar can serve a school for 10 years, which makes it incredibly cost effective! Deadline: **Rolling**

Opportunities for Students

Cyberstart America

https://www.cyberstartamerica.org

This free online learning platform on cybersecurity provides access to scholarships. No deadline.

Write the World

https://writetheworld.com/for young writers#competitions anchor

Encourage your grades 7–8 students to write pieces in a wide variety of genres, from songwriting and flash fiction to mystery writing and sports journalism. Write the World holds monthly competitions for budding writers. Participants can enter for a chance to win up to \$100, inclusion on the program blog, and feedback from a team of writing experts. **Rolling**.

Hershey Heartwarming Action Grants

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Youth-led projects can receive up to \$250 in funding. Deadline: December 31, 2022