

Project Lead The Way Grant Opportunity

Through a grant from Strada Education Network

Data suggests that not enough students in Hawaii are prepared to enroll in post-secondary education or enter the workforce, while companies are not finding workers with problem-solving, critical thinking and collaboration skills, who persevere when something does not work the first time.

In order to help address these challenges, Strada Education Network has partnered with PLTW to provide grant support ranging from \$20,000-\$45,000 to help Hawaii's high schools offset the implementation expenses of PLTW programs.

PLTW's pathways in computer science, engineering, and biomedical science, help students learn technical, problem-solving, and critical thinking skills, as well as provide teachers with the training, resources, and support they need to engage students in real-world learning.

The mission of Strada Education Network, a nonprofit, is "Completion With a Purpose," which focuses on enhancing postsecondary education preparedness, access and success by providing and supporting financial and other valued services.

All high schools in Hawaii are eligible to apply for any of PLTW's high school programs.

Grant awards are disbursed over a two or three-year period determined by the school's preferred implementation plan of either two or three courses.

Awarded schools must start implementing at least one PLTW course in the 2019-2020 school year.

Grant funds may be used to offset the following implementation expenses:

- PLTW program participation fees
- Core training and related expenses
- Required computers and/or tablets
- Required equipment and supplies

Important Dates

- Applications are due December 14, 2018
- Award notifications will be sent no later than February 1, 2019

How to Apply and Additional Resources

MORE ABOUT PLTW

Visit pltw.org to learn more about PLTW.

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE GRANT

Schools must complete a PLTW grant application per program, which can be accessed at:

<https://www.pltw.org/experience-pltw/funding-and-grant-opportunities>

HAVE MORE QUESTIONS?

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Grant Awards and Details

PLTW seeks to maximize flexibility for schools interested in PLTW programs. Awards will reflect the school's plan to implement two or three courses. To accomplish this, the following grant structures are available to grantees.

PLTW Computer Science

Oahu Island

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$20,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$5,000
2021-2022: \$5,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$15,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$5,000

Neighboring Islands

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$25,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$5,000
2021-2022: \$5,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$20,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$5,000

PLTW Engineering

Oahu Island

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$40,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$20,000
2021-2022: \$10,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$30,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$20,000

Neighboring Islands

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$45,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$20,000
2021-2022: \$10,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$35,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$20,000

PLTW Biomedical Science

Oahu Island

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$40,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$20,000
2021-2022: \$10,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$30,000
2019-2020: \$10,000
2020-2021: \$20,000

Neighboring Islands

Three Course Implementation
Total Award: \$45,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$20,000
2021-2022: \$10,000

Two Course Implementation
Total Award: \$35,000
2019-2020: \$15,000
2020-2021: \$20,000