



GRANTS ALERT

The following grant opportunities are being provided as a service of Brevard Schools Foundation. If you wish to submit a grant that requires the applicant to be a **501 (c)(3)** nonprofit organization, please contact Linda Filippini, Filippini.linda@brevardschools.org for assistance before you begin the process.

When submitting a grant through a school or the district, for tax or financial help, please contact Wendy Knippel, Accounting Services, knippel.wendy@brevardschools.org for assistance, and for help with program/project content, contact Robin Ward, Equity, Innovation and Choice, ward.robin@brevardschools.org for assistance.

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New! Organization: Verizon Foundation

Description: The Verizon Foundation supports kindergarten through grade 12 education in science, education, technology, and mathematics (STEM); and domestic violence education and prevention for youth, women, and older adults. In STEM education, funding supports activities such as summer or after-school programs, teacher training, and research on improving learning in STEM areas through use of technology.

Eligibility: Public, Private, Charter, Other (including homeschool, 501 (c)(3) organizations)

Amount of Awards: varying.

Deadline: applications accepted year round

Website: <https://www.verizon.com/about/responsibility/grant-requirements>

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New! Organization: Brabson Library and Educational Foundation

Description: The Brabson Library and Educational Foundation, Inc. makes grants in the areas of literacy, education, science, and operating reference libraries. The foundation supports bold and innovative ideas that may have long-term impact in education and the arts. Previous grants were used to fund science exhibits for toddlers, children's music programs, books for bilingual education, professional development programs for teachers, and school programming.

Eligibility: nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations; public, private, and independent schools

Amount of Awards: varying.

Deadline: March 15, 2020

Website: <http://www.brabsonfamilyfoundation.org/applyforagrant.html>

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Organization: Gro More Good Grassroots/KidsGardening

Description: The Gro More Good Grassroots Grant, funded by The Scotts Miracle-Gro Foundation and administered by KidsGardening, is designed to bring the life-enhancing benefits of gardens to communities across the United States. In 2020, 175 grants worth a total of \$100,000 will be awarded for the development of new and expansion of existing youth garden programs and greenspaces serving 15 or more youth. The top 25 programs will receive \$1,000; an additional 150

programs will receive \$500. Winners will be selected based on their commitment to the maintenance and sustainability of their garden program, including plans for growth and future fiscal stability.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and schools in the U.S. and its territories are eligible to apply

Amount of Awards: up to \$1000.

Deadline: February 14, 2020

Website: <https://kidsgardening.org/2020-gromoregood-grassroots-grant/>

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Organization: Snapdragon Book Foundation

Description: The Snapdragon Book Foundation seeks to foster children's literacy by providing support to school libraries serving disadvantaged children. Grants are awarded to public, private, and experimental pre-K-12 schools throughout the United States. In a time when many schools are reallocating their funds to technology and audiovisual equipment, the Foundation hopes to make sure that school libraries are still offering children good books to read.

Eligibility: public, private, and experimental pre-K-12 schools throughout the United States

Amount of Awards: \$2,500 to \$10,000.

Deadline: February 16, 2020

Website: <https://snapdragonbookfoundation.org/>

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Organization: Dollar General Literacy Foundation

Description: The Dollar General Literacy Foundation supports nonprofit organizations, educational institutions, and libraries that offer literacy programs in communities served by Dollar General in 44 states. The Foundation provides support through the following grant programs: Adult Literacy Grants support nonprofit organizations that provide direct services to adults in need of literacy assistance. Family Literacy Grants support family literacy service providers that combine parent and youth literacy instruction. Summer Reading Grants help nonprofit organizations, schools, and libraries with the creation or expansion of summer reading programs for students who are below grade level readers or readers with learning disabilities.

Eligibility: nonprofit organizations, schools, and libraries that work to help students who are below grade level or experiencing difficulty reading.

Amount of Awards: up to \$10,000.

Deadline: February 20, 2020

Website: <https://www.dgliteracy.org/grant-programs/>

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Organization: Teaching Tolerance

Description: The mission of Teaching Tolerance, a project of the Southern Poverty Law Center, is to help teachers and schools educate children and youth to be active participants in a diverse democracy. Teaching Tolerance Educator Grants support educators who embrace and embed anti-bias principles throughout their schools. These grants support projects that promote affirming school climates and educate youth to thrive in a diverse democracy.

Eligibility: These grants fund projects on three levels: school, classroom, and district. Educators nationwide in public or private K-12 spaces, as well as in alternative schools, therapeutic schools, and juvenile justice facilities are eligible to apply

Amount of Awards: \$500 - \$10,000

Deadline: Any time

Website: <https://www.tolerance.org/about/educator-grant-guidelines>

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Organization: Florida Agriculture in the Classroom

Description: The grants are meant to supplement FAITC's *Gardening for Grades*, *Gardening for Nutrition* and *STEMming Up Gardening*, three books that take Florida teachers through the process of developing a school garden, and includes lessons to help teachers use the garden to teach health, science, language arts, math, technology, engineering and other subjects.

The grants will be awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis to those who meet all of the grant requirements. The guidelines for the grant are below. Please note multiple teachers from the same school cannot apply for the grant, only one grant recipient per school.

Eligibility: Certified teachers in Florida engaged in classroom instruction at the pre-kindergarten through 12th grade level who wish to create fruit and vegetable school gardens to enhance students' understanding of agriculture.

Amount of Awards: \$500.

Deadline: ongoing until funds depleted

Website: <https://faitc.org/school-garden-grants/>

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Organization: Toshiba Foundation

Description: Toshiba America Foundation (TAF) grants fund the projects ideas and materials teachers need to innovate in their math and science classrooms. TAF is interested in funding projects designed by teachers or small teams of teachers for use in their own schools.

Toshiba America Foundation believes science and mathematics are exciting fields in which all students can succeed with the proper tools and instruction.

Eligibility: Pre K – 12 educators Toshiba America Foundation grants support public and nonprofit private schools throughout the United States.

Amount of Awards: \$5,000

Deadline: quarterly

Website: <http://www.toshiba.com/taf/about.jsp>

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Organization: Saxena Family Foundation

Description: The Saxena Family Foundation has a particular focus on initiatives that promote US science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education and the empowerment of girls, female children, and young women so that they have equal rights later in life. The foundation focuses on empowerment programs to include economic, educational, and political empowerment of women through literacy programs, jobs, and life-skills training. Previous grantees have included schools, universities, and nonprofit organizations. The Foundation's focus areas: Engineering, Literacy, Adult, Literacy, PreK-12, Scholarships/Fellowships, STEM, Technology, Technology Ed, Underserved Populations

Eligibility: Public, Charter, Other (including homeschool, 501 (c)(3) organizations)

Amount of Awards: Most awards range from \$5,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: applications accepted year round

Website: <http://saxenafoundation.com/guidelines/>