



### **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](mailto: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](mailto:knippel.wendy@brevardschools.org) for assistance.*

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#### **!New – Toshiba America Foundation**

**Description:** The Toshiba America Foundation is accepting grant applications from grade K-5 teachers for innovative science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) projects. Applications must be for project-based learning.

The foundation is considering how the COVID-19 pandemic has affected teachers and education and will not presume to suggest how teachers should deal with the obstacles that social distancing and safety concerns place in the way. For now, alternative proposals will be considered contingent upon how, when, and if schools are open as usual. Under the circumstances, the foundation also aims to be more accommodating in considering the kinds of equipment or expenses it can fund.

**Eligibility:** grade K-5 teachers

**Amount of Awards:** up to \$1,000.00

**Deadline:** October 1, 2021

**Website:** <http://www.toshiba.com/taf/k5.jsp>

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#### **!New – NEA Foundation**

**Description:** Established in 1969, the NEA Foundation serves as a laboratory of learning, offering funding and other resources to public school educators, their schools, and districts to solve complex teaching and learning challenges. To that end, the NEA Foundation is inviting applications for the Student Success Grant Program. Grants will be awarded in support of educator-led initiatives that engage students in project-based and deeper learning to support the development of skills and dispositions contributing to success and fulfillment in a changing world. The foundation is accepting applications from educators, specialized instructional support personnel, and education support professionals to develop and implement a project that will enhance students' critical thinking and problem-solving skills; develop and implement a project supporting personalized and experiential learning; support students' mastery of essential academic content; support students' cultural understanding and appreciation; promote students' communication and collaboration skills; or enable students to engage in learning experiences connected to real-world issues and challenges.

**Eligibility:** Applicants must be a current member of the NEA and be a teacher, education support professional, or specialized instructional support personnel. The foundation defines education support professionals (ESPs) as paraeducators; school bus drivers or other transportation staff; custodial and maintenance staff, food services staff, school nurses, health aides, and other health and student services staff; clerical staff; security staff; skilled trades staff; and

technical services staff. Specialized instructional support personnel (SISP) include school counselors, psychologists, social workers, occupational therapists, library media specialists, speech pathologists, and others.

**Amount of Awards:** \$2,000 or \$5,000

**Deadline:** October 15, 2021

**Website:** <https://www.neafoundation.org/for-educators/student-success-grants/>

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### **!New – Whole Kids Foundation**

**Description:** The Whole Kids Foundation, a nonprofit 501(c)(3) founded by Whole Foods Market, is dedicated to helping kids eat better and works to support schools and inspire families to improve children's nutrition and wellness. To that end, in partnership with the Bee Cause Project, the foundation invites applications for its Bee Grants Program, which provides support for educational beehives and bee programming for schools and nonprofit organizations so students can observe bees up close and learn about the vital role these pollinators play in our food system. Recipients can apply for a choice of a monetary or equipment grant intended to support schools in bringing live bees to their campus or grow their existing educational hive program.

The foundation will host webinars to discuss the grant opportunity on September 15, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. PST / 12:00 p.m. CST / 1:00 p.m. EST and October 4, 2021, at 3:00 p.m. PST / 5:00 p.m. CST / 6:00 p.m. EST.

**Eligibility:** Eligible applicants include K-12 Schools or nonprofits that serve any grades K-12 in the United States or Canada

**Amount of Awards:** Recipients will have a choice of a \$1,500 monetary grant, an equipment grant: indoor observation hive, or an equipment grant: traditional Langstroth hive.

**Deadline:** October 15, 2021

**Website:** <https://www.wholekidsfoundation.org/programs/honey-bee-hive-grant>

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### **P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education**

**Description:** The P. Buckley Moss Teacher Grant program provides funding for art supplies for teachers. These grants are given annually and may be up to \$1000.00 each. The purpose of the Teacher Grant is to support a new or evolving program that integrates the arts into education in the school classroom setting, with a special focus on those who learn differently. The criteria for being considered for a Teacher Grant is the development and implementation of a "hands-on" visual art learning tool. Visual art is best described as creative works which are primarily visual in nature, such as drawing, painting, sculpting, ceramics, architecture, printmaking and photography. Through the addition of these subjects to education programs, teachers are able to expand their "teaching tool box," by having another method to reach out to those who learn differently. Art is being utilized in concept training as well as motor skill training. Communication is realized through art with non-verbal students. Teachers who are awarded grants have incorporated art projects into other curricula including math, science, and geography.

**Eligibility:** Any credentialed teacher in a public, private, or charter school

**Amount of Awards:** up to \$1,000.00

**Deadline:** September 30, 2021

**Website:** <http://www.mossfoundation.org/grants.html>

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### **Classics for Kids Foundation**

**Description:** If your school or non-profit organization believes in the role of fine instruments in your program, and can show evidence of need and commitment to raising matching funds, you are a strong candidate for the Classics for Kids matching grant program.

**Eligibility:** applicants must have nonprofit status and be based in the United States.

**Amount of Award:** stringed instruments

**Deadline:** quarterly – March 31, June 30, September 30, December 31

**Website:** [Apply for a Grant – Classics for Kids](#)

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### **National Geographic – COVID 19 Remote Learning Emergency Fund for Educators**

**Description:** **National Geographic: COVID-19 Remote Learning Emergency Fund for Educators**

National Geographic's COVID-19 Remote Learning Emergency Fund for Educators supports individual educators, or individual educators working in collaboration with other educators or National Geographic Explorers, to design instructional resources that help educators effectively teach in remote or hybrid learning environments. Grants are provided in the subject areas of science, social studies, and geography. Priority is given to educators working in communities that have been particularly hard hit by the pandemic. K-12 teaching professionals worldwide who work directly with students in the classroom are eligible to apply.

**Eligibility:** K-12 teaching professionals

**Amount of Awards:** \$1,000 to \$8,000

**Deadline:** Applications are accepted on a continual basis

**Website:** <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/funding-opportunities/grants/what-we-fund/covid-19-emergency-fund-educators/>

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### **School-Based Healthcare Foundation**

**Description:** The School-Based Healthcare Foundation is proud to announce a three-year recurring principal discretionary grant of up to \$5,000 per academic year, as well as a mental health professional to support student behavioral health services on campus.

**Eligibility:** K-12

**Amount of Awards:** up to \$5,000.

**Deadline:** open

**Website:** <https://www.sbhsnetwork.com/grants>

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**Captain Planet Foundation**

**Description:** Captain Planet Foundation invest in high-quality, solution-based programs that embrace STEM learning and empower youth to become local & global environmental change-makers. Educators, both K-12 and informal, who are interested in receiving support for students to design and implement hands-on environmental solutions are eligible for project funding. Please carefully research the grants and resource opportunities on the website to determine which program best fits your needs

**Eligibility:** K-12 classroom and informal teachers

**Amount of awards:** varies

**Deadline:** varies

**Website:** <https://captainplanetfoundation.org/grants/>

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**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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**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/>

- **To search for grant opportunities:** <https://www.grants4schoolsnetwork.com/>