

GRANTS ALERT

The following grant opportunities are being provided as a service of Brevard Schools Foundation. If you wish to submit a grant that <u>requires</u> 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.

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New! - KidsGardening

Description: Established in 1982, KidsGardening works to create opportunities for kids to play, learn, and grow through gardening, engaging their natural curiosity and wonder. To advance this mission, KidsGardening invites applications for its 2023 Youth Garden Grants program. Projects may include planning a new garden program or improving an established one and must serve at least 15 youth between the ages of 0 and 18.

Eligibility: Any organization in the United States or U.S. Territories is eligible to apply.

Amount of Award: A total of 50 youth garden programs will be awarded \$500 in funding and a collection of gardening supplies.

Deadline: quarterly - December 2, 2022

Website: https://kidsgardening.org/grant-opportunities/youth-garden-grant-23/

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<u>Laura Bush Foundation for America's Libraries</u>

Description: The Laura Bush Foundation for America's Libraries provides funds to the nation's needlest schools so that they can extend, update, and diversify the book and print collections in their libraries with the goal of encouraging students to develop a love of reading and learning. Funds may be used for the purchase of print or Braille volumes, audiobooks, e-books, or magazine/serial/e-magazine subscriptions.

Eligibility: Eligible applicants include public schools, neighborhood schools, charter schools, and magnet schools that are Title 1 eligible.

Amount of Award: TBD

Deadline: quarterly - November 30, 2022

Website: https://www.bushcenter.org/explore-our-work/taking-action/lbf-application-details.html

KidsGardening: Klorane Botanical Foundation

Description: The Budding Botanist Grant, presented by KidsGardening and the Klorane Botanical Foundation, provides funding to K-12 schools across the United States for school garden programs. In 2022, 20 high-needs schools will receive funding to support the development of new and expansion of existing gardens that teach students about environmental sustainability and the importance of biodiversity

Eligibility: Public, charter, and private K-12 schools demonstrating that at least 40% of their student population qualify for free or reduced-price meals are eligible to apply.

Amount of Award: \$1,000

Deadline: quarterly - October 14, 2022

Website: https://kidsgardening.org/grant-opportunities/budding-botanist-23/

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!New - Whole Foods 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. In partnership with the Bee Cause Project, the foundation invites applications for its Bee Grants program. The program provides educational beehives and bee programming support to 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 already existing educational hive program.

Eligibility: K-12 schools or nonprofit organizations serving grades K-12 in the U.S. and Canada

Amount of Award: \$1,500

Deadline: quarterly - October 15, 2022

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

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!New - Herb Society of America

Description: Thanks to the generosity of Donald Samull, who made a planned gift to The Herb Society of America, an herb garden grant program for elementary school classes was established more than a decade ago. These grants ensure that learning about herbs can be part of the cirruculum, a resource Mr. Samull — an elementary school teacher — regularly used in his own classroom.

Grants fill fund the establishment of an herb garden. In addition to plants, the funds may be used for supplies such as soil, plants trays, containers, child or youth sized tools, etc.

Eligibility: Elementary classrooms grades 3-6 with fifteen students or more

Amount of Award: \$300.

Deadline: quarterly - October 1, 2022

Website: https://www.herbsociety.org/get-involved/grants-scholarships/

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!New - Toshiba America Foundation

Description: The <u>Toshiba America Foundation</u> invites grant applications from grade K-5 teachers for innovative science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) projects.

Eligibility: K-5 teachers

Amount of Award: \$1,000

Deadline: October 1, 2022

Website: http://www.toshiba.com/taf/k5.jsp

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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/

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/		