



## 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! National Park Trust: Kids to Parks Day School Grants Program

**Description:** In celebration of Kids to Parks Day on May 20, 2023, the National Park Trust is offering the Kids to Parks Day School Grants Program, which provides support to under-resourced U.S. schools to help students discover and explore parks, historic sites, public lands, and waters. Funds can be used for distance learning experiences or up to \$1,000 for in-park experiences. All applications must include a stewardship element and a park-themed educational component that focuses on outdoor recreation and healthy lifestyles, environmental education/science, or history. Teachers can submit the application on behalf of their class, but direct student involvement in the application is required. Preference will be given to experiences that take place during May 2023, though exceptions for other spring 2023 dates will be considered. Funding must be used by June 30, 2023.

**Eligibility:** Title I pre-K through 12 classrooms in the U.S and its territories are eligible to apply

**Amount of Award:** up to \$500

**Deadline:** February 17, 2023. Visit the National Park Trust's website to access more information and the online application.

**Website:** <https://parktrust.org/overview/funding-opportunities/>

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### 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

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

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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 curriculum, a resource Mr. Samull — an elementary school teacher — regularly used in his own classroom.

Grants 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

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

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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/>