

GRANTS *Update*

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Grants Promote K-8 Running Programs

Application Deadline: May 15, 2013

The ING Run For Something Better School Awards Program, in partnership with the National Association for Sport and Physical Education (NASPE), seeks to increase physical activity in students and help fight childhood obesity. Awards will provide at least sixty grants of up to \$2,500 to schools that want to establish a school-based running program, or expand an existing program. Funded programs must have a commitment of at least 25 students in grades K-8 and be offered for at least eight weeks. Visit the NASPE website to review the grant guidelines and submit an online application.

<http://naspe.confex.com/naspe/2013/cfp.cgi>

Grants to Improve Social/Emotional Health of Students



Application Deadline: May 10, 2013

The Center for Research in Emotional and Social Health's grants program provides support to teachers, counselors, and other health care workers to provide evidence-based programs. Grants of up to \$1,000 are provided for projects that target social/emotional health. Visit the website for guidelines and application.

<http://www.cresh.org/apply-for-grants>

Funds for Literacy Programs

Application Deadline: May 23, 2013

Youth Literacy Grants from the Dollar General Foundation support schools, public libraries, and nonprofits to help students who are below grade level or experiencing difficulty reading. Visit the link below to view literacy grants.

http://www2.dollargeneral.com/dgliteracy/Pages/grant_programs.aspx

The Winning Grant Proposal Competition



Application Deadline: May 15, 2013

Have you been awarded a grant in the last year? Have you created a proposal with a compelling narrative, a strong, workable plan ready to implement, and a succinct, complete, and engaging executive summary?

Then enter your grant proposal and you may win even more in The Winning Grant Proposal Competition! The winner will receive a full year subscription to GrantStation and a full year membership to the Grant Professionals Association, among other great awards. Visit the website to learn more about the competition and to submit your application.

http://www.grantstation.com/Winning_Grant_Proposal.asp

National/Corporate Environmental "Living in a Material World" Science Grant

Application Deadline: May 25, 2013

Students often hear of materials science too late for career planning. That's why the ASM Foundation is supporting teachers through "Living in a Material World" K-12 teacher grants. Applicants must submit a two-page proposal describing a curriculum based hands-on project. Visit the website to learn more.

<http://www.asminternational.org/portal/site/www/foundation/educators/k-12-grants>

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School Garden Grants Available

Application Deadline: May 31, 2013

Annie's Grants for Gardens are provided to K-12 school gardens nationwide that connect children directly to real food. Two types of grants are provided. One grant offers \$500 to start brand-new school garden programs. A second offers grants of \$1,500 to enhance current school garden programs. Online applications must be submitted. Visit the website to learn more about the program.

<http://www.annies.com/school-gardens/grants-for-gardens/>

Student Achievement, Learning and Leadership Grants

Application Deadline: June 1, 2013

The NEA Foundation awards Student Achievement grants to support initiatives that improve academic achievement and Learning and Leadership grants to support high-quality professional development.

www.neafoundation.org

Youth Running Programs Funded

Application Deadline: June 14, 2013 **Award Notification: August 14, 2013**

The Saucony Run for Good Foundation is committed to improving the lives of children by helping to prevent and reduce childhood obesity. Grants of up to \$10,000 are provided to nonprofit community organizations and public K-12 schools that initiate and support running programs for youth. Priority will be given to programs that serve youth not traditionally exposed to running programs. Visit the Foundation's website to download the application guidelines.

<http://www.sauconyrunforgood.com/how-to-apply/>

Teacher/Media Specialist Grants

Application Deadline: June 30, 2012

The Gale/Library Media Connection TEAMS Award will recognize critical collaboration between a teacher and media specialist to promote learning and increase student achievement. The top award is \$2,500. For more information and the application, please visit the website.

www.galeschools.com/TEAMS

2013 — From Failure to Promise K-12 Educator's Grant

Application Deadline: July 31, 2013

A \$1,000 grant will be awarded to school that has a plan to use the tenets of "From Failure To Promise: An Uncommon Path To Professoriate" to motivate students in K-12 to reach their full potential in literacy, math, science or technology.

<http://www.fromfailuretopromise.com/K-12-Educator-s-Literacy-Grant.html>

Programs for Children with Disabilities

Application Deadline: October 31, 2013

Some CVS Caremark Grants are provided to public schools that offer children with disabilities a greater level of inclusion in student activities and extracurricular programs. In addition, programs are supported that create greater access to healthcare services and health education for the underserved. Grants of up to \$5,000 are available. Applications may be submitted from January 1 to October 31 of each year. The online application and more information is available on the website.

<http://info.cvscaremark.com/community/our-impact/community-grants>

Music Instruction Grant

Application Deadline: Rolling

The Fender Music Foundation provides funding and resources for music. Grants range from \$500 to \$5,000 in value. Most of the awards are comprised of traditional instruments and the equipment necessary to play them.

Award Notification: Only awardees notified

<http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info>

Musical Instruments Grant

Application Deadline: Rolling

Hungry for Music puts musical instruments into hungry hands. Children who demonstrate a desire to learn music, or teachers who have willing pupils, but no instruments, are the clients they serve.

<http://hungryformusic.com/need-an-instrument>

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Pets in the Classroom Grant

Application Deadline: Rolling

Grants are for the purchase of new pets, pet environments or pet food and supplies for existing classroom pets. This program was established to help students benefit from exposure to pets in the classroom. Elementary and middle school classrooms are eligible.

Award Notification: Rolling

<http://www.petsintheclassroom.org>

Wells Fargo Grants Support Education

Application Deadline: Rolling

The bank supports local communities across the country through grants and volunteer activities. Education, including K-12 achievement gaps, is one of the supported areas. Award notification is made usually within 120 days. Visit the website to review the local funding guidelines and application procedures.

https://www.wellsfargo.com/about/charitable/ny_guidelines

Price Chopper's Golub Foundation

Application Deadline: 6 to 8 weeks prior to need for funding; 4 to 5 weeks prior to need for product donations

The Foundation offers product donations and some support for annual campaigns, building/renovation projects, capital campaigns and program development. The foundation supports organizations involved with arts and culture, education, health, youth development, and human services. Submit a letter of request to nearest store for product donations.

Visit the website for funding requests.

Award Notification: 3 to 4 months

<http://www.pricechopper.com/community/golub-foundation>

Applying for a grant? Received a grant? Share the news!

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