

Apply for a Grant



Gravely & Paige Grants for STEM Teachers

The AFCEA Educational Foundation, in partnership with AFCEA chapters, awards Gravely Grants for elementary-level teachers and Paige Grants for middle school teachers to promote innovative science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education within classrooms and outside, such as through robotics clubs. Teachers working with students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds receive priority.

Grants up to \$1,000 are awarded.

Applications are accepted May 1 through July 31, 2021.

Website: www.afcea.org/site/?q=foundation/gravely-teacher-grants/stem-teachers

Science Education Partnership Award (SEPA)

The Science Education Partnership Award (SEPA) program supports prekindergarten through grade 12 school and informal science education programs. Eligible activities include creative educational activities with primary focus on courses for skills development, curriculum or methods development, mentoring, research experiences, and outreach to disseminate educational and research resources.

Grants up to \$250,000 are awarded.

Deadline: Letters of Intent are due 30 days prior to application due date. Applications are due July 13, 2021; and July 13, 2022.

Website: grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-20-153.html

Air Force Junior ROTC Grants

The Air Force Association Junior ROTC (AFJROTC) grant program was established to promote aerospace education throughout classrooms and units. Applications are judged by the importance and the impact the selected aerospace activity will have on students. Funds may be used for any aerospace education related activity from purchasing textbooks or videotapes, to going on a field trip to an aerospace museum, Air Force base, or other aerospace facility.

Grants up to \$250 are awarded.

Deadline: Applications are due February 10 and October 10, annually.

Website: www.afa.org/education/air-force-junior-rotc-grants

Society of Aviation and Flight Educators, Inc. Grant

The Society of Aviation and Flight Educators, Inc. (SAFE) is offering four grant awards designed to encourage kindergarten through grade 12 classroom teachers to incorporate aviation-themed lessons into their normal curriculum. Grants may be used to design an aviation-themed classroom unit or complete an aviation-themed project.

Grants of \$250 each are awarded.

Deadline: Applications are due August 31, annually.

Website: www.safepilots.org/programs/k-12-classroom-teacher-grant/o

Wireless, STEM, and Radio Technology Education Project Grants

The Alfred E. Friend, Jr., W4CF, Educational Activities Fund provides annual grants for educational programs and activities of amateur radio organizations, with special emphasis on projects involving youth and teacher development. Eligible projects include explorations and ongoing education related to wireless; science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); and radio technology.

Grants up to \$3,000 are awarded.

Deadline: Applications are due October 1, annually.

Website: www.arrrl.org/arrrl-foundation-special-funds

ecoSolution Grants

The Captain Planet Foundation provides funds through ecoSolution Grants for support solution-oriented, youth-led projects that result in real environmental outcomes. ecoSolution Grants are available to educators working with youth in the United States.

Awards range from \$500 to \$2,500.

Deadline: Applications are accepted for Cycle 1: September 15 through January 15 and for Cycle 2: March 15 through July 15, annually.

Website: captainplanetfoundation.org/grants/ecosolution/

ecoTech Grants

The Captain Planet Foundation (CPF) is offering grants to support inquiry-based projects in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields that leverage technology or use nature-based designs to address environmental problems in local communities. Ideal projects are youth-led, project-based, and integrate technology to address an environmental problem that results in real, demonstrable environmental outcomes.

Grants up to \$2,500 are awarded.

Deadline: Applications are accepted March 15 through July 15 and September 15 through January 15, annually.

Website: captainplanetfoundation.org/grants/ecotech

H2O for Life Project Minigrants

The mission of H2O for Life is to improve local and global communities by engaging students as change-makers for a better world. Minigrants are intended to kick-start service-learning projects focused on the global water crisis and to benefit partner schools. Grants may be used for service-learning project expenses.

Awards range from \$250 to \$500.

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

Website: www.h2oforlifeschools.org/page/kickstart-your-project-with-a-grant

School Garden Grants

Safer Brand offers School Garden Grants to schools that want to create and start a school garden. Interested schools should explain their reasoning for a school garden and how they

would use the grant.

Grants of \$500 are awarded.

Applications are accepted September 1 through December 1, annually.

Website: www.saferbrand.com/articles/how-to-start-a-school-garden

Field Study Grants: Go Outside Fund (GO Fund)

The Go Outside Fund (aka GO Fund) provides funding that helps connect students and teachers with outdoor, nature-based learning experiences. Teachers or partner organizations may apply for funding to purchase field supplies, or pay for transportation, substitute teachers, or educator costs. Grants up to \$500 are available.

Website: www.wisconservation.org/grants/go-outside-fund/

The Harry Chapin Foundation Education Grant

The Harry Chapin Foundation makes grants in the areas of education, arts, agriculture, and the environment. Priority is given to arts-in-education programs, agricultural and environmental programs, and community education programs.

Grants up to \$10,000 are awarded.

Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round.

Website: harrychapinfoundation.org/apply/

Education and Youth Grants

The Webb Family Foundation makes grants in the areas of education; youth development; career and workforce development; financial literacy; entrepreneurship; science, technology, engineering, and mathematics; digital and blended learning; and youth mentorship.

Deadline: Letters of Inquiry are accepted January through June, annually.

Website: webbfamilyfoundation.org/learn-how-to-apply/learn

American Honda Foundation Education Grants

The American Honda Foundation supports education with a specific focus on the areas of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); the environment; job training; and literacy. It engages in grant making that reflects the basic tenets, beliefs, and philosophies of Honda companies, which are characterized by the following qualities: imaginative, creative, youthful, scientific, humanistic, and innovative.

Awards range from \$20,000 to \$75,000 over a one-year period.

Deadline: For new applicants, applications are due February 1 and August 1, annually. For returning applicants, applications are due May 1, annually.

Website: www.honda.com/community/applying-for-a-grant

SCA Grants

Sony Corporation of America and its operating companies offer funding to programs that support education and creative, artistic, technical, and scientific skills that are necessary for tomorrow's workforce.

Requests are accepted year-round.

Website: www.sony.com/en_us/SCA/social-responsibility/giving-guidelines.html

Education Grants

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. Applications are accepted year-round.

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

Education Grants, Stavros Niarchos Foundation

The Stavros Niarchos Foundation awards grants to fund projects in education as well as arts and culture, health and sports, and social welfare. Examples of previous education grants are a summer and after-school tutoring program for middle school students from low-income backgrounds, an "edible schoolyard" gardening program, music education, and multiple examples of support for higher education initiatives.

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

Website: www.snf.org/en/grants/information-for-applicants-how-to-apply/

Change Happens Foundation Grants

The Change Happens Foundation makes grants in the following areas:

- Science: research and education in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.
- Environment: programs focused on conservation, climate change, and sustainable energy.
- Education: ideas and practices to educate and prepare students for bright and rewarding futures.

Deadline: Letters of Inquiry are accepted year-round.

Website: www.changehappens.us/HowToApply

Music Education Grants

The D'Addario Music Foundation awards grants and product donations to sustainable music instruction programs in order to improve access to music education. Supported programs include those that bring music back into communities and schools, and gets kids playing as early and as frequently as possible.

Deadline: Applications are due June 15, 2021.

Website: www.daddariofoundation.org/grants

Music Education Grants

The Mockingbird Foundation, Inc. offers grants to public schools and nonprofit organizations to support projects in music education. The primary focus is students, ages 18 and younger, with particular interest in projects that target underserved children.

Awards range from \$100 to \$10,000.

Deadline: Initial inquiries are accepted year-round.

Website: mbird.org/grants/apply/

KaBOOM! Grants

KaBOOM! supports organizations that build playgrounds for children and youth to ensure they have the opportunity to lead an active and healthy lifestyle. KaBOOM! offers the opportunity for organizations to receive a Rigamajig or Imagination Playground, or both.

Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round.

Website: kaboom.org/grants/creative-play