



Amy Walker Classroom Excellence Grants

Amy Walker Classroom Excellence Grants provide up to \$1,000 in curriculum support for classroom or school-wide projects that support innovation in the classroom, unique programs and initiatives, and transformative learning. Educators can apply for:

- Individual classroom grants for up to \$500 to fund projects that increase classroom learning.
- Collaborative project grants for up to \$1,000 to fund projects that involve two or more teachers from multiple classrooms, grade levels, or schools.

Submitted grant applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Priority will be given to projects that impact innovation in the classroom, unique programs and initiatives, and transformative learning. All project requests for this grant **must be** academically based.
- Impact on the classroom, including numbers of students impacted, and how student learning will be enhanced.
- Ability to measure success of the project.
- Innovation, or uniqueness of the project.

Amy Walker Classroom Excellence Grants may not be used for:

- Materials/equipment not directly related to the project.
- Compensation of teachers, staff, or substitute teachers.
- Student scholarships.
- Materials and supplies normally funded by the EVSC.
- Projects previously funded by this grant.

Please complete all items in the application as outlined below. **Grant applications must adhere to the format of the application.** Make sure application is checked for spelling and grammatical errors prior to submission. Be sure your budget adds up correctly. Make sure to upload all required documents with your application. If you have questions about your application, please contact info@evscfoundation.org.

Deadline for Application: Applications must be received electronically by **4:00 p.m. on Friday, October 28, 2022**. Late applications will not be accepted. A confirmation email will be sent out on Monday, October 31, 2022 to notify applicants that their applications have been received. If you do not receive one within 2 business days, contact info@evscfoundation.org.

Notification of the awards will be made by November 10, 2022 and funds will be distributed by the first week of December.

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Application Questions:

1. Contact Person (one name only)
2. Telephone
3. Email
4. School
5. School Address/Zip
6. Grade
7. Subject (if applicable)
8. Other Applicants' Names, Schools, Grades and Subjects (if not applicable, write in N/A)
9. Type of Project
 - a. Individual Classroom Project
 - b. Collaborative Project
10. Amount Requested
11. Number of Students Directly Impacted by the Project
12. Number of Students Indirectly Impacted by the Project (if applicable; if not, write N/A)
13. Is this Project able to be Completed if only Partial Funding is Received?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
14. Please Explain your Answer to the Previous Question
15. If Awarded these Funds, would you be Willing to Share your Project with our Organization?
16. Provide a 1-paragraph (30-50 words) description of the project.
17. List project goals and objectives.

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18. Explain specific needs of the target group for this project. Include information on how student learning will be enhanced as a result of this project.
19. Explain specific need/s this project addresses that is/are not currently being met.
20. Describe your evaluation process for this project. How will you measure the impact on academic achievement for this project?
21. Attach a detailed project budget (1 page). Outline details about all expected funding and expenses for this project, including in-kind contributions (with sources). Requests for refreshments (food, meals, snacks), prizes, transportation/travel and t-shirts are greatly discouraged.
22. Explain, if possible, the potential for continuation of project in future years. Will additional funding be necessary? If so, how much?
23. If the project has been previously funded, who was the funder? What year(s) was it funded? Please explain success to date and justification for further funding.
24. How will the EVSC Foundation be recognized for supporting the project?
25. Upload your completed and signed Supervisor Support Form.

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