

**What is the application timeline?**

September 25                    Applications available online  
October 23                    Completed applications due  
December 15                  Application review completed and notifications made  
January (date TBD)          Formal grant award presentation

**What programs and projects are eligible for grants?**

The Foundation will award grants for faculty sponsored innovative educational and cultural programs; student scholarships for supplemental instruction and programs in the arts, sciences, and environment; and other projects that benefit the schools and our community. Grant awards range from \$100 to \$7,500. Over the past five years the Foundation has awarded on average 12 grants per year totaling \$22,192. Grants may be partially funded if the Foundation is not able to fund the entire budget. Grants are not awarded for programs or items that would traditionally be funded through the budget process.

<b>Eligible</b>	<b>Ineligible</b>
Innovative technology or computer programs* or standard equipment needed to create a new program for students	Standard equipment that would normally be included in a department's budget for existing programs
Stipends for trainers, experts, other professionals (non-district staff)	Stipends for supervisors involved in student clubs/groups
Startup costs for a new club/student group	Ongoing operating costs
Equipment that will be used in an innovative, creative way	Replacement of old equipment
Grant funds may be used for publicity	Grant funds may not be used for fundraising purposes or donations to other organizations.

\*Please note: all technology requests will be reviewed by the district technology director and the school's technology staff to ensure that they align with the district's technology objectives.  
Grants awards are available as of January 1 and must be spent within a calendar year.