

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE RESOURCE GRANTS



Who

Any TK-12 teacher working at a low-income public school in Alameda County or San Mateo County is eligible to apply. A maximum of three grants will be awarded to a school, and one grant per teacher per school year.

What

Grants of up to \$500 will be awarded to teachers to enhance classroom environmental science curriculum through projects, supplies, field trips, and professional development. Examples include:

- Field trip related to the study of wetland restoration and water conservation
- In-classroom presentations on endangered species by local wildlife experts
- Gardening supplies for students to build a wildlife habitat
- Adopt-a-Behive program for a project-based learning activity about bees
- Materials for a school-wide climate stewardship project

How

It's easy! Simply submit a description of your idea on school letterhead, including the following information:

- Date and notation on top that request is for an Environmental Science Grant
- School and district name, address, telephone and fax numbers
- Your name, grade level, email address
- Description of your classroom and funding need
- Total amount requested
- Item by Item listing of how the money will be spent
- Applications must be signed by both the submitting teacher and principal (***If you cannot get your application physically signed, please cc your principal/director when submitting your request by email and let them know to respond by confirming that they approve your application for review. This email will serve as their "signature"***)

When

Send your request in as soon as it is ready. If approved, funds will immediately be disbursed. Please check our website at www.venturesfoundation.org before writing up a proposal to ensure funding is still available.

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