

Who

Any TK-12 teacher working at a low-income public school in Alameda or San Mateo County is eligible to apply. A maximum of five 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 fund STEAM curriculum in the form of hands-on projects, classroom resources, curriculum supports, guest subject experts and professional development.

Examples include: bringing in a subject expert to your classroom, supporting an afterschool or summer STEAM Club, and purchasing reusable design thinking resource kits like "Rigamajigs" for an entire class.

How

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

- Date and Technology, Engineering and Design Thinking Grant notation
- School and district name, address, telephone and fax number
- Your name, email address, grade level
- Title 1 status and/or percentage of students eligible for Free and Reduced-Price Lunch
- Total amount requested
- Description of your project
- How many students will benefit
- Itemization of how the money will be spent
- Applications must be signed by both the submitting teacher and the school principal
- Who the check should be made payable to (school, district or PTA only) and the address the check should be mailed to.

When

Scan and email your application to cdavis@venturesfoundation.org.

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



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