2020-21 Arts Education Support Grant
Application Fact Sheet

Arts Education Impact Grants, funded by License4Learning - the Florida Specialty Education License Plate, will be awarded for the purchase of supplies, materials, equipment and/or equipment repair.

Eligibility
- Traditional Orange County Public School Pre-K - 12th grade fine arts classroom teacher may apply.
- Charter schools are not eligible.

Project Focus
- All grant awards will be used for the purchase of supplies, materials, equipment, and/or equipment repair to support visual and performing art classes.

Award Amount Available
- Up to $500 per teacher.

Awards Will NOT Cover
- Honoraria, salaries, stipends or substitute teachers
- Field trips or transportation
- Food, incentives, t-shirts and/or awards
- Entry fees

Application Requirements
- All applications must be submitted via the online grant portal and approved by the principal.
- All applications must be anonymous. Please do NOT mention names (teacher, school, student, mascot, newspaper) unless specifically asked.

Key Dates
- Application Deadline: August 7, 2020
- Award Notification by: November 1, 2020
- Spend Funds Deadline: January 11, 2021
- Submit Expense Report: January 25, 2021
- Unspent Funds Returned: January 25, 2021
- Final Evaluation Due: April 26, 2021
- PowerPoint and/or Video Due: April 26, 2021

If you are unable to meet the key dates for spending and reporting, please do NOT apply. Unspent funds must be returned to the Foundation by January 25, 2021 so those funds can be redistributed.

Evaluation Process
Each application will be reviewed, evaluated, and scored by a panel of three community volunteers. Most volunteer judges are not educators and will not be familiar with acronyms and/or curricular areas. It is in your best interest to minimize education jargon. Judges will evaluate applications according to the criteria listed in the rubric and answers provided by applicant(s).

Funding Process
Checks will be made payable to the grantee’s school. Amount granted may be different from the budget requested.

Other Pertinent Information
- Supplies, materials, and equipment purchased with grant funds do not become the personal property of the grantee; however, supplies, materials and equipment can travel from school to school with the grantee. Upon resignation or retirement, any remaining supplies, materials and equipment become the property of the OCPS school where last held.
- Any funds not used and/or accounted for MUST be returned to the Foundation when the Expense Summary is submitted by the January 25, 2021 deadline.

Grantee Responsibility
- You MUST upload your signed contract to assigned Goggle drive.
- You MUST expend grant funds NO earlier than receipt of your grant funds and no later than January 11, 2021.
- You MUST submit a Final Evaluation Report and PowerPoint presentation and/or video presentation by April 26, 2021.