



Foundation For Allen Schools Grant Application

Scholarship Fund Amount: \$0

Application #: AP224624

Applicant First Name: Cristen

Applicant Last Name: Allen

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Gender:

Cell Phone #:

High School:

Post Secondary School:

Application Status: Submitted

Application Questions and Answer

Question	Answer
Preferred name/name that you go by:	Cristen
Best phone number to reach you at:	+14699193510
Campus	Rountree Elementary School
Grade(s)	Pre-K;Kindergarten;1;2;3;4;5;6
I have co-applicants:	No
Please provide your work-related Facebook contact information.	
Please provide your work-related Twitter contact information.	CAllenIC_AISD
Name of Grant	Animal Ambassadors
Please select the MAIN curriculum area your grant addresses.	Science / STEAM

Does your grant have a technology component?	No
Will other campuses be involved/impacted?	No
Will other grades be involved/impacted?	No
How many students will be involved in this grant?	300
Are there any additional funds available for this grant?	No
What is the problem, need or opportunity that this grant will address? Describe the impact of this project on your students.	I would like to bring the Heard to our students! The museum offers hands-on programs designed to allow students to experience learning in an interactive way using museum resources.
How will the project or program be implemented? Describe activities and tasks. Who is the target population and in what ways will they benefit?	Explore animals and their environment with live animals and natural specimens. The Heard Museum will send a representative or a group of representatives to present live animals and natural specimens to our students, bringing their nonfiction reading to life. Our students will be able to explore those animals and the environments they come from. The students will be able to experience animals that they would not be able to see in their environment. This experience would build background knowledge, vocabulary, give students an opportunity to connect what they are learning in the classroom.
Provide a brief summary for use on the Foundation's website and social media.	The Heard Museum will send a representative or a group of representatives to present live animals and natural specimens to our students, bringing their nonfiction reading to life. Our students will be able to explore those animals and the environments they come from. The students will be able to experience animals that they would not be able to see in their environment.
	VI.B.1 - Child observes, investigates, describes, and discusses the characteristics of organisms. (K.10) Organisms and environments. The student knows that organisms resemble structures and processes that help them survive within their environments. 1.10A Organisms and

<p>Which Allen ISD goals/TEKS does this project support? Please provide 2 or 3 examples.</p>	<p>environments. The student knows that organisms resemble their parents and have structures and processes that help them survive within their environments. 2.9A and 2.10A Organisms and environments. The student knows that living organisms have basic needs that must be met for them to survive within their environment. 3.10A Organisms and environments. The student knows that basic needs that must be met for them to survive within their environment. 4.10A Organisms and environments. The student knows that organisms undergo similar life processes and have structures and behaviors that help them survive within their environment. 5.10A Organisms and environments. The student knows that organisms have structures and behaviors that help them survive within their environments.</p>
<p>What specific measurements will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of the project?</p>	<p>Students would be able to better grasp the big idea that all living organisms have specific characteristics which help them survive in their environment. We anticipate seeing a better understanding because of the connections that the students will be making throughout this hands-on approach.</p>
<p>What teaching methods will be used to implement this project?</p>	<p>The Heard Museum representatives are trained with the standardized testing vocabulary and with strategies to help keep the attention and support the needs of each and every learner.</p>
<p>What is the project timeline and the date of implementation?</p>	<p>Students will benefit from this grant during their Animal Environments units in the 2020-2021 school year.</p>
<p>Explain how this idea or project enhances/supports Allen ISD curriculum or existing systems.</p>	<p>I feel that this project melds well with the Science and nonfiction ELA curriculum and offers teachers another way to help grow their students as scientists and readers.</p>
<p>Total Grant Budget Requested:</p>	<p>600</p>
	<p><i>CORR</i></p>

Project Budget Set Number 1

Question	Answer
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Item Type	Instructional Supplies or Resources
List item to be purchased under item category:	150 students for \$300, 300 students for \$600
Unit Cost	600
Quantity	1
Total cost of items in this category:	600