

Grant Number 1053

Project Title Rockin' in my school chair

Please select the **MAIN** curriculum area your grant addresses. English as a Second Language

Does your grant have a technology component? (Will you have technology equipment, software, etc. in your budget?)

No
 Yes

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Campus Rountree Elementary

Main Subject Physical Education

Grade(s) Pre-K

I have co-applicants.

Social Media

Please provide your work-related social media contact information.

Facebook

Twitter

Other (please specify)

Additional Grant Applicants

	First Name	Last Name	Campus	Grade
Adrienne		Beggs	Rountree Elementary	PPCD
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Stephanie		Ruehlen	Rountree Elementary	PPCD
Jessica		Rathkopf	Rountree Elementary	PPCD
Amy		Moncrief	Rountree Elementary	PPCD
Mariana		Esparza	Rountree Elementary	PPCD

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Campus/Student Information

Your campus: Rountree Elementary

Will other campus' be involved/impacted by this grant?

No
 Yes

Please select all campuses that will be involved/impacted by the grant.

Your grade(s): Pre-K

Will other grades be involved/impacted?

No
 Yes

Project Purpose

What is the problem, need or opportunity that this grant will address? Describe the impact of this project on your students. (500 words or less.)

Allen's Preschool Program for Children with Disabilities is in need of active seating choices for our students. The zuma rocker chairs provide our students productive "wiggle" opportunities so that they are able to focus more on the speaker and attend better to tasks and lessons. By having 2 rocker chairs in every class, students are able to be more involved in general education setting during Pre-K inclusion times and during library time as the chairs are able to go with them.

Project Description

How will the project or program be implemented? Describe activities and tasks.
Who is the target population and in what ways will they benefit? (500 words or less.)

The funding will allow us to purchase 2 chairs for all 7 PPCD classrooms across the district. Our children of all abilities will be able to use the zuma rockers in large group settings as an active seating choice, when working in small groups, or brought with them to an inclusion classroom to be most successful in a general education setting.

Project Summary

Provide a brief summary for use on the Foundation's website and social media. (2-3 brief sentences)

We will be able to provide the Foundation with pictures and videos of our precious exceptional learners Rockin' in their School Chairs!

Allen ISD Goals/ TEKS

Which Allen ISD goals/TEKS does this project support? Provide only two or three examples.

In addition to the Pre-K guidelines our zuma rockers will support, we will be supporting each child's Individualized Education Plan as the chairs will provide students the ability to actively participate in large group, small group, and 1:1 settings. Pre-K guidelines supported include: the child follows classroom routines with limited guidance (the chairs will allow them to release energy in an appropriate way), each child regulates their behavior (through appropriate movement and active seating outlets), and the child will remain focused on engaging group activities for up to 20 minutes at a time (the active seating provides students productive movement, allowing them to sustain attention for longer periods).

Measurement

What specific measurements will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of the project? (500 words or less)

We will be able to see the effectiveness of the zuma rockers through progress on our student's IEP goals as they are provided active seating choices. We will also note the effectiveness as we are able to increase the rigor of activities we design for our students of varying abilities.

Teaching Methods

What teaching methods will be used to implement this project? (500 words or less.)

In order to have our students be successful Rockin' in their School Chairs, we will utilize peer modeling, video modeling, and visual and verbal support to ensure our students are reaping the maximum benefits of their new seating choice!

Timeline

What is the project timeline and the date of implementation?

We would be able to purchase the chairs as soon as funding is provided and be able to share the difference the zuma rockers have made in the classroom quickly thereafter.

Curriculum/System Support

Explain how this idea or project enhances/supports Allen ISD curriculum or existing systems.

This project supports Allen ISD's special education programming by providing multi-sensory, active, and diverse seating to support all of Allen ISD's learners.

Budget Details ** All awarded funds will be available by September of the next school year.

Budget Item	Item Type	Unit Cost	Quantity	Total Cost
13" Zuma Rocker Chair	Instructional Supplies or Resources	99.0	14	1386.0

BUDGET TOTAL 1,386

Are there any additional funds available for this grant? Campus or District Funds? PTA funds? Let us know if you have or will be seeking funds from other sources to help with this project.

Additional funds? No
 Yes

Principal Approval Required

Please provide the Name and Email of your PRINCIPAL. (Not your name)

First Name	Last Name	Email Address(Completed)
Lara	Utecht	lara.utecht@allenisd.org

Applicant Signature

By entering my name below I signify that I understand that if I move within the District and have written the grant myself, I may take the grant with me to my school (as long as it is appropriate for my classes). If I have written the grant as part of a team, I will leave the grant behind with the team. If I leave AISD, I will leave the grant with the school for which I wrote the grant. As a condition of this grant, I will complete an evaluation form provided by the Foundation.

Signature Adrienne Beggs

Date 01/24/2019

I certify that this would be a good use of funds for our school and this grant supports the district goals and/or our campus improvement plans. **Do NOT include any identifiers, such as: campus name, your name, teachers name or mascot **

No actions possible.

Comments

Supports our SPED students and developing their strategies to become school age students.

State Change History

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State Change *****
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Grant Status

Grant Awarded Yes
 No

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