



## **Pompton Lakes Education Foundation, Inc.**

### **Teacher Mini - Grant Program – Spring 2020**

The Pompton Lakes Education Foundation (PLEF) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to enhancing the educational experience for the students of the Pompton Lakes Public School System. The foundation has established a teacher grant program in order to support innovative ideas teachers and staff may have to benefit students.

#### **Eligibility**

The Grant Program is a competitive one that awards between \$100 and \$500 for projects that support learning through enhancement of the district's curriculum. **Administrators and teachers who work in the Pompton Lakes School system are all eligible to apply for a PLEF Grant.**

#### **Grant Selection Process**

Grants submitted on or before the deadline, are reviewed by a committee established by the PLEF. Proposals eligible for funding are those that provide a means to enhance student learning and/or innovation. The foundation's goal is to fund a wide range of programs and ideas in a variety of ways.

#### **What Will a PLEF Grant Fund?**

A PLEF grant will fund equipment, supplies, technology and other resources that a teacher may want to use in support of a classroom activity or an extension of a classroom activity. It is not the intention of the PLEF to fund grants for items which are required staples of a classroom (i.e. textbooks, basic curriculum materials, basic supplies, building construction or maintenance.)

#### **Interested? Get started now!**

In order to apply for a PLEF Teacher Grant, complete and submit the attached application. The deadline for this round of grants is **Friday, April 24, 2020**. Grant awards will be announced in mid-late May and all applicants will be officially notified by **Friday, June 5, 2020**.

**PLEF Teacher Mini Grant Awards must be expended between September 2020 and June 2021.**

Any application received after the deadline will be returned. **Any funds not expended by the deadline will be forfeited.**

Please send completed applications to [\*\*pomptonlakesef@gmail.com\*\*](mailto:pomptonlakesef@gmail.com) or mail to:

Pompton Lakes Education Foundation, Inc.  
237 Van Avenue  
Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442  
ATTN: GRANT APPLICATION

**Questions?** Contact Diane Gelok, President of the PLEF at 973-809 9366 (cell) or [\*\*diane.gelok@plps.org\*\*](mailto:diane.gelok@plps.org)



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### 2020-2021 Grant Application

**Project Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School(s)/Department(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name/Position:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone number(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**List any other faculty members participating in this grant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of grant: (select all that apply) \*\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ **Technology**          \_\_\_\_\_ **Equipment**          \_\_\_\_\_ **Educational Materials**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Other (please specify)**

**Amount of funding requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approximate number of students who will benefit from this grant:**

\*\*\*Note: Applicants should not expect continued funding to implement or sustain the program beyond the grant year. All grant applications should be reviewed by your building principal and/or your immediate supervisor to be sure that the request does not conflict with the district curriculum or its technology plan.



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### Project Description

#### Please respond briefly to each of the questions below

1. **PROGRAM SUMMARY:** Please provide a summary and brief description of the project and how it addresses an educational need or goal. Also describe the student population that will benefit from the project.
2. **GOALS:** What are the short and long-term goals of the project? Please describe how you will evaluate whether the project met these goals.
3. **INNOVATION:** To what standards and/or aspects of the curriculum is the project linked? In what way does it extend beyond what is normally required?
4. **CORE ACTIVITIES:** Describe what students will do as they participate in the project.
5. **BUDGET:** Please provide a detailed budget for your project. If applicable, include price quotes.

Principal Comments:

Dr. Paul Amoroso, Superintendent of Schools Comments: