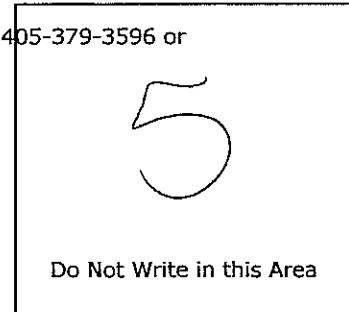


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## Grants to Teachers Application Form

*Please use a typewriter or word processor to complete the application.  
Submit in the format listed below.*

Date: March 2018

Grant Title: You HAVE not - Because you ASK not!

School: Thomas Middle School

Grade Level(s): 5th

Sherry Ellingsworth

Content Area: ALL AREAS - Social Studies, Geography, Math, Reading, Language, Science, Music, Video presentations, Spelling. . .

Total Dollar Amount Requested: \$ 13,225.00 (includes shipping and handling)

\$ 2145<sup>00</sup>

**1. What is the major educational need this grant addresses? Please give grade level and academic area.**

Fifth grade is a testing year. Students are tested in EVERY subject. The iPad has shown to have tremendous success being used in the classroom. Text books are being designed specifically for the iPad. This would cost less than text books and would be a cost saving practice. State achievement tests for 5th grade will soon be taken on computers as the upper grades already do. The iPad is also a great tool to use for learning-disabled students.

There are countless apps and programs available to help students in every subject. In my core subject they can be used in several ways, the most important being research for the state writing test they are required to take. Students are able to work at their own pace with assignments designed just for them and their specific needs.

There are also programs and apps to help teachers to be more effective.

**2. Approximately how many pupils will be affected by this project, both directly and indirectly?**

An unlimited number. For this specific purpose, all of the fifth grade, this year averaging approximately 100 students. They can be used in all fifth grade classrooms, teaching all the core subjects, in the weekly DIBBLES testing, in AR tests, and extra credit assignments. They can also be shared with all other grades if and when the need is there.

**3. Describe your grant including methods, materials and objectives. Foundation grants are intended to fund a creative teaching plan, so if equipment or materials are requested it should be clearly stated as to why these are an integral part of the plan.**

There are 1000s of educational apps for all kinds of learners - music, art, maps, graphs, etc. - that are not available otherwise, which would provide a whole new world of possibilities for students to fit learning to their own personal abilities. The iPad can also be used as a great tool for teachers to monitor student progress, and to enable teachers to help remedial students as well as provide advanced instruction from dozens of apps currently not available to them

**4. Give a time schedule of implementation.**

IMMEDIATELY! As soon as it is delivered to the school, as soon as it is delivered to the school

**5. Detail your budget request. Include specific information about kinds of materials and equipment needed, sources of supply, and costs (including shipping and handling). If possible, list alternatives if full funding is not available.**

Purchased from the APPLE store  
25 iPads @ 399.00 each  
25 cases @ 30.00 each  
Ipad syncing cart 2,500.00  
TOTAL 13,225.00 (including shipping and handling)

If funding is not available for the full grant, any amount will be greatly appreciated!

**6. What methods will be used for measuring the stated objectives, or what definite evaluation will you make to determine whether the grant was successful? (Please be specific)**

I am confident that our objectives may be measured by students' academic improvement reflected on test scores. I expect students to show more enjoyment, and less boredom, of their studies in the classroom. I believe that close monitoring of student progress, and information shared between teachers, will allow the evaluation of any changes or improvements that might be necessary to utilize this tool to its greatest potential. I am certain it will be of great benefit to our students. I am confident we will see the success we fully expect.