



# GRANT FUNDING

## NEWSLETTER

GRANT FUNDING ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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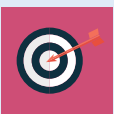
### Grant Development Process and How Grants Administration Can Help You



## Good News!

### Warmest Welcome to the Grants Administration Director!

Prior to joining Grants Administration, Jennifer Escandell, served as the Leadership Development Coordinator for BCPS Leadership Development Office, where she facilitated the District's Level II Principal Preparation Program for six years. Before joining the District, Jennifer served as an elementary school principal, a K-8 assistant principal, and a high school English teacher with Miami-Dade County Public Schools. She earned both her B.A. degree in English and M.S. degree in English Education from the University of Florida and was awarded her Specialist degree in Educational Leadership from Nova Southeastern University. She is currently working on her Ph.D. in the School Leaders program at Florida Atlantic University.



A copy of all grant applications (in-kind and actual) to external agencies must be submitted to GA as soon as possible to obtain School Board approval. Grant contracts and funds will not be awarded without Board approval. A copy may be submitted via e-mail to [grants@browardschools.com](mailto:grants@browardschools.com) or via pony mail to GA to the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor of the K.C. Wright Administrative Building. All grant applications **MUST** support the District's Strategic Plan Goals.

## Digital Promise – Verizon Innovative Learning Schools Grant



**Verizon**, through Digital Promise Global, has awarded BCPS a grant of **\$10,800,000** to increase student access to technology. The grant comprises digital devices with data plans for students and teachers, financial support for instructional coaches at each participating school, and in-kind professional learning and technical assistance. Congratulations to Bair Middle School, Driftwood Middle School, Forest Glen Middle School, Millennium 6-12, Parkway, and Anabel C. Perry PreK-8. GA staff worked with school-based staff, Innovative Learning, Title I, Migrant & Special Programs, Office of Facilities and Construction, and Information Technology staff to facilitate meetings, answer questions from the schools, gather information for the application, and complete the application.

## NextEra Energy Foundation Awards Grant to Cypress Run Education Center

**Florida Power & Light Company (FPL)** is supporting five schools in Florida to receive a Classroom Makeover Grant as part of a \$2 million, 4-year commitment from its charitable arm, the **NextEra Energy Foundation**, to advance STEM curriculum, increase the exposure of Black students to STEM education and jumpstart students' interest in STEM careers. Cypress Run Education Center was one of the five schools to receive **\$50,000** through this initiative! Funding will be used to establish a multimedia technology lab to include web design programs, TV production arrangements, coding software, robotics education and Microsoft certifications. GA staff supported school-based staff to develop and submit the proposal. Thank you NextEra and FPL! Lots of congratulations to Dr. Fanya Jabouin, Family Counselor and Nordia Barber, Math Teacher at Cypress Run.



Pictured from left to right: Dr. Fanya Jabouin, Family Counselor, McKenley Romeo, Director of Home & Business Energy Solutions for FPL, Juliet Roulhac, Director of External Affairs for FPL, Dr. Gastrid Harrigan, Principal and Nordia Barber, Mathematics Teacher

## COPS School Violence Prevention Program Continues to Support BCPS



**COPS**  
Community Oriented Policing Services  
U.S. Department of Justice

The **COPS School Violence Prevention Program (SVPP)** is designed to provide funding to improve security at schools. BCPS has been awarded **\$500,000** to support a three-year program to acquire and install auto-lock door handles in classrooms throughout the District. One of the most important elements of providing a safer school environment is preventing unauthorized individuals' access to classrooms. Auto-lock door handles are part of the District's evidence-based safety program. GA staff worked in collaboration with Enterprise Risk and Emergency Preparedness to determine the grant request and complete the application.

## Nova High School Receives Grant from AT&T

Students at Nova High School will benefit from a statewide investment by **AT&T** that seeks to engage students who may have fallen behind during the pandemic as well as those from underserved communities. The AT&T Full STEAM Ahead for Florida's Future grant of **\$5,000** made through The Broward Education Foundation (BEF) with the support of the Consortium of Florida Education Foundations, will help initiate several innovative projects taught by Joseph Kelly, a 9-12 grade teacher at Nova High. By mastering computer-aided design, students will learn how to apply aerodynamics, mechanical and structural design as they create physical models. GA staff supported the school throughout the proposal process. Congratulations Joseph Kelly on your grant success!

## Toyota Foundation Recognizes BCPS Teacher with Grant Award

Manoucheka Dolcine, Teacher – Dave Thomas Education Center, was awarded the Toyota Family Teacher of the Year Award. The award given by the **Toyota Foundation** and the National Center for Families Learning includes a **\$20,000** grant to the school. For more than two decades, Manoucheka Dolcine has fostered family learning environments by involving both parents and children in her classroom. Ms. Dolcine's programs focus on positive social interactions, sensory and social emotional activities, workforce and career development, and academic mentorship programs for young adult parents. Grant funds will support the teen program at Dave Thomas Education Center.



## In Their Own Words...

**Name:** Valerie J. Crawford-Meyer

**Position:** Teacher-on-Special Assignment

**Years of service:** 18

**How many grants have you been awarded and what is the total dollar amount awarded?** Prior to working for BCPS, I worked for University of Miami -Med Campus grants office, which meant you wrote grants to sustain a portion of your salary. Those grants were from NIH, HCOPs, as well as state and federal funding. To date on behalf of BCPS, I have written and secured for the District three major grants: Verizon Innovative Learning Schools, which now has three active cohorts; ST Math; and Project Lead the Way (PLTW). Presently, Verizon is building a \$500,000 5G Lab, one of only six in the world (Boston, NYC, LA, DC, San Francisco, London, and now in Miramar). Each of these grants are now actively working in the District at various Title I schools.



**Ms. Crawford-Meyer (far left) and colleagues**

**Which grant-supported project is your favorite?** My favorite is the Verizon/ASU Immersive Media grant. This curriculum will be the impetus behind the 5G Lab. The ASU curriculum includes Digital Product Innovations (2D/3D printing), Immersive Media (Augmented Reality/Virtual reality), Smart Solution (electronics and sensors, IoT kits and devices), and Coding/Artificial Intelligence (data analysis, algorithms, AI devices and platforms). These four-curriculum areas will be made available for over 45% of our current students.

**What is your process for filling out a grant application?** Ah, the process. First, contact Grants Administration to let them know your intent. Then I spend time with a highlighter and my glasses to read the requirements and performance requirements of the grant. Having come from a medical school environment, I always err on the side of an "Internal Review Board (IRB)" when looking at the performance requirements. If it compromises or even looks like the data collection piece outweighs the value to my students, then I move on.

**Do you have any grant writing tips?** The grant writing tip that I have is to be persistent and persevere. If you don't get funded your first time, try again. As well, start small. Also, it is always good to check in first with the Grants team. I remember writing a grant application for a grant that was advertised in the grants writing lists. I proceeded to writing as it was the weekend. I completed most of it and then spoke to Grants only to find out that it was for a 503B, which we don't qualify for.

A good grant writing tip would be to remind teachers that we can start small. My first BCPS grant was a Donor's Choose project that got funded. To write a grant does not always mean it is going to be large sums of money or even funded. Another tip is to always keep a "scrap" page with your researched information needed to complete the grant. Also, don't be afraid to talk out loud to yourself about your wording.

**Any grant related reflections that you would like to share?** On reflection, after writing several grants for both Glades Middle and BCPS, I have noted that with each grant acquired, there have been professional development components that are offered to our educators. For example, VILS schools have the opportunity to get Micro-credentialed and Badgr through Digital Promise/VILS Academy portal. These offerings presented to VILS schools' educators include professional development from institutions such as North Carolina State, Western University, and many others. If Broward could accept these trainings and align a professional development pathway of those courses offered through these initiatives, our educators would have concrete, vetted evidence of completion that can be added to their portfolio and/or resumes, ultimately benefitting students' learning and engagement.





## Catch the Excitement!

*"What was the most effective aspect of this workshop? The knowledge of the presenter really made the process less complicated and more approachable."* **Anonymous, Grant Writing Workshop Participant**

*"I have been thinking about this for a long time and have tried researching some of the grant information on my own and it was daunting. Our conversation inspired me to keep moving forward. Thank you again!"*  
**Maggie Gauthier, M.S.E. Literacy, Instructional Specialist - Elementary Learning Department**

*"Having GA staff back us up is great! Thank you so much for your continued support. You are amazing!"* **Alicia Jaramillo, School Counseling Director – Cross Creek Center School**



## Upcoming Grant Writing Workshops

### Upcoming Grant Writing Capacity Building and Proposal Development Workshops

**Grant Writing Workshop:** GA staff offers both virtual (via Microsoft TEAMS) and in-person capacity building workshops for teachers, parents and staff on grant writing; the elements of program development; and the joint identification of program funding needs and opportunities. [CLICK HERE TO EXPRESS INTEREST.](#)

**Teacher Grants Space:** Join BCPS teachers and GA staff to network and exchange program ideas; learn about upcoming grant opportunities; view sample proposals; find a quiet space to write proposals; and get real-time feedback and input on your proposals. [CLICK HERE TO EXPRESS INTEREST.](#)

Please contact GA if you would like us to facilitate your next program planning meeting or to request a grant writing workshop for your school or Department.





## Tip for the Day

### TIP for the Day: Technology Standards & 9 Steps to Writing Successful School Grants

#### Remember to Refer to the District's Technology Standards While Developing Proposals

Adherence to the **Technology Standards** is essential to safeguard all aspects of the District's technology infrastructure - from the core network to end-user devices that are used in classrooms, offices and home. Visit the Information Technology Division's SharePoint site at the link below to view approved technology vendors and products and get information on how to request a product waiver. Your school's technology specialist or a member of the Classroom Technology and Desktop Support Services are available to provide additional guidance.

<https://browardcountyschools.sharepoint.com/sites/technology/Standards/SitePages/Standards%20Home.aspx>

#### 9 Steps to Writing Successful School Grants

Hakala-Ausperk, Catherine. "9 Steps to Writing Successful School and Library Grants. *Demco Interiors*", 28 February 2020, <https://www.demcointeriors.com/blog/9-steps-writing-library-grants/> Excerpts below. Click on the imbedded links for additional information and examples.

In a perfect world, your budget would provide you with the funding you need to make the updates your library and classrooms deserve. But in reality, school and library budgets, staff, and resources are often stretched thin, forcing you to seek other funding sources for your projects.

The good news is there are funds available in the form of grants. If you've never written a grant before, it may seem like a daunting task. But I'm here to tell you that you — yes, you — can write a winning grant proposal and get the dollars your community deserves to fund your projects. Forget the excuses!

- I Can't Afford a Grant Writer and Don't Have Time to Do It Myself You can bring together colleagues to form a team to put the grant proposal together. When you break grant-writing down into smaller tasks assigned to members of a team, it becomes less-formidable and easier to accomplish.
- Nobody Will Give Us Money When you research what funding organizations want to support and grants they've awarded in the past, you will find that they match up closely with the mission of your school or library.
- I'm Not a Good Writer Even if your writing skills are not up to par, you might be great at project management and be the right person to oversee the entire project. Or you might be the team member who focuses on the budget. If you have a great writer or editor on your team, but you're closest to the information, write out a rough draft or an outline with key points and let your writer finesse the final draft.
- It's Too Complicated Just like anything new, grant writing might seem complicated. Grant writing is a process that can be learned, and, just like anything, it will get easier with practice. The ultimate reward is that your students will benefit from your hard work.

#### Break Grant Writing Down into Steps

1. Educate Yourself Find online resources about grant writing, or ask a local grant writer for tips.
2. Gather Your Team You'll want someone who's a big-picture thinker, someone who's good with numbers, and someone who can write clear and compelling copy. If each member of the team has only a portion of the work that matches his or her skill set, no one should feel overwhelmed.
3. Set Your Goals Instead of browsing grants first and writing your proposal to fit the grant, begin by evaluating your school or library's needs. Make sure you are picking a need that has a broad impact, not something that will serve only a handful of people.

4. Identify Problem, Solution, and Opportunity Once you've identified the problem, start gathering data to back it up. Then figure out the solution to that problem.
5. Think about Other Organizations that Share Your Goal Approach other local organizations to partner with. This will broaden your reach.
6. Set Your Timeline There are usually timelines and calendar requirements for each individual funder. Start with a realistic big-picture timeline, and tweak it for each funding source that you apply for. Be careful that you are always setting realistic deadlines.
7. Know Your Budget Follow the specific guidelines each funder requires for outlining your budget. It's very important that you follow the guidelines, as not doing so drastically lowers the possibility that you'll be awarded the grant.
8. State Clear Objectives Your objectives need to be very clear. You need to state your problem and articulate the data that supports it. Then, you'll want to be able to describe your proposed solution and your plan to address the problem.
9. Plan for Future Reporting If the grant was a large award, it's likely you'll have to do reporting once you've been awarded the money and have put your plan into place. You can plan for your success by making sure your objectives are achievable and will leave you with lots of opportunities for success.



## Grant Writing Resources

Overwhelmed with where to start? Click on one of these education grant search engines.



## Spotlight on Resources and Grants



Comcast NBCUniversal Foundation is welcoming applications for its 2022 [Project Innovation](#) program. The project innovation grant categories include: **Culture of Inclusion:** Programs that encourage equitable access, opportunities, and resources for traditionally underrepresented communities. **Youth Education and Empowerment:** In-school and out-of-school programs that equip youth with the tools they need to succeed, including STEM/ STEAM education and youth entrepreneurship. **Community Engagement:** Programs that enable individuals to engage and volunteer in their communities. **Next Generation Storytellers:** Programs that promote access and develop pathways for emerging talent, diverse voices, and underrepresented youth to explore careers in the arts, news, sports, and entertainment. Applications are due on March 25, 2022. [CLICK HERE](#) for the grant guidelines and proposal. Applicants will have to partner with a local non-profit. Please reach out to GA if you are interested in applying.



# Upcoming Grant Opportunities



This list is updated quarterly.  
There are lots of NEW grants listed!

Upcoming Grant Opportunities (click on "Application" for additional information)

- **ASM Materials Education Foundation** awards grants of \$500 to K-12 teachers to bring science materials into their classrooms. **DEADLINE: March 31, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **WaWa Foundation** provides grants of \$2,500 for a variety of community development, health and education projects. Please reach out to GA staff if you are interested in applying. **DEADLINE: April 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Educational Theatre Association** offers Outstanding School Awards that recognize high schools with theatre programs that exemplify quality and high standards. **DEADLINE: April 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Karma for Cara Foundation** Encourages kids 18 and under to apply for funds between \$250 and \$1,000 to complete service projects in their communities. **DEADLINE: April 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **RPM Foundation** supports career pathways in automotive, motorcycle and marine restoration. All grants utilize collector vehicles, motorcycles or wooden boats as teaching tools and provide hands-on learning experiences with master craftsmen. The average grant award is \$10,000. **DEADLINE: April 8, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Florida Humanities Council** provides \$5,000 for the planning and implementation of public humanities programs including lecture series and panel discussions, reading and discussion groups, film series, oral history projects, and exhibitions. **DEADLINE: April 13, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Educators of America** provides schoolteachers and educators with classroom technology and related training. **DEADLINE: April 15, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **McCarthy Dressman Education Foundation** offers [Academic Enrichment Grants](#) and [Teacher Development Grants](#) to develop in-class and extra-curricular programs that improve student learning. The Foundation awards grants in amounts up to \$10,000. **DEADLINE: April 15, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Siemens STEM Day** prizes will consist of a \$5,000 Siemens Possibility Grant to be used by the schools for a science lab makeover and/or STEM-related equipment, supplies, or technology. Eligible educators from Title 1 schools may enter the Sweepstakes once per day for the full duration of the open period which is from now to April 22, 2022. **DEADLINE: April 22, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Discovery Education, Inc.** invites students in grades 5 through 8 to participate in the Young Scientist Challenge. Entrants must create a one- to two-minute video describing a new, innovative solution that solves an everyday problem. Ten finalists each receive \$1,000. The grand-prize winner receives \$25,000. **DEADLINE: April 26, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Voya Unsung Heroes Awards** recognizes K-12 educators with \$2,000 for their innovative teaching methods, creative educational projects, and ability to positively influence students. **DEADLINE: April 30, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Lawrence Foundation** gives program and operating grants for programs working on the environment and human services. Grants typically range between \$5,000 - \$10,000. **DEADLINE: April 30, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **National Association of Teachers of Mathematics** provides different grants for professional development, fellowships, technology and classroom materials. Grants range between \$1,000 - \$20,000. Only schools with a current NCTM membership are eligible to apply. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Dollar General Literacy Foundation** provides Youth Literacy grants of up to \$4,000 for the implementation or expansion of existing literacy programs, purchasing new technology or equipment to support literacy initiatives, or purchasing books, materials, or software for literacy programs. **Maximum award is \$4,000. DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Toshiba America Foundation** accepts applications (for grants more than \$5,000) from 6 to 12th Grade teachers who are passionate about making science and mathematics more engaging for their students. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)



- **Florida Legion** Provides grants of up to \$5,000 to support programs and projects that enhance the lives of children in Florida. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission** provides grants for high school fishing clubs or teams to teach fisheries conservation and practice fishing skills. \$500 grants can assist with club expenses and the purchase of fishing licenses or gear for participants. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **NEA Foundation** Learning and Leadership Grants provide support for professional development experiences. Student Success Grants support projects aimed at improving student learning. Grant amounts are \$2,000 for individuals and \$5,000 for groups engaged in collegial study. NEA membership is required. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **AFCEA** Grants provide funding to elementary and middle schools to promote STEM innovation. Grants of up to \$1,000 are awarded for activities or tools inside or outside of the classroom, such as robotics clubs, cyber clubs and other STEM related activities to promote STEM to students. **DEADLINE: May 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Max and Victoria Dreyfus Foundation** For schools, educational and skills training programs; environmental and wildlife protection activities; and other community-based organizations and their programs. Grants range from \$1,000 to \$20,000. **DEADLINE: May 10, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Lead4Change** provides middle and high school students with opportunities to complete leadership development lessons and community projects aligned to learning standards and twenty-first century skills. Prizes of \$10,000 for first place, \$500 for second place, and a \$1,000 special award are given to the nonprofit organizations or schools supported by the winning student teams. **DEADLINE: May 13, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Toshiba America Foundation** accepts applications (for grants less than \$5,000) from 6 to 12th Grade teachers who are passionate about making science and mathematics more engaging for their students. **DEADLINE: June 1, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Quadrattec** provides grants of up to \$3,500 to projects that support environmental justice, earth studies, environmental education and community engagement around environmental issues. **DEADLINE: June 30, 2022** | [Application](#)
- **Big Lots Foundation** gives grants in the areas of healthcare, housing, hunger, and education, especially those serving women and children. Please reach out to GA if you are planning to apply. **DEADLINE: July 1, 2022** | [Application](#)

#### **ROLLING DEADLINES**

- **Universal Orlando Charitable Organization** offers free theme park tickets to qualified nonprofits that educate our youth, strengthen the community. [Application](#)
- **Cracker Barrel Foundation** supports civic/safety organizations, community events and organizations that promote multiculturalism and inclusion. [Application](#)
- **Peace Development Fund** awards De Colores Rapid Response Grants to impact short-term opportunities for organizing in marginalized urban and rural communities, with emphasis on supporting populations of color and those that are working class and poor. Previous grants include education-focused activities to empower communities to strengthen public schools and ensure more excellence and equity for all students. [Application](#)
- **Stavros Niarchos Foundation** awards grants to fund projects in education as well as arts and culture, health and sports, and social welfare. Examples of previous education grants are a summer and after-school tutoring program for middle school students from low-income backgrounds, an “edible schoolyard” gardening program and music education. Emphasis is on programs serving vulnerable populations. Award amount varies. [Application](#)
- **Alternative Fuel Foundation** supports educational institutions to aid in the development of programs that promote renewable energy, environmental sustainability, and earth stewardship. [Application](#)
- **Ross Stores Foundation** supports academic achievement programs with a focus on literacy; STEM; stay-in-school efforts; and college readiness. Life skills support includes mentoring; financial literacy; leadership skills; after-school programs; and career readiness. [Application](#)



- **Baseball Tomorrow Fund** provides \$40,000 for new programs, expand or improve existing programs, undertake new collaborative efforts, or obtain facilities or equipment needed for youth baseball or softball programs. Contact GA if you are interested in applying. [Application](#)
- **Project Lead The Way (PLTW)** provides a comprehensive approach to science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education through an activity-, project-, and problem-based curriculum for students and rigorous teacher professional development model. PLTW provides prekindergarten through grade 12 school districts and schools with grant opportunities to support implementation or expansion of PLTW programs. [Application](#)
- **New York Life Foundation** Provides free resources and materials to teachers and school-based staff to support grieving students. Grants of up to \$500. More than 11 BCPS schools have already successfully participated in the program. Please reach out to GA for additional information. [Application](#)



## Fourth Quarter Grant Activity

The Grants Administration department would like to congratulate all teachers, school staff, and District department staff that have received awards in the **4TH QUARTER (October 1 through December 31, 2021)** of the calendar year. If you received a grant award and it is not listed, please contact Grants Administration at 754-321-2260.

### SCHOOL GRANTS AWARDED

Grant Program	Funding Source	Amount	Location
AT&T and Consortium of Florida Education Foundations	AT&T through the Broward Education Foundation	\$5,000	Nova High School
Blackbaud Giving Fund	Blackbaud Giving Fund	\$250	Blanche Ely High School
Broward County Farm Bureau	Broward County Farm Bureau	\$500	Flamingo Elementary School
Citrix Corporate Citizenship Community Grant	Citrix Foundation	\$6,000	Dillard High 6-12
DonorsChoose.Org	Donors Choose	\$167,734	Various
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	\$5,000	Northeast High School
Equitable Foundation, Inc.	Equitable Foundation, Inc	\$150	Coral Cove Elementary School
Garden Grant Program	Whole Kids Foundation	\$3,000	McArthur High School
Governor's Emergency Education Relief II	Florida Department of Education	\$1,536,953	ATC, MTC, & STC
Gravely/Paige Grant for STEM Teachers	AFCEA Educational Foundation	\$1,000	Annabel C. Perry PreK-8
Hershey Heartwarming Project Action Grant	Hershey Foundation	\$250	Hollywood Hills High School
Hollywood Rotary Foundation	Hollywood Rotary Foundation	\$2,500	Oakridge Elementary School
Learning & Leadership Grant	NEA Foundation	\$2,000	Hawkes Bluff Elementary School
Nextera Energy Foundation - STEM Grant	Nextera Energy Foundation	\$50,000	Cypress Run Education Center School
Teacher Grants	Toshiba USA Foundation	\$997	Sanders Park Elementary School
Teacher Grants	Florida Agriculture in the Classroom	\$600	Cypress Run Center School
Teacher Grants	Florida Agriculture in the Classroom	\$1,200	McArthur High School
Teacher Grants	Florida Agriculture in the Classroom	\$600	Plantation Middle School
Walmart	Walmart	\$1,000	Lloyd Estates Elementary School
Walmart	Walmart	\$1,000	Coral Glades High School
Wells Fargo - Florida Financial Literacy Initiative	Wells Fargo / Florida Literacy Coalition	\$5,000	ATC

### SCHOOL GRANTS REQUESTED

Grant Program	Funding Source	Amount	Location
Nextera Energy Foundation - STEM Grant	Nextera Energy Foundation	\$50,000	Nova High School
Teacher Grants	Florida Agriculture in the Classroom	\$4,920	Cross Creek Center School
Toshiba USA Foundation - Teacher Grants	Whole Kids Foundation	\$64,000	McArthur High School
Wawa Foundation - Community Giving Grant	Wawa Foundation	\$2,000	Cross Creek Center School



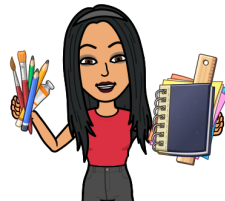
### DISTRICT GRANTS AWARDED

Grant Program	Funding Source	Amount	Location
Chick-fil-A	Chick-fil-A	\$5,000	BECON-TV
Civic Literacy Excellence Initiative	Florida Department of Education	\$61,002,000	Secondary Learning
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	Florida Department of Education	\$577,507,038	Office of the Chief Financial Officer
Miami Dolphins Foundation	Miami Dolphins Social Justice Fund	\$100,000	Information & Technology Department
Project to Support America's Families and Educators Grant Program	United States Department of Education	\$420,957	Office of the Chief Financial Officer
Publix Charities	Publix Charities	\$5,000	BECON-TV
Rob and Melani Walton National Sustainability Teachers' Academy Award	Arizona State University	\$5,000	Applied Learning
Ross Store-Based Giving Program	Ross Dress for Less	\$500	BECON-TV

### DISTRICT GRANTS REQUESTED

Grant Program	Funding Source	Amount	Location
CareerSource Broward - In-School Youth	Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act/ CareerSource Broward	\$183,931	CTACE
Carl D. Perkins Secondary Career and Technical Education Programs for Department of Juvenile Justice Students	Florida Department of Education Division of Career and Adult Education	\$75,000	Office of Equity and Diversity
Children's Services Council Sponsorship	Children's Services Council	\$1,000	Equity & Diversity
Community Giving Grant	Wawa Foundation	\$2,000	Broward Education Communications Network
Computer Science Certification	Florida Department of Education	\$789,919	Applied Learning
Computer Science Teacher Bonuses	Florida Department of Education	\$163,000	Applied Learning
Pathways to Career Opportunities Grant	Florida Department of Education	\$204,431	CTACE
State Farm - Community Grant	State Farm	\$5,000	BECON-TV
Teacher Grants	Florida Agriculture in the Classroom	\$3,000	Dave Thomas Education Center School
Verizon Innovative Learning Schools Grant Cohort 9	Verizon Innovative Learning Schools Initiative / Digital Promise	\$21,600,000	Innovative Learning

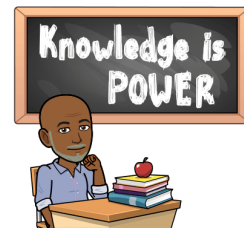
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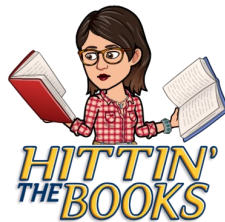
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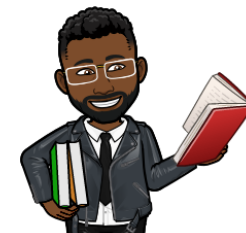
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