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***If you plan on writing a grant, let us know. This is a district requirement. If you submit a grant, send us the final signed copy by email, mail or fax 742-4477.***

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<b>ART/MUSIC</b>				
<b>Ongoing</b>	International Bluegrass Association Bluegrass in the Schools Mini-Grants	Funds supplemental matching requests for <b>educational in-school programs that present bluegrass music.</b>	Up to \$200 in matching funds	<a href="http://www.ibma.org/events.programs/schools/grant.asp">http://www.ibma.org/events.programs/schools/grant.asp</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Fender Music Foundation In-kind Grants	Provides in-kind grants for music instruction programs for: 1) <b>In-school music classes</b> , in which the students make music, 2) <b>After-school music programs</b> that are not run by the school, and 3) <b>Music therapy programs</b> , in which the participants make the music.	Grants range from \$500 to \$5,000 worth of traditional instruments and the equipment necessary to play them	<a href="http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info">http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info</a>
<b>30 days prior to proposed activity or event</b>	Alaska State Council on the Arts (AKSCA) and Rasmuson Foundation Cultural Collaborations Access Grant	Access grants support <b>arts and cultural activities of less than two week duration</b> , held <b>during the school day</b> . <i>Your school or organization may receive only one Cultural Collaborations grant (Access, Excursion, or Project) per state fiscal year (July 1-June30).</i>	Up to \$1,000 per grant	<a href="http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm">http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm</a>
<b>30 days prior to proposed activity or event</b>	AKSCA and Rasmuson Foundation Cultural Collaborations Arts Excursion Grant	Arts Excursion grants support the <b>transportation of K-12 students to a definable arts and cultural venue or to activities and events.</b>	Grants up to \$600 are available to non-Title I schools; up to \$1,000 to Title I schools.	<a href="http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm">http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm</a>

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<p><b>November 1</b> <i>for current school year</i></p> <p><b>March 1</b> <i>for next school year</i></p>	AKSCA Artists in Schools Grant	Provides <b>Teaching Artist residencies in visual arts, performing arts, dance, traditional and contemporary Native arts and literary arts</b> for schools and/or districts for multiple site residencies. Residencies average two to four weeks for a single school and longer for multiple schools.	65% of cost of projects: up to \$5,000 per school or up to \$15,000 per school district for multiple site residencies	<a href="http://alaska.cgweb.org/page.php?id=17">http://alaska.cgweb.org/page.php?id=17</a>
<b>November 1</b>	Adobe Youth Voices International Photo Competition	Photo competition for teens between the ages of 14 and 19 to enter a <b>pair of photos</b> with captions; one that shows <b>crisis or hardship</b> and another that shows <b>hope or opportunity</b> .	The best photo pairs will be displayed on the Adobe Youth Voices gallery and on the WKCD Web site and will also become part of a traveling exhibit & a book	<a href="http://www.whatkidscando.org/AYV_Photo_Competition/Guidelines_-_Round_Two.html">http://www.whatkidscando.org/AYV_Photo_Competition/Guidelines_-_Round_Two.html</a>
<b>November 1</b>	National Band Association Research Grant	Supports <b>research projects by NBA members which pertain to bands and/or band music</b> .	5 grants of \$500 each	<a href="http://www.nationalbandassociation.org/research_grants/">http://www.nationalbandassociation.org/research_grants/</a>
<p><b>December 1</b> <i>(for prequalification)</i></p>	Mr. Holland's Opus Foundation Musical Instrument Grants	Funds <b>musical instrument repair and acquisition of musical instruments</b> to schools and music programs in <b>Title I schools</b> or schools that have a demonstrated financial need and the programs are at least 3 years old: -- <i>The Melody Program</i> for <b>K-12 school instrumental music programs during school hours</b> . -- <i>The Special Projects Program</i> for <b>after-school music programs</b> .	Grants up to \$10,000 worth of musical instruments, to be delivered in Summer 2010	<a href="http://www.mhopus.org/teachers.asp">http://www.mhopus.org/teachers.asp</a>
<p><b>December 15</b></p> <p><b>March 15</b></p> <p><b>June 1</b></p> <p><b>September 15</b></p>	AKSCA and Rasmuson Foundation Cultural Collaborations Project Grant	Project grants support <b>high-quality arts and cultural programs for youth that emphasize skill acquisition and direct participation in settings outside of the school day/year</b> .	Matching awards of up to \$6,000, renewable for up to three consecutive years for the same project	<a href="http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm">http://www.eed.state.ak.us/aksca/AIE4_CP.htm</a>
<p><b>February 1</b> <i>(for letters of inquiry; invited full proposals in April and October)</i></p> <p><b>August 1</b></p>	Mockingbird Foundation Grants for Music Education for Children	Offers three grants for <b>music education for children: 1) to encourage creative expression</b> in any musical form and to foster diverse musical style, 2) <b>to provide instruments, texts, office materials, learning space, practice rooms, performance facilities, and instruction for musical learning, and 3) to benefit disenfranchised groups</b> .	Grants of \$50 to \$5,000 each	<a href="http://www.mockingbirdfoundation.org/funding/guidelines.html">http://www.mockingbirdfoundation.org/funding/guidelines.html</a>

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<b>FIELD TRIPS</b>				
<b>November 3</b>	Target Store Field Trip Grants	Grants support <b>student field trips</b> for teachers and students to learn in a variety of settings.	Grants up to \$800 each	<a href="http://sites.target.com/site/en/company/page.jsp?contentId=W CMP04-031880">http://sites.target.com/site/en/company/page.jsp?contentId=W CMP04-031880</a>
<b>HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION</b>				
<b>Ongoing</b>	United States Rugby Football Foundation Grants	Offers several grants to schools and community organizations <b>to expose children to the sport of rugby</b> . Grants include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Size 4 and Size 5 Ball Grants</b> for rugby teams and elementary and high school PE programs</li> <li>▪ <b>Start-Up Kit Grants</b> for equipment for high school rugby teams to get started</li> <li>▪ <b>Coaching and Refereeing Grants</b> support clinics and conferences</li> </ul>	Rugby balls, team start-up equipment, and training for coaches and referees	<a href="http://www.usrugbyfoundation.org/site/pp.asp?c=9fLHJV0xHmE&amp;b=275547">http://www.usrugbyfoundation.org/site/pp.asp?c=9fLHJV0xHmE&amp;b=275547</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Allstate Foundation Grants for National and Local Organizations	The Allstate Foundation supports non-profit, tax-exempt national and local organizations that serve within three focus areas: <b>safe and vital communities, tolerance, inclusion and diversity; and economic empowerment</b> .  <i>Applicant must be 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Therefore, schools should apply with and through a community partner.</i>	Grants from \$5,000 to \$10,000 each	<a href="http://www.allstate.com/Community/PageRender.asp?Page=NationalPrograms.html">http://www.allstate.com/Community/PageRender.asp?Page=NationalPrograms.html</a>
<b>November 6</b>	Blue Apple Health Education Awards	Recognizes up to <b>12 schools</b> for their commitment and creativity in <b>teaching students about the power of practicing a healthy lifestyle</b> .	Travel and registration for attending the AAHPERD/AAHE Convention; and AAHE Awards luncheon	<a href="http://www.blueappleaward.org">www.blueappleaward.org</a>
<b>November 6</b>  <i>Apply online beginning August 17.</i>	Hidden Valley Love Your Veggies™ Grant	Grants support elementary schools in implementing innovative programs that will <b>increase the access to, and consumption of, fresh fruits and vegetables in the lunchroom</b> . Preference is for proposals that demonstrated need, innovation, greatest likelihood of sustainable impact on the students they are serving, and potential for <b>community involvement</b> .	Grants of \$10,000 each to 10 elementary schools nationwide	<a href="http://www.loveyourveggiesgrants.com">http://www.loveyourveggiesgrants.com</a>

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<b>November 13</b>	PFK (Produce for Kids) Play with Your Produce Classroom Challenge	<b>K-6 teachers</b> are challenged to create a <b>fun activity for the classroom that is creative and teaches kids the benefits of healthy eating with more fruits and vegetables.</b> Entries should feature at least three (3) PFK sponsor's products; involve the entire classroom; be original, innovative and creative; and be replicable in other classrooms or schools.	Three (3) winners receive \$500 to promote school-based health and wellness; a classroom party toolkit; and \$100 gift certificate to purchase produce and food	<a href="http://www.produceforkids.org/teachers/takeTheChallenge.html">http://www.produceforkids.org/teachers/takeTheChallenge.html</a>
<b>November 23</b>	Consumer Wellness Center 2009 Nutritional Grant Program	To assist teachers in sharing creative <b>nutritional learning activities</b> for the purpose of empowering students to make good nutritional choices for their bodies.	Ten (10) grants of \$1,000 each	<a href="http://www.consumerwellness.org/NutritionalGrantProgram.html">http://www.consumerwellness.org/NutritionalGrantProgram.html</a>
<b>February 1</b> <i>nomination due</i>  <i>Applications are due March 12.</i>	NFL Keep Gym in School Grant	<b>Middle Schools</b> (grades 6-8) nationwide are eligible to be nominated for a grant to <b>improve general Physical Education for all students</b> throughout the school. The grant could encompass <b>indoor and outdoor facility refurbishments</b> , staff and salary supplements <b>for in-school, before-school and after-school activities</b> , new, improved or increased <b>equipment</b> , <b>staff training</b> , or any other ways of improving overall physical education at the school.	Ten \$1,000 grants nationwide will be awarded	<a href="http://www.keepgyminschool.com/grant-overview.html">http://www.keepgyminschool.com/grant-overview.html</a>
<b>LANGUAGE ARTS</b>				
<b>Ongoing</b>	The Lisa Libraries	Donates <b>new children's books and small libraries</b> to organizations that work with <b>children in poor and underserved areas</b> which need a small library, need to <b>rebuild or add to a library</b> or serves children that would benefit by being given <b>new books to take home.</b>  <i>Applicant must be 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Therefore, schools should apply with and through a community partner.</i>	New books for children Pre-K through young adult	<a href="http://www.lisalibraries.org/frames.html">http://www.lisalibraries.org/frames.html</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>  <i>Next question is published in September.</i>	I Won't Cheat Foundation Monthly Essay Contest	<b>Students</b> in grades K-12 can compete in a <b>monthly essay about not cheating in sports, life, or the classroom.</b> A new essay question is presented quarterly for students to answer.	One 1 <sup>st</sup> place winner receives \$3,000 scholarship; 19 2 <sup>nd</sup> place winners receive headphones and bracelets	<a href="http://www.iwontcheat.com/essay.html">http://www.iwontcheat.com/essay.html</a>

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Ongoing	International Reading Association (IRA) <i>The Gertrude Whipple Professional Development Program</i>	Funds projects that contribute to <b>improved reading instruction</b> , and <b>promote effective translation of theory and research to education practice</b> . Encouraged are topics of current interest and high utility in reading.	Awards of up to \$5,000 each	<a href="http://www.reading.org/association/awards/professional_whipple.html">http://www.reading.org/association/awards/professional_whipple.html</a>
Ongoing	First Book National Book Bank	Distributes large quantities of <b>publisher-donated brand-new books</b> to programs serving children where at <b>least 80% of the students are from low-income households or from Title I eligible schools</b> .	Books are free for programs that are able to pick them up or .35 per book to have them shipped	<a href="http://register.firstbook.org">http://register.firstbook.org</a>
October 30	Youth Service America and NEA Youth Leaders for Literacy Grants	For children and youth, ages 5-25, who offer innovative ways to increase <b>literacy skills and appreciation for reading among their peers</b> . Successful projects will be <b>youth-led and address an established literacy need in the applicant's school or community</b> .	30 grants of \$500 and \$500 in books from the Pearson Foundation	<a href="http://ysa.org/MyYSA/YSAContent/YSA/News/tabid/219/ctl/ArticleView/mid/572/articleId/183/Youth-Leaders-for-Literacy-Grants-Deadline-October-30.aspx">http://ysa.org/MyYSA/YSAContent/YSA/News/tabid/219/ctl/ArticleView/mid/572/articleId/183/Youth-Leaders-for-Literacy-Grants-Deadline-October-30.aspx</a>
November 1	IRA <i>Regie Routman Teacher Recognition Award</i>	Honors an outstanding regular classroom elementary teacher of reading and language arts in grades K-6 (ages 5-12) dedicated to improving <b>teaching and learning through reflective writing about his or her teaching and learning process</b> . Teacher's school must be 60% free and reduced lunch status.	One \$2,500 award	<a href="http://www.reading.org/association/awards/teachers.html">http://www.reading.org/association/awards/teachers.html</a>
November 1	IRA <i>Ronald W. Mitchell Convention Travel Grant</i>	For K-6 teachers who might otherwise not have the <b>opportunity to attend an IRA annual convention</b> . (For first-time attendee.)	Two grants of \$1,500 each	<a href="http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx">http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx</a>
November 15	IRA <i>Eleanor M. Johnson Award</i>	Recognizes an outstanding <b>elementary classroom teacher of reading/language arts</b> .	One award for \$1,000	<a href="http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx">http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx</a>
November 15	IRA <i>Nila Banton Smith Award</i>	Honors a middle or secondary school classroom teacher or reading teacher who has shown <b>leadership in translating theory and current research into practice for developing content area literacy</b> .	One award for \$1,000	<a href="http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx">http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx</a>

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<b>November 15</b>	IRA <i>Award for Technology and Reading</i>	Honors educators in grades K–12 who are making an <b>outstanding and innovative contribution to the use of technology in reading education.</b>	One grand prize winner and 7 regional winners receive awards of cash and/or prizes	<a href="http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx">http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx</a>
<b>November 20</b>	NEA Books Across America Library Books Awards	Grants are for preK-12 school librarians, teachers, or educational support professional to purchase <b>books and other reading materials for their school libraries.</b> At least <b>70 percent</b> of the students in the applicant's school <b>must be eligible for the free or reduced-price lunch program.</b>	Fifty (50) awards of \$1,000 each	<a href="http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/educators/grant-programs/grant-application/books-across-america/">http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/educators/grant-programs/grant-application/books-across-america/</a>
<b>December 1</b>	American Library Association (ALA) and Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA) <i>Marshall Cavendish Excellence In Library Programming Award</i>	Annual award recognizes either a <b>school</b> or public <b>library</b> which demonstrates excellence in library programming by providing <b>programs which have community impact and respond to community needs.</b>	\$2,000 and a citation of achievement	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/cavendishaward/cavendishaward.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/cavendishaward/cavendishaward.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	ALA and YALSA <i>THE EBSCO (ALA) Conference Sponsorship</i>	Annual award to <b>reimburse travel expenses for ALA members to attend the annual ALA Conference.</b>	\$1,000 for actual reimbursed expenses for attending the ALA's Annual Conference	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/ebscosponsorship/ebscosponsorship.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/ebscosponsorship/ebscosponsorship.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	ALA and YALSA <i>The World Book ALA Goal Award</i>	Annual award to encourage and <b>support innovative and effective information literacy programs</b> in today's <b>school</b> and public <b>libraries.</b>	Two awards of \$5,000 and a gold-framed citation of achievement	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/worldbookaward/worldbookaward.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/awardsrecords/worldbookaward/worldbookaward.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	ALA and YALSA <i>Baker &amp; Taylor/YALSA Conference Grants</i>	To enable <b>librarians</b> who work directly with young adults to <b>attend the annual YALSA conference for the first time.</b>	\$1,000 each is awarded to one school librarian and one public librarian	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/yalsa/awardsandgrants/bakertaylorialsa.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/yalsa/awardsandgrants/bakertaylorialsa.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	ALA and YALSA <i>Great Book Giveaway Competition</i>	Offers <b>one year's worth of review materials as a contribution to a library in need.</b> Materials are targeted primarily towards young adults--newly published books, videos, CD's and audiocassettes.	The estimated value of this collection is \$25,000.	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/awardsandgrants/yalsagreatbook.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/awardsandgrants/yalsagreatbook.cfm</a>

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<b>December 1</b>	ALA Sara Jaffarian School Library Award	Honors <b>an elementary or middle school library</b> that has conducted an <b>exemplary program or program series in the humanities</b> . The humanities program can be focused in many subject areas, including, but not limited to, social studies, poetry, drama, art, music, literature, foreign language, and culture.	Grant of \$4,000 and a plaque	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/ppo/awardsgrants/jaffarian/jaffarianapply.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/ppo/awardsgrants/jaffarian/jaffarianapply.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	The Alibris Collection Award	<b>K-12 libraries</b> are eligible to apply for <b>books from the online bookseller Alibris</b> to provide materials for libraries with replacement projects, retrospective collection development projects, or routine collection building needs.	\$3,000 worth of books from Alibris inventory	<a href="http://library.alibris.com/collection-award?cm_sp=lhs-_-news-_-collectaward">http://library.alibris.com/collection-award?cm_sp=lhs-_-news-_-collectaward</a>
<b>December 12</b>	Center for the Book in the Library of Congress and Target Letters About Literature Contest	For <b>students in grades 4-12 to enter a personally written letter to an author inspired by how the author's literature strongly affected them</b> . The literature can be works of fiction or nonfiction book, short story, poem, essay or speech. Students are to write honestly and with their own voice.	National winners receive a \$500 Target Gift Card, plus each will win a \$10,000 LAL Reading Promotion Grant for their community or school library. National Honorable Mention Winners will each receive a \$100 Target Gift Card and a \$1,000 LAL for their community or school library.	<a href="http://www.lettersaboutliterature.org/how_to_enter">http://www.lettersaboutliterature.org/how_to_enter</a>
<b>January 15</b>	IRA <i>Teacher As Researcher Grant</i>	Supports <b>classroom teachers</b> who undertake <b>action research inquiries about literacy and instruction</b> .	Grants up to \$5,000 each (average is \$1,000 to \$2,000)	<a href="http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants/research_teacher_as_researcher.aspx">http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants/research_teacher_as_researcher.aspx</a>
<b>February 1</b>	National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE) Award: The Edwin A. Hoey Award for Outstanding Middle School Educator in the English Language Arts	Recognizes <b>exceptional English language arts teachers of grades 5-8</b> who have demonstrated <b>excellence in teaching English language arts</b> and <b>inspired a spirit of inquiry and a love of learning</b> in their students.	One award of \$2,500, plus up to \$1,000 for expenses to attend the NCTE Annual Convention	<a href="http://www.ncte.org/awards/hoey">http://www.ncte.org/awards/hoey</a>

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February 1 June 1 October 15	National Education Foundation (NEA) <i>Student Achievement Grants</i>	To improve the <b>academic achievement of students by implementing innovative ideas.</b>	Up to \$5,000 each	<a href="http://www.neafoundation.org/grants.htm">http://www.neafoundation.org/grants.htm</a>
February 1	American Association of School Librarians (AASL) <i>Distinguished Service Award</i>	Recognizes <b>an individual member of the library profession</b> who has, over a significant period of time, made an <b>outstanding national contribution to school librarianship and school library development.</b>	One award of \$3,000	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/aasl/aaslawards/distinguishedser/aasldistinguished.cfm">http://www.ala.org/ala/aasl/aaslawards/distinguishedser/aasldistinguished.cfm</a>
February 1	AASL <i>Innovative Reading Grant</i>	Supports the <b>planning and implementation of a unique and innovative program for children which motivates and encourages reading</b> , especially with struggling readers. Programs must be for designed for <b>K-9 students in the school library setting.</b>	One award of \$2,500	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/innovativereadinggrant/aaslrreading.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/innovativereadinggrant/aaslrreading.cfm#</a>
February 1	AASL <i>National School Library Media Program of the Year Award</i>	Recognizes <b>exemplary school library media programs that are fully integrated into the school's curriculum.</b>	One District Award of \$10,000 and two Single School Awards of \$10,000 each	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/natlslmprogram/aaslnational.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/natlslmprogram/aaslnational.cfm#</a>
February 1	AASL <i>Collaborative School Library Media Award</i>	Recognizes and encourages <b>collaboration and partnerships between school library media specialists and teachers</b> in meeting goals outlined in Information Power: Building Partnerships for Learning through joint planning of a program, unit or event in support of the curriculum and using media center resources.	One award of \$2,500	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/collaborativeslm/aaslcollaborative.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/collaborativeslm/aaslcollaborative.cfm#</a>
February 1	AASL <i>Distinguished School Administrators Award</i>	Honors a <b>school administrator who has made worthy contributions to the operations of an exemplary school library media center and to advancing the role of the school library media center in the educational program.</b>	One award of \$2,000	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/distinguishedsch/aasldistinguished.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/distinguishedsch/aasldistinguished.cfm#</a>
February 1	AASL <i>Frances Henne Award</i>	Recognizes a <b>school library media specialist</b> with five years or less experience <b>who demonstrates leadership qualities with students, teachers and administrators.</b>	\$1,250 award to attend an AASL conference or ALA Annual Conference for the first time	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/franceshenneward/aaslfranceshenne.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/franceshenneward/aaslfranceshenne.cfm#</a>

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<b>February 1</b>	AASL <i>Information Technology Pathfinder Award</i>	Recognizes and <b>honors a school library media specialist demonstrating vision and leadership through the use of information technology to build lifelong learners.</b>	An award of \$1,000 to the school library media specialist & \$500 to the library is given in 2 categories: (K-6) and (7-12).	<a href="http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/itpathfinderawd/aaslinformation.cfm#">http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/aasl/aaslawards/itpathfinderawd/aaslinformation.cfm#</a>
<b>MATH/SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY</b>				
<b>Ongoing</b>	Tool Factory and Olympus America Digital Wish Grants	Schools that register and create a profile and technology lesson plan compete to <b>win a variety of digital technology grants.</b> Schools sign up on a registry for an ultimate classroom “Digital Wish” list of technology equipment and software.	Three mobile digital camera labs worth \$3,500 will be awarded in April, October and January and 40 additional software and digital camera awards will be awarded by the 28 <sup>th</sup> of the deadline month	<a href="http://www.digitalwish.com/">http://www.digitalwish.com/</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Intergraph GeoMedia Education Grant	This grant is for Intergraph’s <b>geographic information sciences (GIS) software, GeoMedia Professional,</b> which can be used in K-12 schools.  <i>Please notify the ASD Grants Office and Educational Technology at 742-3790 if you intend to apply.</i>	A GeoMedia Professional classroom site license	<a href="http://www.intergraph.com/education/grant.aspx">http://www.intergraph.com/education/grant.aspx</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Laboratory Safety Institute Mini-grants	Provides mini-grants in support of projects that improve the <b>health and safety of secondary students and teachers in science labs.</b>	Mini-grants up to \$500 each	<a href="http://www.labsafetynstitute.org/minigrants.html">http://www.labsafetynstitute.org/minigrants.html</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Toshiba America Foundation 7-12 Science and Math Grants	Grants for <b>7-12 teachers</b> to improve classroom teaching of <b>science, math and technology.</b>	Grants under \$5,000	<a href="http://www.toshiba.com/tafpub/jsp/about/HowApply.jsp">http://www.toshiba.com/tafpub/jsp/about/HowApply.jsp</a>
<b>Ongoing</b> <i>January through October.</i>	Verizon Foundation Grants	Supports projects for <b>innovative, technologically-based approaches to literacy and K-12 education</b> with these objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>increased educator effectiveness;</b></li> <li>• <b>improved organizational effectiveness;</b> and</li> <li>• <b>student improvement/achievement.</b></li> </ul>	Grants average from \$5,000 to \$10,000 each	<a href="http://foundation.verizon.com/grant/index.shtml">http://foundation.verizon.com/grant/index.shtml</a>

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<b>Ongoing</b> <i>Through January 31, 2011.</i>	The Volvo Adventure Environmental Project Grants	The award is for teams of two to five young people aged 13 to 16 who have worked on <b>ongoing practical environmental projects that have had a positive impact on their school or community's environment.</b> <i>Students perform an environmental project in their local community &amp; then submit the project via the online submission tool before the competition deadline, January 31, 2011.</i>	The best projects are selected for an all expenses paid trip to Göteborg, Sweden where they can win: 1st place = \$10,000, 2nd = \$6,000 and 3rd = \$4,000	<a href="http://www.volvoadventure.org/home.aspx">http://www.volvoadventure.org/home.aspx</a>
<b>Ongoing</b>	Annie's Grants for Gardens	Small grants to <b>community gardens, school gardens</b> and other educational programs that <b>connect children directly to gardening.</b>	\$250 grants to buy gardening tools, seeds or other needed gardening supplies	<a href="http://www.annies.com/grants_for_gardens">http://www.annies.com/grants_for_gardens</a>
<b>November 2</b>	National Gardening Association and the Home Depot <i>Youth Garden Grants</i>	Schools can apply for grants for <b>new or established gardening projects</b> planned for 2010, involving at least 15 children ages 3-18. Projects must emphasize children directly learning and working in an <b>outdoor garden.</b>	100 grants are available: 5 gift cards @\$1,000 each; 95 gift cards @\$500 each;	<a href="http://www.kidsgardening.com/grants.asp">http://www.kidsgardening.com/grants.asp</a>
<b>November 13</b>	National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM) and Mathematics Education Trust (MET) <i>Teacher Professional Development Grants for Grades K-5, 6-8, and 9-12 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: To increase the breadth and depth of the <b>mathematics content knowledge of one elementary school teacher</b> (per school that applies) who has a demonstrated commitment to mathematics teaching and learning. The teacher must have support from his/her principal to become a <b>math teacher-leader.</b>	Grants up to \$6,000 each	K-5: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1310">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1310</a> 6-8: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1314">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1314</a> 9-12: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1316">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1316</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Using Music to Teach Mathematics Grants for Grades K-2 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers or teams of teachers: <b>To combine math and music</b> in student learning to improve student achievement in math.	Up to \$3,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1318">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1318</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Engaging Students in Learning Mathematics Grants for Grades 6-8 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: To incorporate <b>middle school classroom materials or lessons that actively engage students</b> in tasks and experiences <b>to deepen and connect their content knowledge in math.</b>	Up to \$3,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1320">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1320</a>

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<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Equity in Mathematics Grants for Grades 6–8 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: <b>To incorporate middle school classroom materials or lessons that will improve the achievement of student groups that have previous records of underachievement.</b>	Up to \$3,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1322">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1322</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Improving Students' Understanding of Geometry Grants for Grades K–8 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: To develop activities that <b>will enable students to better appreciate and understand some aspect of geometry</b> that is consistent with the Principles and Standards for School Mathematics of NCTM. The project should <b>include applications of geometry to, for example, art, literature, music, architecture, nature, or some other relevant area</b> and <b>may integrate the use of technology</b> into the teaching of geometry.	Up to \$3,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1324">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1324</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Connecting Mathematics to Other Subject Areas Grants for Grades 9–12 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: <b>To create senior high classroom materials or lessons connecting mathematics to other fields.</b> Materials may be in the form of books, visual displays, computer programs or displays, slide shows, videotapes, or other appropriate medium. The focus of these materials should be on showing the <b>connectivity of mathematics to other fields or to the world around us.</b>	Up to \$3,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1328">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1328</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET K-6 and 9-12 Classroom-Based Action Research Grants	For individual teachers: <b>To support and encourage classroom-based research in precollege mathematics education in collaboration with college or university mathematics educators.</b>	Up to \$8,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1330">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1330</a>  <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=22418">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=22418</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Mathematics Graduate Course Work Scholarships for Grades K-5, 6-8, and 9-12 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: To provide financial support <b>for improving teachers' understanding of mathematics by completing course work in mathematics.</b>	Up to \$2,000 per grant	K-5: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1332">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1332</a> 6-8: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1334">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1334</a> 9-12: <a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1336">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1336</a>

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<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Summer Mathematics Study Grants for Grades 6-8 Teachers</i>	For individual teachers: To provide financial support for <b>teachers seeking to improve their understanding of mathematics by completing course work in mathematics content.</b> Emphasis is placed on enrollment and completion of appropriate courses on mathematics content and the relevance of the course content to enhancing the teaching of mathematics in Grades 6-8.	Up to \$6,000 per grant	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=13632">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=13632</a>
<b>November 13</b>	NCTM and MET <i>Future Leaders Initial NCTM Annual Meeting Attendance Awards</i>	To <b>provide financial assistance to teachers for first-time attendance at an NCTM annual meeting</b> and exposition for classroom teachers. Grant funds cover travel, subsistence expenses, and substitute teacher costs of up to \$1,200 plus registration.	NCTM conference travel, subsistence expenses, and substitute teacher costs of up to \$1,200 plus registration	<a href="http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1342">http://nctm.org/resources/content.aspx?id=1342</a>
<b>November 13</b>	National Science Teachers Association (NSTA) and Delta Education/Frey-Neo/CPO <i>Science Awards for Excellence in Inquiry-Based Science Teaching</i>	For <b>PreK-12 science teachers who successfully use inquiry-based science</b> to enhance teaching and learning in their classrooms.	Award of \$1,500 to one teacher each in elementary, middle and high school categories, plus all expenses paid trip to attend the NSTA National Conference	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/about/awards.aspx#delta">www.nsta.org/about/awards.aspx#delta</a>
<b>November 20</b>	SeaWorld/Busch Gardens/Fujifilm Environmental Excellence Awards for Students and Teachers	Honors outstanding efforts of <b>K-12 student groups to protect and preserve the environment through grass-roots efforts.</b> Project activities should have a significant positive impact on students, schools, communities or the environment.	Eight schools will receive \$10,000 each, gifts, and travel to an awards event. From the 8 winning schools, one educator will win a \$5,000 award.	<a href="http://www.seaworld.org/conservation-matters/eea/about.htm">http://www.seaworld.org/conservation-matters/eea/about.htm</a>
<b>November 30</b>	NSTA and Vernier Software & Technology <i>Vernier Technology Awards</i>	Recognizes K-college <b>science teachers</b> for their <b>innovative use, or potential use, of data-collection technology interfacing with a computer, graphing calculator, or handheld</b> in the science classroom.	One (K-5) teacher; two (6-8) teachers; and three (9-12) teachers will receive \$1,000 each; \$1,000 in Vernier products; and up to \$1,000 towards expenses to attend the NSTA National Conference.	<a href="http://vernier.com/grants/nsta.html">http://vernier.com/grants/nsta.html</a>

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<b>November 30</b>	NSTA <i>Sylvia Shugrue Award for Elementary School Teachers</i>	Honors one <b>elementary school teacher</b> (grades K-6) with a minimum of five years of experience <b>who has established (or is establishing) an interdisciplinary, inquiry-based science lesson plan.</b> The lesson plan will fully reference sources of information and any relevant National Science Education Standards and benchmarks found in the Atlas of Science Literacy.	\$1,000 and up to \$500 to attend the NSTA National Conference on Science Education; award recipient will be honored during the Awards Banquet at the NSTA Conference	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/Shugrue.pdf">http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/Shugrue.pdf</a>
<b>November 30</b>	<i>Zula International–NSTA Early Science Educator Award</i>	Recognizes and honors two (2) full-time <b>PreK–2 teachers who successfully use innovative inquiry-based science to enhance science teaching and learning in their classroom.</b>	Two \$1,000 awards toward expenses to attend the NSTA National Conference and \$400 for the awardees	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/Zula.pdf">http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/Zula.pdf</a>
<b>November 30</b>	NSTA and Ciba Foundation <i>Exemplary Middle Level and High School Science Teaching Awards</i>	Recognizes full-time <b>middle level and high school classroom teachers</b> who have <b>demonstrated exemplary science teaching performance.</b> Nominees' work must demonstrate creativity; impact the department, school, or community; stimulate interest in science and the learning of science; meet an expressed need of the students, school, or community; meet proper safety procedures; and reflect the National Science Education Standards.	One middle level and one high school teacher will receive \$4,000 each; a one-year membership in NSTA; and expenses (up to \$1,000) to attend the NSTA National Conference.	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/CibaTeaching.pdf">www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/CibaTeaching.pdf</a>
<b>November 30</b>	NSTA <i>Maitland P. Simmons Memorial Award for New Teachers</i>	Provides selected <b>K-12 teachers (up to 25) in their first five years of teaching with funds to attend the annual National Conference on Science Education.</b> Award recipients will be mentored, tracked, and provided with continuing opportunities for meaningful involvement with NSTA and its activities.	Up to \$1,000 award to be used to attend the annual National Conference	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/NewTeacher.pdf">http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/NewTeacher.pdf</a>
<b>November 30</b>	NSTA and the Drug, Chemical and Associated Technologies Association (DCAT) <i>“Making a Difference” Award</i>	Supports grades <b>6-12 science programs</b> that have shown <b>effective teaching strategies</b> that have influenced students to initiate or extend their interests in the <b>exploration and investigation of science and its application to global problems.</b> The model program must be replicable for other middle schools.	Award of \$2,500 goes to the school; Airfare and hotel are provided for lead science teacher and principal to attend the NSTA National Conference	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/DCAT.pdf">www.nsta.org/pdfs/awards/DCAT.pdf</a>

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<b>November 30</b>	Team America Rocketry Challenge 2010	This is a national <b>model rocket competition</b> for Grades 7-12 student teams.	Top 10 winning teams share \$60,000 in cash and scholarships and other prizes.	<a href="http://www.rocketcontest.org/">http://www.rocketcontest.org/</a>
<b>November 30</b> <b>January 31</b> <b>April 30</b> <b>July 31</b>	American Institute of Aeronautics & Astronautics, Inc. (AIAA) Foundation Classroom Grants	For AAIA members: To assist in <b>hands-on K-12 teaching of science, mathematics, and technology</b> principles related to <b>aerospace</b> . Grants can be used for <b>math and science supplies and materials</b> .	Individual requests are for \$200 each and each school is limited to \$1,000 per calendar year.	<a href="http://www.aiaa.org/content.cfm?pageid=216">http://www.aiaa.org/content.cfm?pageid=216</a>
<b>December 1</b>	American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT) <i>Bauder Endowment for the Support of Physics Teaching Small Grants Program</i>	For AAPT members: Supports funds and grants for the <b>development and distribution of innovative apparatus for physics teaching</b> ; to obtain or build and support traveling exhibits of apparatus, up to \$500 will fund local workshops for teachers who spread the use of demonstration and laboratory equipment.	Mini-grants of up to \$500 each	<a href="http://www.aapt.org/Grants/bauderfund.cfm">http://www.aapt.org/Grants/bauderfund.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	AAPT High School Physics Teachers Grants	Small grants to support <b>innovative physics programs or activities</b> that seek to increase student enrollment or to enhance student achievement in physics.	Grants range from \$100 to \$500 each	<a href="http://www.aapt.org/Grants/hsgrant.cfm">http://www.aapt.org/Grants/hsgrant.cfm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	Foundation for Technology Education (FTE) <i>Pitsco/Hearlily/FTE Grant</i>	For ITEA members: Recognizes a <b>K-12 technology teacher for the integration of a quality technology education program</b> within the school curriculum.	One \$2,000 grant to be presented to the teacher at the ITEA annual conference	<a href="http://www.iteaconnect.org/Awards/granthearlily.htm">http://www.iteaconnect.org/Awards/granthearlily.htm</a>
<b>December 1</b>	FTE <i>Greer/FTE Grant</i>	For ITEA members: To encourage <b>professional development</b> participation of <b>classroom teachers and supervisors in Technology Education</b> .	One \$1,000 grant to offset the expenses of attending the ITEA annual conference	<a href="http://www.iteaconnect.org/Awards/grantgreer.htm">http://www.iteaconnect.org/Awards/grantgreer.htm</a>
<b>December 1</b> <i>When applications forms are available</i>	National Association of Biology Teachers (NABT) <i>Outstanding Biology Teacher Award</i>	Award recognizes an <b>outstanding 7-12<sup>th</sup> grade biology educator</b> in each of the 50 states. Nominees are judged on teaching ability and experience, cooperativeness in the school and community, inventiveness, initiative and student-teacher relationships.	Binoculars, microscopes, certificates, NABT membership, and honored at NABT Professional Development Conference	<a href="http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8">http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8</a>

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<b>December 1</b> <i>When applications forms are available</i>	NABT <i>Outstanding New Biology Teacher Achievement Award</i>	<b>Recognizes outstanding teaching (grades 7-12) by a "new" biology/life science instructor</b> within his/her first three years of teaching (when nominated) who has developed an original and outstanding program or technique and made a contribution to the profession at the start of his/her career.	A recognition plaque is presented to the award winner at the NABT Professional Development Conference, along with a complimentary one-year NABT membership.	<a href="http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8">http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8</a>
<b>December 1</b> <i>When applications forms are available</i>	NABT <i>Vernier Software &amp; Technology Ecology/Environmental Science Teaching Award</i>	<b>Recognizes a secondary school teacher</b> who has successfully developed and demonstrated an <b>innovative approach in the teaching of ecology/environmental science</b> and has carried his/her commitment to the environment into the community.	\$1,000 toward travel to the Professional Development Conference, and \$500 of Vernier equipment; a plaque to be presented at the NABT Professional Development Conference, and a one-year complimentary NABT membership.	<a href="http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8">http://www.nabt.org/websites/institution/index.php?p=132#award8</a>
<b>December 15</b> <i>(for notice of intent)</i>  <i>Papers due March 1, 2010</i>	NASA High School Aeronautics Competition	Competition is open to <b>individual students or teams of high school students who put together their ideas for specific design goals for the next generation of rescue vehicles--an amphibious tiltrotor vehicle</b> that could land on water, take off in water, and also land and take off on land or other non-water surfaces. Each entry must be sponsored by a teacher, parent or guardian, or other adult mentor associated with the student's education.	\$1,500 first prize team entries and a \$1,000 first prize for individual entries, plus 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> and honorable mention awards based on available funds	<a href="http://aero.larc.nasa.gov/competitions_high.htm">http://aero.larc.nasa.gov/competitions_high.htm</a>
<b>December 15</b>  <b>March 15</b> <b>June 15</b> <b>September 15</b>	Project AWARE Foundation Micro Grants for Environmental Projects	Supports <b>environmental projects</b> that directly benefit the <b>aquatic</b> environment. Micro grants support localized grassroots efforts.	Grants \$500 to \$3,000 each	<a href="http://www.projectaware.org/english/grants/grant_information.aspx">http://www.projectaware.org/english/grants/grant_information.aspx</a>

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<b>December 31</b>  <b>March 31</b> <b>June 30</b> <b>September 30</b>	Captain Planet Foundation Environmental Education Grants	Supports <b>innovative hands-on environmental education projects</b> for students in grades K-12 to empower them to work individually and as groups to <b>solve environmental problems in their neighborhoods and communities.</b>	Grants from \$250 to \$2,500 each	<a href="http://www.captainplanetfdn.org/grants.html">http://www.captainplanetfdn.org/grants.html</a>
<b>December 31</b>	Organic Crop Improvement Association International Grants for Organic Education	Supports <b>development of educational material or development of programs supporting organic agriculture</b> (i.e., various types of camps, community gardens, grocery store taste tests, presentations to interested parties, etc.).	Grants range from \$300 to \$1,500	<a href="http://www.ocia.org/RE/MicroGrant.aspx">http://www.ocia.org/RE/MicroGrant.aspx</a>
<b>December 31</b>	Nickelodeon's Big Green Grants Program	For schools and community-based organizations to support environmentally friendly projects that educate and inspire kids to (1) take care of the <b>environment</b> ; (2) <b>be active and live healthily</b> ; and/or (3) <b>engage in community service.</b>	A \$2,500 or a \$5,000 grant for an environmentally-friendly project. To request \$5,000, applicants must provide a 1-to1 dollar-to-dollar match (\$10,000+ total project budget).	<a href="http://www.bghevent.com/downloads/BigGreenGrantsProgram.pdf">http://www.bghevent.com/downloads/BigGreenGrantsProgram.pdf</a>
<b>January 18</b>	Toyota TAPESTRY Science Grants	Offers mini-grants and larger grants to <b>science teachers K-12 for innovative projects that enhance science education</b> in the school and/or school district.  The categories are <b>Physical Science, Environmental Education, and Integrating Literacy and Science.</b>	50 one-year grants of up to \$10,000 each and 20-32 "mini-grants" of up to \$2,500 each will be awarded nationwide	<a href="http://www.nsta.org/programs/tapestry/">http://www.nsta.org/programs/tapestry/</a>
<b>January 31</b>	The Siemens "We Can Change the World" <i>Elementary School Challenge</i>	<b>Grades K-2 and 3-5 teams of students</b> and an adult educator can enter their project which identifies a <b>sustainability issue and provides a plan to positively impact that issue and improve their environment.</b> Entries from Grade K-2 Teams should focus on an environmental issue or problem in their classroom, and entries from Grade 3-5 Teams should focus on an environmental issue or problem in their school community	Student and teacher/mentor prizes, which vary according to grade level include school grants of \$5,000, \$3,000 and \$1,000 to schools; NSTA memberships, pocket video cameras; and more	<a href="http://wecanchange.com/classroom/about-challenge/rules/">http://wecanchange.com/classroom/about-challenge/rules/</a>

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<b>February 1</b>  <b>August 1</b>	Toshiba America Foundation 7-12 Math and Science Grants	Grants to 7-12 schools <b>to implement and/or adapt existing programs in science, mathematics and the science and mathematics of technology.</b> Projects should be teacher-planned and led and take place in the classroom.	Grants up to \$10,000 each	<a href="http://www.toshiba.com/about/taf/smallgrants.html">http://www.toshiba.com/about/taf/smallgrants.html</a>
<b>February 1</b>  <b>June 1</b>  <b>October 15</b>	NEA Foundation and Nickelodeon: <i>Big Green Grants</i> and <i>Green Grants to Public School Educators</i>	<p><i>Big Green Grants</i> are available in the form of NEA Student Achievement grants to <b>K-8</b> public school educators. These grants are for the development and implementation of <b>ideas, techniques, and approaches for teaching green concepts to elementary and middle school students</b> to help students develop a sense of <b>environmental stewardship.</b></p> <p><i>Green Grants to Public School Educators</i> are available to <b>K-12 public school educators</b> in the form of both Learning &amp; Leadership and Student Achievement grants. These grants are to support <b>projects that integrate green-related topics with various standards-based content areas</b> to increase student engagement and improve academic achievement.</p>	<p>Big Green Grants are \$5,000 per grant</p> <p>Green Grants to Public School Educators are \$2,000 for individual Learning &amp; Leadership grants and \$5,000 for Student Achievement and group Learning &amp; Leadership grants</p>	<a href="http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/educators/grant-programs/nea-foundation-green-grants/">http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/educators/grant-programs/nea-foundation-green-grants/</a>
<b>February 2</b>	Toshiba/NSTA ExploraVision Awards Program	<b>Teams of 3-4 K-12 students</b> from one or more schools, with a teacher as a team coach, are eligible to enter a <b>science research project</b> in which students look at the <b>tools and technologies people use every day</b> and are relevant to their lives and identify a problem that it does not solve, and <b>propose a new use for that technology 20 years from now that will solve the problem.</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> place--Four teams win a savings bond of \$10,000 per student; 2 <sup>nd</sup> place--four teams win a \$5,000 savings bond per student; 24 regional teams win a Toshiba product	<a href="http://www.exploravision.org">http://www.exploravision.org</a>
<b>February 12</b>	The Mathematical Association of America (MAA) and the Tensor Fund Women and Mathematics Grants	To support projects <b>to encourage middle and high school girls to study mathematics.</b> Secondary school or middle school mathematics staff, working in conjunction with college or university faculty, is eligible to apply. Effective projects will include information on math careers.	Up to \$6,000 per grant; applicant must provide matching funds or in-kind support	<a href="http://www.maa.org/wam/tensor.html">http://www.maa.org/wam/tensor.html</a>

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February 17	Intel Schools of Distinction	<p>Honors <b>schools that have demonstrated excellence in math and science education.</b> This is for schools that have developed an environment and curricula that <b>meet or exceed benchmarks</b>, including <b>national mathematics and science content standards.</b> Winning programs serve as models for schools across the country.</p> <p>Other criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Professional development program(s)</li> <li>▪ Leadership model</li> <li>▪ Level of community involvement</li> <li>▪ Level of collaboration/teamwork</li> <li>▪ Capacity to scale and sustain</li> <li>▪ Use of rich digital content</li> <li>▪ Level of student achievement</li> <li>▪ A variety of instructional strategies incorporating such areas as critical thinking skills, hands-on experiences, and project-based learning</li> </ul>	18 schools (3 elem., 3 middle & 3 high schools) in each of two categories – math and science – will be selected as Finalists, receiving a cash grant for \$2,500; 6 winners (1 elem., 1 middle & 1 high school) in each of the two categories receive \$10,000 cash and more than \$100,000 in products and services from sponsors. Of the 6 winning schools, one is chosen as the Star Innovator which receives an additional \$15,000 as well as additional products and services.	<a href="http://www.intel.com/education/schoolsofdistinction/index.htm">http://www.intel.com/education/schoolsofdistinction/index.htm</a>
<b>PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/SCHOLARSHIPS</b>				
January 15	American Association of University Women (AAUW) Community Action Grants	<p><u>One-year grants</u> provide <b>seed money for new projects that promote education and equity for women and girls.</b></p> <p><u>Two-year grants</u> provide start-up funds for longer-term programs that <b>address the particular needs of the community and develop girls' sense of efficacy through leadership or advocacy opportunities.</b></p>	<p>One-year grants (\$2,000-\$7,000)</p> <p>Two-year grants (\$5,000-\$10,000)</p>	<a href="http://www.aauw.org/fga/fellowships_grants/community_action.cfm">http://www.aauw.org/fga/fellowships_grants/community_action.cfm</a>
February 1 June 1 October 15	National Education Foundation (NEA) <i>Learning and Leadership Grants</i>	<b>Learning And Leadership Grants:</b> For <b>individuals</b> to participate in high quality <b>professional development</b> experiences or <b>institutes</b> and for <b>groups</b> for <b>collegial study, action research, lesson study, or mentoring.</b>	Up to \$2,000 for individuals and up to \$5,000 for groups	<a href="http://www.neafoundation.org/grants.htm">http://www.neafoundation.org/grants.htm</a>
<b>SERVICE LEARNING/SOCIAL STUDIES</b>				
Ongoing	Jenny's Heroes	Funds <b>specific ideas that benefit a number of people in a community:</b> the Foundation can purchase, repair, upgrade, provide <b>equipment</b> , or make improvements.	Up to \$25,000 in equipment or materials or building upgrades (does not give cash)	<a href="http://www.jennysheroes.com/index.shtml">http://www.jennysheroes.com/index.shtml</a>

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Ongoing	West European Studies Grants for Educators	Provides up to \$50/day towards expenses for <b>K-12 teachers to travel to Indiana University to do research or professional development related to European Studies.</b> Teachers will be allowed to use library resources, attend lectures or workshops, and more.	Up to \$50/day for travel expenses to Indiana University	<a href="http://www.indiana.edu/~west/fund_teachers.shtml#travel">http://www.indiana.edu/~west/fund_teachers.shtml#travel</a>
Ongoing	Robert H. Michel Special Project Grants	Teachers who teach social studies, history, political science, and other subjects which relate to <b>Congress</b> can apply for grants for <b>work that advances the public understanding of the federal legislature</b> , with the their central focus <b>the U.S. Congress.</b> Favored are projects which include innovative endeavors that have the potential to reach a broad audience.	From \$2,500 to \$5,000 per grant	<a href="http://www.dirksencenter.org/print_grants_specialprojects.htm">http://www.dirksencenter.org/print_grants_specialprojects.htm</a>
Ongoing	Office Depot Foundation Grants	Supports programs in schools to help <b>students get ready for work and life.</b> Projects that involve two or more organizations and that have a large impact are preferred. Must apply online. Do not request backpacks.  <i>The Office Depot Foundation's <b>product donation program</b> is managed by Gifts In Kind International:</i> <a href="http://www.giftsinkind.org/">http://www.giftsinkind.org/</a>	Average grant is \$1,000	<a href="http://www.officedepotfoundation.com/grant_guidelines.asp">http://www.officedepotfoundation.com/grant_guidelines.asp</a>

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Ongoing	Alaska Humanities Forum Grant Program	<p>Funds innovative <b>humanities-based projects</b> across the state, including <b>oral history, films and other media, lectures, exhibits, conferences, public meetings, and research.</b></p> <p><i>Mini-grants</i> must be pre-approved and are only available for timely projects that cannot wait until the next general grant deadline, although this alone is not enough to qualify for mini-grant funds. All requests are dependent on availability of funds.</p>	<p>Mini-grants for up to \$2,000</p> <p><i>Grant funds must be matched or exceeded by a cash or in-kind cost share.</i></p>	<a href="http://www.akhf.org/grants/grants_main.html">http://www.akhf.org/grants/grants_main.html</a>
Ongoing	Do Something Grant	Awards grants to individual youths 25 and under who are involved in <b>projects that improve the community, ranging from education and health to environment and community building.</b>	Grants of \$500 each	<a href="http://www.dosomething.org/grants/general">http://www.dosomething.org/grants/general</a>
November 9	State Farm Good Neighbors Service-Learning Grant	To support <b>youth-led service-learning projects</b> that culminate on Global Youth Service Day (GYSD), April 23-25, 2010. Applicants are encouraged to develop projects that launch on Martin Luther King Day of Service, January 18, 2010, and culminate on the weekend of GYSD.	Grants of \$1,000 each	<a href="http://ysa.org/MyYSA/YSAContent/YSA/News/tabid/219/articleType/ArticleView/articleId/187/StateFarmGoodNeighborServiceLearningGrantsDeadlineNovember9.aspx">http://ysa.org/MyYSA/YSAContent/YSA/News/tabid/219/articleType/ArticleView/articleId/187/StateFarmGoodNeighborServiceLearningGrantsDeadlineNovember9.aspx</a>
November 30	Freedoms Foundation Leavey Awards for Excellence in Private Enterprise Education	K-12 educators are eligible for awards for <b>conceiving and implementing an innovative course, program or project</b> which develops, among students, a deeper understanding and appreciation of the <b>American private enterprise system.</b>	Awards of \$7,500 each; one \$15,000 special award for unusually meritorious entry	<a href="http://www.freedomfoundation.org/Leavey-Awards.cfm">http://www.freedomfoundation.org/Leavey-Awards.cfm</a>
December 1	Organization of American Historians 2010 Oah Tachau Teacher of the Year Award	Pre-collegiate teachers engaged at least half time in <b>history teaching</b> , whether in history or social studies, are eligible to apply for an award for activities which <b>enhance the intellectual development of other history teachers and/or students.</b>	One award of \$1,000, a one-year OAH membership, a one-year subscription to the OAH Magazine of History, and a complimentary registration for the annual meeting.	<a href="http://www.oah.org/activities/awards/tachau/index.html">http://www.oah.org/activities/awards/tachau/index.html</a>

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<b>December 1</b>	Richard W. Riley Award for Honoring Excellence in Schools as Centers of Community	Recognizes a school that is designed to be <b>the center of a community</b> – both in its <b>architecture</b> and <b>programs</b> .	One award of \$5,000	<a href="http://www.richardrileyaward.org/en/Ind ex.html">http://www.richardrileyaward.org/en/Ind ex.html</a>
<b>December 1</b>	2010 State Farm Service-Learning Champion Award	Recognizes a business leader, community member or public official <b>who has a passion for engaging youth in service-learning</b> .	Travel and registration costs for the award recipient to attend the 21st Annual National Service-Learning Conference in March 2010, in San Jose, CA, to receive the award.	<a href="http://www.statefarm.com/about/part_s pos/topics/nom_slch amp.asp">http://www.statefarm.com/about/part_s pos/topics/nom_slch amp.asp</a>
<b>December 15</b>	Do Something Awards	Recognizes <b>teens</b> and young adults who show <b>exceptional leadership and vision towards solving a problem in his/her community</b> (population you are seeking to help, as well as the larger community within which you work, whether that is your hometown, a country or a cause). Applicant must thoroughly understand the community he/she is working with, have a thorough knowledge of the problem he/she is tackling and have devised clear and measurable methods for addressing this problem.	Four winners will receive \$10,000 and one Grand Prize winner will receive \$100,000 towards their organization or cause. Each winner has the option of receiving up to \$5,000 as an educational scholarship.	<a href="http://www.dosomething.org/programs/awards">http://www.dosomething.org/programs/awards</a>
<b>December 15</b> <b>June 15</b> <b>September 15</b>	The Home Depot Building Healthy Communities Grant Program	Grants are for <b>community improvement projects that use volunteers</b> for such activities as planting trees in a neighborhood; developing green spaces; and updating school facilities and community centers.	Grants of up to \$2,500 in the form of a Home Depot gift card for the purchase of tools and materials.	<a href="http://corporate.homedepot.com/wps/portal/Grants">http://corporate.homedepot.com/wps/portal/Grants</a>

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January 10	C-SPAN's StudentCAM 2010 Competition	<p>Middle school (6-8) and high school (9-12) students are asked to create a short (between 5 and 8 minutes) <b>video documentary that explores an issue of national significance that they believe is in need of urgent attention from the new president of the United States.</b></p> <p><u>This Year's StudentCam Topics:</u>                      A) One of our country's greatest strengths; or                      B) A challenge the country is facing.</p>	<p>1 grand prize                      Student award of \$5,000; best Teacher/School award of \$1,000.                      One 1<sup>st</sup> prize middle school student award of \$3,000 and one high school student award of \$3,000.                      Teachers/Schools win \$500.                      Plus, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes, honorable mention awards and one international award.</p>	<a href="http://www.studentcam.org/index.htm">http://www.studentcam.org/index.htm</a>
January 15  April 15 July 15 October 15	Lowe's Charitable and Educational Foundation Community Grants	<p>Supports <b>community improvement projects and K-12 public school initiative projects</b>, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Outdoor learning</b> environments</li> <li>▪ <b>Construction and Trades</b> related education initiatives</li> <li>▪ <b>Cleanup, landscaping and painting projects</b></li> <li>▪ <b>Playground</b> enhancements</li> <li>▪ <b>Minor repair/renovation</b> of public school buildings</li> <li>▪ <b>educational gardening programs</b></li> </ul>	<p>Grants from \$5,000 to \$25,000</p> <p><i>Note: Contact your local Lowe's store first when seeking a modest gift card, door prize or donation of materials for a community project or event.</i></p>	<a href="http://www.lowes.com/lowes/lkn?action=frameSet&amp;url=apps.bridgetree.com/funding/default.asp">http://www.lowes.com/lowes/lkn?action=frameSet&amp;url=apps.bridgetree.com/funding/default.asp</a>
January 29	National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) We the People Bookshelf Program: "A More Perfect Union"	<p>K-12 school libraries can apply for <b>15 thematically-related classic hardcover books and supplemental materials which embody the theme "A More Perfect Union."</b> These grants are to encourage young people to read classic books and explore themes in <b>American history, culture, and ideas.</b></p>	<p>15 classic hardcover books on American history, culture and ideas, plus promotional materials</p>	<a href="http://publicprogram.s.ala.org/bookshelf/">http://publicprogram.s.ala.org/bookshelf/</a>

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February 15  September 15	Pay It Forward Foundation Mini-Grants	Schools are eligible to apply for a <b>mini-grant for one-time-only service-oriented projects</b> identified by youth as activities they would like to perform to <b>benefit their school, neighborhood, or greater community</b> . Projects must contain a “pay it forward” focus – they must be based on the concept of one person doing a favor for others, who in turn do favors for others, with the results growing exponentially. Project should be of <b>educational benefit to students/teachers and should include integration with school curriculum</b> .	Mini-grants of up to \$500 each	<a href="http://payitforwardfoundation.org/">http://payitforwardfoundation.org/</a>
<b>SUPPLIES/MATERIALS/DONATIONS</b>				
Ongoing	Adopt-A-Classroom Grants	Teachers who register at this site can be adopted by an individual, a business, or a foundation. Teachers then receive \$500 worth of credit to <b>purchase items to enrich the classroom, including technology</b> .	Grants of \$500 worth of credit to purchase teaching supplies	<a href="http://www.adoptaclassroom.com">http://www.adoptaclassroom.com</a>
Ongoing	DonorsChoose.org	To apply, educators submit <b>classroom proposals for materials or experiences for classrooms in need</b> . Proposals are screened for eligibility before they are posted at DonorsChoose.org website for funding consideration by <b>citizen donors</b> .	\$50 to \$2,000 in such items as books, technology, supplies, and field trips	<a href="http://www.donorschoose.org/about/history.html?zone=0">http://www.donorschoose.org/about/history.html?zone=0</a>
Ongoing	Walmart Store and Sam's Club Giving Program and Local Mini-Grants	For K-12 schools/districts to support the educational needs of <b>underserved young people</b> ages 12-25. Examples include programs focused on <b>high school success, access and retention of first-generation college students and adolescent literacy</b> . The Walmart Foundation has a particular interest in supporting <b>veterans and military families, traditionally underserved groups, individuals with disabilities and people impacted by natural disasters</b> .	Giving Program (limit one per year per organization): Minimum grant of \$1,000 Maximum grant of \$5,000  Local Mini-Grants: Up to \$500 each	<a href="http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8916.aspx">http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8916.aspx</a>  <i>Contact the Community Involvement Coordinator at the local Wal-Mart or SAM'S Club.</i>
October 30	Great American Classroom Makeover	K-12 educators can self-nominate their classrooms by applying for <b>supplies that they need for their classroom and sharing a photo from their class</b> .	Five classes will win grants up to \$2,500 each	<a href="http://www.gaclassroommakeover.com/">http://www.gaclassroommakeover.com/</a>

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<b>December 15</b>  <b>March 15</b> <b>June 15</b> <b>September 15</b>	Curriculum Associates, Inc., Partners for Growth Matching Grants	Provides grants to educators in PreK-12 who demonstrate an <b>innovative approach to teaching with Curriculum Associates’</b> research-based instructional and assessment <b>materials</b> .	Grants are for \$300 worth of Curriculum Associates materials. <i>Applicants must match the \$300 with \$300 of other funds.</i>	<a href="http://www.casamples.com/downloads/GrantApplication1106.pdf">http://www.casamples.com/downloads/GrantApplication1106.pdf</a>
<b>February 1</b>  <b>May 1</b> <b>August 1</b> <b>November 1</b>	Real Kids, Real Adventures Teacher Genie Wish List	Teachers, librarians or other educators are eligible to apply for <b>wish list items relating to the teaching profession</b> , such as <b>books, classroom materials, a pizza party</b> or anything else useful in an educational setting. A person can submit as many wishes as they would like.	Each wish’s cash value cannot exceed \$50.	<a href="http://www.realkids.com/home3.htm">http://www.realkids.com/home3.htm</a>