

Other Funding Sources

We are dedicated to helping educators find all of the funding sources and grants available and to helping you make the most of your investment in the eColor System.

Funding Source/Grant Justification Applications:

Title IIa Improving Teacher Quality
Justification: Increase academic achievement by improving teacher quality Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Create progress maps for students and classes to track their progress• Provide recognition through customized posters for each group or class• Equip educators with alternative methods to engage students with the eColor System• Provide teachers with tools to support key learning activities through poster-size maps, reminders, models, process maps, graphic organizers, etc.
Title IIc Enhancing Education Through Technology
Justification: Improve academic achievement through use of technology Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expand access to technology with poster printer and design software• Enhance professional development of teachers by exposing educators to technology and the design process
Title III English Language Acquisition
Justification: Support English language development instruction Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Incorporate bilingual backgrounds on bulletin boards• Create bilingual classroom visuals and signage such as graphic translation and vocabulary posters• Create a school environment where parents feel welcome and involved• Create bilingual recognition posters that honor the first language of the student as well as reinforce English• Inform non-English speaking parents of upcoming events with bilingual posters
Title IVa Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities
Justification: Support programs that prevent violence and drug use in and around schools Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Create posters that communicate anti-bullying and anti-drug messages
Charter Schools Program
Justification: Increase the number of high-quality charter schools available to students Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use in constructive ways, producing a product that represents core concepts in mathematical models, scientific forms, artistic images, historical replicas, and more• Connect students to the maker movement as a tool to facilitate hands-on and project-based learning skills• Create graphic organizers of key concepts to help students organize and classify key concepts• Make K-W-L charts to activate prior knowledge to improve reading comprehension as well as develop subject related foundations for learning• Incorporate instructional strategies that encourage student engagement• Construct learning activities that meet the diverse needs of the 21st Century student populations• Create reusable manipulatives for discussion webs, math, reading keys, mind mapping and structured note-taking
School Improvement Grants
Justification: Support student achievement and school improvement goals Applications: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use posters to place mission statement and strategic plan throughout the school• Utilize posters to reinforce lessons for visual learners• Recognize and encourage student achievement with customized posters (i.e. Student of the Week or Month)• Create a sense of school community with school pride posters and banners

FFE List (Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment) and Construction BEL (Basic Equipment List)

Justification: Provide teachers with resources to create a visual and tactile learning environment

Applications:

- Make posters, cutouts, manipulatives, and bulletin board displays for classroom instruction
- Create building signage to communicate with teachers, students, and parents
- Post rules and expectations in every classroom

Literacy and STEM Grants

Justification: Support goals and key concepts of awarded grants

Applications:

- Motivate students with personalized recognition posters
- Create charts to communicate program goals and progress
- Reinforce key learning concepts by enlarging strategies and reminders
- Expose students to the graphic design process through technology
- Provide teachers with resources to visually show abstract STEM concepts in an engaging format with posters, banners, cutouts, and displays

Parent/Teacher Organizations

Justification: Raise funds through parent, teacher, student, and community involvement

Applications:

- Create posters to communicate fundraising programs and events such as book fairs, school carnivals, car washes, community yard sales, fun runs, and seasonal sales
- Make and sell photo booth backdrops, props, and custom posters
- Provide teachers with resources to create classroom posters and manipulatives