



The Bowling Green Schools Foundation Teacher Grant Program is designed to provide funding for novel educational ideas and/or approaches that focus on student success and achievement while being integrated with established Bowling Green School District content standards and/or learner outcomes. The BGSF aims to reach as many students, K-12, as possible with these grant dollars.

Application Deadline: October 1st - 5:00pm | Limit \$1,500 for each application

Grant applications will be evaluated by members of the BGSF using BGSF grant criteria. Applicants will be notified via email of decision. Any and all grant expenses incurred prior to notification will not be paid for by the BGSF.

Criteria:

Each proposal will be evaluated by BGSF committee members using the following criteria:

1. **Uniqueness:** Each grant will represent a novel idea/approach outside of the regular fiscal responsibility of the school district and/or traditional PTO funding.
2. **Educational Goal:** Each grant will focus on one or more of the following: improving student achievement, increasing student success and/or increasing student awareness of available educational opportunities.
3. **Student Impact:** Each grant will focus on success and achievement for students and will be able to be integrated with established Bowling Green School District content standards and/or learner outcomes. Please include the approximate number of students who will be impacted by this grant.
4. **Collaboration:** Each grant will be judged on its use of collaboration between content areas and/or ages of students.
5. **Accountability:** Grants will only be awarded that benefit a group of students (i.e. not one individual). Any grant proposal that requests technology must have the signature of the District technology coordinator indicating that said technology is compatible with existing district technology and support. All grants must be approved at the building level.
6. **Feasibility of budget:** Grants will not be solely for materials or staffing of existing projects and/or programs.
7. **Flexibility of timeline:** Grants must be initiated and completed within one year after awarding of funds. We ask that grant monies are spent by the end of the academic year.
8. **Sharing and impact:** Grant proposals and results must be able to be shared with one's professional peers as well as other interested entities. Additionally, it is expected that conclusions, pictures, results, and/or findings will be shared with the BGSF Board of Directors.
9. **Evaluation Design:** Grants will be designed to be able to judge their effectiveness in the implementation of their started goals and the effect on student achievement.



Project Information

Grant Title

Teacher(s)
Name

Grade &
Building

Contact
Email

Contact
Phone

Total Amount
Requested

Has this project ever
received funding before?

Yes

☐

No

☐

Does this project
include the
purchase of
technology?

Yes

☐

No

☐

If yes, when?

Source

Amount

If yes, did you
get approval
of the district
Technology
Coordinator?

Yes

☐

No

☐

Did you discuss
this project with
your building's
Principal?

Yes

☐

No

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Grant Application Details

In a separate document, please state the educational goals and objectives focused for this project in 500-1000 words. Identify the issue or need that will be addressed. Identify who will benefit from the grant, how it will achieve student impact, and how this project is unique to the district. Further address budget outlines associated with the project (itemization if applicable), collaboration and timelines for this project.

Applications without educational goals and budget itemization will not be accepted.

Signature of Grant Applicant

Date

**Completed applications and supporting documents can be attached and emailed to
grants@bgschoolsfoundation.com**