



2019 Professional Development Grant

DESCRIPTION: The Foundation will be supporting teachers in our community with funds for their **professional or personal growth**. We recognize that many teachers give their time over the summer to improving themselves so that their work in the classroom continues to improve. They can also use their learning to benefit the larger school community. The Foundation has allocated \$5,000 for this gift to support their efforts. The grant is open to all teachers in our local schools and we expect grants to range from several hundred dollars up to, but no greater than, one thousand dollars. For examples are a conference, class or training that will expand your capacity as an educator. The opportunities are varied and the funds may be used at anytime in the 2019-2020 school year.

ELIGIBILITY: All (public, private, charter or parochial) K-12 school teachers are eligible to apply, as long their school is located within the LAX Coastal Education Foundation's footprint. Teachers may submit the application directly to the Foundation at info@laxcoastedfoundation.com. It is allowable for a pair or group to apply together for a single grant. Teacher must be agreeable to participate in public relations photographs, news releases and social media exposure that may be published in print and online, including The Foundation's website and collateral/marketing materials.

AWARDS: The awards are based on need and availability of funds. We may award 5 one thousand dollar grants or multiple grants in smaller amounts. The decision will be made by a committee of the foundation and approved by the Foundation's Board of Directors. The deadline to submit your grant application is Thursday, May 2, 2019. This will allow us to announce the winners at the annual Teacher Eddy Awards. Applications need to be submitted to the LAX Coastal Education Foundation via email at info@laxcoastedfoundation.com.

About the LAX Coastal Education Foundation: Our mission is to support and enhance the highest quality educational environment for students, educators and parents in the LAX Coastal Area.

Our goal is to support and promote local schools through community outreach, partnerships, recognition and information dissemination. Through the leadership efforts of the foundation in fundraising, promoting our schools and creating strategic partnerships with educators, families, local government and the business community, we are working to strengthen all our local—public, charter, private, and parochial—schools. The LAX Coastal Education Foundation was established as the Westchester/Playa Education Foundation in 2004, before a relaunch in 2017 to reflect an updated mission to support all local schools in our coverage area.



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SCHOOL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

APPLICANT(S): _____

EMAIL: _____

GRADES(S): _____ CLASSROOM SUBJECT: _____

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TITLE OF GRANT: _____

GOAL OF GRANT (Please attach a description of the grant request; it's benefit to you and, if appropriate to your school directly.)

For more information, please contact the LAX Coastal Education Foundation at info@laxcoastedfoundation.com.

All applications are due by 5 pm on Thursday, May 2, 2019 (no late applications will be accepted) to the LAX Coastal Education Foundation via email at info@laxcoastedfoundation.com.