

CSISD Education Foundation Grants - 73 grants awarded, \$325,014 total

District-Wide				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
EdTech Cohort	\$25,035	Lauryn Fiechtner Natalie Pugh	Van Stavern Small Animal Hospital	EdTech Cohort members from across the district will collaborate to build instructional capacity to ensure the purposeful and relevant use of educational technology, at all grade levels and content areas, is no longer the exception, but the rule.
CSISD Little Olympics	\$3,050	Megan Symank	St. Joseph Health	The Little Olympics is a community-connecting service event that promotes competition through track and field related activities for our elementary schools. The College Station ISD track and field programs at A&M Consolidated High School and College Station High School have joined together to organize a competition for elementary campuses to compete to be the 2024 Little Olympics Champion.
Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Leslie Bloomer Ginny Garrison Tate	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
A&M Consolidated HS - \$55,817 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Monitors are "VITAL" to our Program!	\$7,479	Kimberley Decker Sara Lynn Willis Cynthia Roberts	Schultz Engineering	Health Science Teachers will utilize vital sign monitors to teach about human physiology and prepare them for clinical rotations in the community
Making Impressions: Mixed Media Printmaking	\$6,164	John Speck Dakota Rogers Lindsey Gough Christopher Howard	Rainer & Tami Fink	The Art and Culinary department will explore the creative and practical capabilities of the printmaking medium. The possibilities are vast, as students will explore a diversity of mixed media approaches – creating monoprints, posters, t-shirts, aprons, and more. Funds from this grant are dedicated to the necessary acquisition of durable screen printing materials, a heat press, reusable Gelli plates, squeegees, emulsion coaters and a washout sink.
Bringing 3D Printing Technology to the Art Room and Life Skills Classroom!	\$3,991	Lindsey Gough Elizabeth Engelhardt	Jon & Tammy Mogford	Art and Life Skills classrooms will collaborate to create sculpture tools for the art room as well as tools for adaptability in the Life Skills classroom. Part of the Art courses this year includes Partner Art which includes the Life Skills class. Students will use the 3D printer for the purposes of creating art tools as well as tools to provide more adaptable materials for the Life Skills students to create art.
A Foundation for Focus: Active Seating for English, Reading, Social Studies & CASL	\$3,750	Rachael Richmond Tara Moore Diana Magna Sunny Stephens	Wilton's OfficeWorks	Fundamental English, reading, and social studies classes as well as CASL (Communication, Academics, Social Learning) classes will equip students with active seating that provides their bodies with sensory input that helps them organize their nervous systems to promote learning.
Barn Births Broadcasting Cams!	\$2,949	Hannah Lewandowski	Bruce & Tracy Sanders	Students in the animal science pathway will be able to view & watch live farm animal births.
"Pen" for Your Thoughts	\$1,710	Belinda Pruitt Susan Rutledge Michael Slaughter Tori Buchner Angela Kerekes Karen Swann Emily Crothwait	Pride Cleaners	Math teachers will use apple pencils for students to write on the ipads during group activities. Teachers will be able to group students for fun games, interactive lessons, and engaging reviews. By having these pencils math classes change from being boring to being exciting and fun.
Graffiti Club - Part II	\$998	Eden Fielder Leah Hood	Kimberly & Dan McAdams	Teachers will facilitate the learning and practice of graffiti art. Our club's purpose is as follows:1. Lead the students of graffiti club in creating thoughtful, positive, and original works of art.2. Help students understand the history of graffiti and appropriate outlets.3. Influence students to make better choices by modeling positive ways graffiti can be used outside of vandalism.
Putting a Magnet on Entrepreneurship for School Spirit	\$952	Elizabeth Engelhardt	Herff Jones - Calvin Waida	Students in the LIFE Skills classroom will expand their business to include other products for their school spirit business.
Lights, Lenses, Action!	\$14,947 (multi-campus grant)	Taylor Gade	VLK Architects, Inc.	Utilizing emerging technology and high powered energy efficient lights and lenses, Audio/Video teachers and students will collaborate to teach students how to produce an industry standard film project covering every stage of production.
Operation UpGrade!	\$7,482 (multi-campus grant)	Kris Dawson	Dr. Leonard & Nancy Berry	Teachers in the Law Enforcement program of study will receive much needed equipment in order to professionally and realistically conduct classroom lessons and demonstrate their proficiency in statewide competitions.
Students Helping Students; Build an AV Lab	\$14,848 (multi-campus grant)	Michael Howard	Kent Moore Cabinets	CTE teachers for Principles of IT, Computer Maintenance, Networking, and Practicum of IT will collaborate to teach students to assemble computers, install their software, and deploy them at another CSISD school. These computers will outfit a whole computer lab which will then be utilized by an entire 7th and 8th grade campus for PAAV and Engineering heavy coursework.

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Race to STEM - A Competitive Drone Experience	\$14,948 (multi-campus grant)	Trey Bevans	Caldwell Country Chevrolet	Drone and Robotics teachers will collaborate to teach students low voltage soldering, basic tool use, robotic operating skills, and FAA regulations for small unmanned aircraft. Students will competitively apply their new skills in a drone race that they build!
STEM Drones - A Designed Delivery System	\$2,493 (multi-campus grant)	Trey Bevans	Century Square	Robotics and UAV teachers will teach students 3D additive design, aerial surveying and mapping, and FAA regulations on external loads and dropping objects.
Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Lori Ross	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
College Station High School - \$40,266 total				
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Race to STEM - A Competitive Drone Experience	\$14,948 (multi-campus grant)	Danny Roberts	Caldwell Country Chevrolet	Drone and Robotics teachers will collaborate to teach students low voltage soldering, basic tool use, robotic operating skills, and FAA regulations for small unmanned aircraft. Students will competitively apply their new skills in a drone race that they build!
Lights, Lenses, Action!	\$14,947 (multi-campus grant)	Stephen Green	VLK Architects, Inc.	Utilizing emerging technology and high powered energy efficient lights and lenses, Audio/Video teachers and students will collaborate to teach students how to produce an industry standard film project covering every stage of production.
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Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Lori Ross	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
Investing in the Future: Using Technology to Enhance Economics and Personal Finance Education	\$7,500	April Falco Gregg Frashure Edgar DeLuna	Avinext	This grant proposal seeks funding to purchase 18 computers for economics/personal finance classes. The computers will be used to provide students with access to a variety of educational resources, including interactive simulations, online textbooks (Dave Ramsey), and economic data. The computers will also be used to support student collaboration and projects.
Strengthening Our Grads	\$4,048	Krystle Lopez Lara Leigh Ewing Casen DeLucia	Aggieland Properties	English 4 On-Level teachers will collaborate with students to teach them about their strengths using Gallup and CliftonStrengths in order to prepare them for their future careers and lives.
Upping Our Print Shop Game	\$2,971	Kimberly Munoz	C.C. Creations, Ltd.	Graphic Design students get hands-on experience in the printing process of large print jobs, such as banners and posters, to increase their "career ready" skills.
Rolling In The Dough	\$1,790	Kayla Poe	Matt & Kim Ege	To teach Culinary Arts students enhanced baking and pastry skills that will help them grow their class business by using dough sheeters to produce a larger quantity of baked products in a shorter amount of time. This will help attain the goal of reaching outside of the classroom and increasing community connections by selling more products to teachers and the community.
Inspector Chem and the Lab Rats	\$7,115 (multi-campus grant)	Jeremy Dockan	H-E-B	AP Chemistry teacher and students will develop and complete demonstrations for elementary students in order to grow their excitement for science.
College View High School - \$4,110 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Tech to Paycheck	\$2,498	Beth Sherry	Imagine Learning	Special education students will develop computer skills while exploring the world of careers, learning employability skills, and developing resumes and interactive portfolios in order to gain and maintain competitive employment in the community.
Healthy Habits for A Healthy, Happy Life	\$1,612	Beth Sherry Nikki Graff	Baylor Scott & White Health	Special education students will develop healthy habits to last a lifetime through engaging instruction and activities paired with exciting, motivating health-related challenges using fitness trackers throughout the school year.

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A&M Consolidated Middle School - \$9,684 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Human Air Hockey	\$2,205	Matthew Bywater	Schultz Engineering - Joe & Julie Schultz	Students will use high power leaf blowers to create their OWN HOVERCRAFT!
Soar Like an Eagle for the Best Views	\$14,985 (multi-campus grant)	Matthew Bywater Cielle Chevalier	Conlee-Garrett Moving & Storage	Students in PAE (Principles of Applied Engineering) and PAAV (Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology) will collaborate using video drones to create hype video's for each campus.
Empowering Creative Learning Via iPads and Apple Pencils	\$7,451 (multi-campus grant)	Cielle Chevalier	James & Jill Faith	This grant sparks creativity and intrinsic motivation for Middle school PAAV (Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology, and Communication) students as they prepare for real-world careers in graphic design, animation, audio/video production, fashion design, video game design, and commercial photography. This technology empowers students to innovate and lead, nurturing a lifelong passion for learning without limits.
College Station Middle School - \$11,052 total				
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Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Amanda Bowen	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
Soar Like an Eagle for the Best Views	\$14,985 (multi-campus grant)	Eric Zylman Amanda De Leon	Conlee-Garrett Moving & Storage	Students in PAE (Principles of Applied Engineering) and PAAV (Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology) will collaborate using video drones to create hype video's for each campus.
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iCanMathFromAnywhere!	\$2,469	Ashley Restivo Ashley Szura Laura Duncan Cody Westbrook Jamie Bassett Melinda Boehm	KCI Technologies	Math teachers will use Apple iPad and Apple Pencil to increase instruction and the classroom learning experience for all students. These devices will be applied to create exciting interactive lessons that better engage students and increase creativity for all! With the Apple iPad and Apple Pencil, we will be untethered to the Smart Panel and extend learning from anywhere in the classroom.
The Corner Store, the Snacks of Teacher Life	\$640	Moriah Krebs- Gasaway Lisa Baylor Lisa Kanetzky	Kimberly & Dan McAdams	Friday are much needed pick me up days for many teachers. The Special Education students on our campus will provide the pick me ups, such as snacks and sodas, that teachers need to get through the week. Students will take the cart around the school to the teacher's classrooms and teachers will pay \$1-2 for the snack and drinks. The students are learning social skills, and counting money, and communicating with adults.
Wellborn Middle School - \$21,309 total				
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Students Helping Students; Build an AV Lab	\$14,848 (multi-campus grant)	Fey Hysmith	Kent Moore Cabinets	CTE teachers for Principles of IT, Computer Maintenance, Networking, and Practicum of IT will collaborate to teach students to assemble computers, install their software, and deploy them at another CSISD school. These computers will outfit a whole computer lab which will then be utilized by an entire 7th and 8th grade campus for PAAV and Engineering heavy coursework.
Soar Like an Eagle for the Best Views	\$14,985 (multi-campus grant)	Fey Hysmith Jessica Silva	Conlee-Garrett Moving & Storage	Students in PAE (Principles of Applied Engineering) and PAAV (Principles of Arts, Audio/Video Technology) will collaborate using video drones to create hype video's for each campus.
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Empowering Innovation: The Digital Canvas	\$2,471	Melissa Jones	Andrews Orthodontics	Computer Science students will be able to use iPads and Apple Pencils for critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making when they design algorithms (code) to enable our Lego Mindstorm EV3 robots to perform tasks. Students will also be able to use these for creating hand-drawn graphics and publishing interactive stories, games, and animations.
Taking a Closer Look at Crime	\$2,250	Matthew Goehring	Southern Smiles Dentistry	Principles of Law teachers will give their students a chance to use the tools that crime scene investigators use to solve a mystery.
Threads of Creativity: Empowering Theatre and Art Education with sewing machines	\$810	Rachel Lea Ashley Morrison	The Rife Law Firm	Art students will use sewing machines to create projects during Unit 3: Process. Moving through the planning process to create a 3-dimensional form from a 2-dimensional shape. Scholars will be able to experiment and problem solve to plan and create their artwork. Sewing machines could also be beneficially shared with Theatre to create and/or alter costumes and/or props for a variety of plays and musicals.

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Mobility of Instruction in Math	\$412	Colleen Cummings	H-E-B	With the use of an IPAD and an Apple Pencil, a math teacher can consistently monitor the quality of student participation and performance during whole group instruction due to the mobility the Ipad and Apple Pencil provides. Students can also be asked to contribute to the lesson if given the pad and pencil. Showing their process can impact the understanding of other students in the room. Studies have documented proximity to students increases relationships and connections.
Cypress Grove Intermediate - \$6,652 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Do You Know Me?	\$2,716	Amanda Byrne LaBridget Lewis Christine Grafe Teresa Kirchoff Aaron Salazar Kiesha Shepard Chris May Amy Mason Sarah Ondrasek Piper Cameron Kelly Montgomery Jordan Killingsworth	Brazos Valley Orthodontics - Dr. Gary & Rachelle Gardner	As a campus collaboration with the community, we celebrate the many cultures represented within our campus community via a Culture Fest event and many mini lessons throughout the year. At our Culture Fest event food, games, country informational booths and performances representative of these cultures help make it special. Flags and games purchased will be part of this yearly event and the flags can also be displayed in our main hallways yearlong.
We're In a Pickle!	\$2,337	Stephanie Kubicek	Merrill Lynch - Tim Johnson	Pickleball is one of the fastest growing sports in the United States. We want to bring the excitement of a new sport to our students here in PE.
Construction Science Lab II	\$1,000	Matthew Herring	SpawGlass Construction Corp.	This is a continuation or "Phase II" of a grant from last school year. I will teach students the importance of tool identification and safety. Students will plan, design, and build independent projects throughout the school year.
Upping our 3D Game	\$599	Christine Grafe	Kent Moore Cabinets	This grant will enable us to purchase a new and updated 3D printer for the art room. As we continue to explore 3D printing technology we have a continued need for 3D printers. This new version will allow us to explore larger printed items as well as new filament materials!
Oakwood Intermediate - \$12,000 total				
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Robots R Us - An Exploration Into the Future	\$9,860	Kathy Martin Rick Velez Valery Villarreal	Stylecraft	Students will learn to build and program "Spike", the newest edition of Lego robots.
Logic Puzzles, Thinking Games and Brainteasers...Oh My!	\$2,140	Christi Findley Allison Dent Khrys Carter John Urrutia Sandy Ashcraft	Byron & Joanna Soules	Math teachers will utilize these STEM challenging materials to enhance and enrich their classrooms and provide students with opportunities to practice their logic and problem solving skills through puzzles, games and brainteasers.
Pecan Trail Intermediate - \$465 total				
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Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Carrie McNicol	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
College Hills Elementary - \$18,607 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
It's Your Birthday-- Read a Book!	\$10,000	Michelle Smart	The Rife Law Firm	We would like to purchase a book vending machine that will be used to recognize students on their birthday. When it is their special day, they can select a book that will become part of their home library.
Early Education Outdoor Classroom	\$7,387	Melissa Valladolid Raquel Pena Mirtha Martinez	First Financial Bank	We are planning to create an outdoor classroom including kitchen, easels, instrument wall, sand/dirt area, water table, writing station, blocks, library, garden, etc. Everything you would find in an indoor classroom. We are just bringing the inside learning area, to the outside. All of the early education students at College Hills will be able to utilize this area for many years. This is phase one of the grant.
Echoing Emotional Regulation through Exploration	\$756	Carrie Morgan Kaye Cannon Elimar Zamora Matthew Fleener Kalley Farris Rigoberto Rodriguez Ibarra	Brazos Spine	Equip students with emotional regulation through proactive practice using concrete items that scaffold techniques taught in CSISD's new curriculum, "Character Strong." Stock a new center for students that includes sensory and emotional regulation supports. Items will be initially introduced as follow-ups to related weekly lessons in "Character Strong." Later, items will be available in a center students choose like other centers (ie. STEM center.) Students will then be equipped for emotional moments in the future.

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Creek View Elementary - \$17,292 total				
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Book Vending Machine	\$9,400	Michelle Skow	Brazos Spine	A book vending machine will be filled with a variety of quality books. Each student will be given a token for his/her birthday and be able to "buy" a book of his/her choice. This book will become a treasured addition to his/her home library.
Engineering Future Minds	\$1,600	Amy Toland	Amarillo National Bank	The enrichment specialist will use Lego Spike to teach STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, and math) lessons. Lego Spike engages students in hands-on investigation of STEAM concepts while contributing to literacy, math, and social-emotional development.
Rigamajig	\$4,195	Amber Edwards	Dexter & Co. Insurance	Students will get to imagine, create, collaborate, and problem-solve in our STREAM Lab using rigamajigs! We are trying to develop creative thinkers and problem-solvers.
Banana Soup	\$960	Amy Toland Amber Edwards Tabatha Arevalo	C.C. Creations, Ltd.	So many students, parents, and staff often feel a bit overwhelmed by the unkindness, bullying, and daily challenges in our world that sometimes leave us feeling down. "Banana Soup" is packed with laughter, learning, and love. Students will be encouraged to practice their best character choices every day.
Energy Exertion	\$673	Cameron Hines	Conlee-Garrett Moving & Storage	Adaptive Behavior teachers and instructional assistances will teach students how to exert their energy in a healthy and safe manner when they are escalated. Students will learn to use this as a healthy coping strategy during times of stress. When taught properly, this will be used as a safe alternative when they are needing to exert their energy during a time of anger and frustration.
Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Johanna Alfeche	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
Forest Ridge Elementary - \$13,288 total				
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The Best Classrooms Are Roofed By the Sky	\$7,359	Britt Hoefs Riley Dickson Natasha Davis	Brazos Valley Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	Early Childhood teachers in Pre-K, Head Start, and ECSE (Early Childhood Special Education) will provide an age and ability-appropriate outdoor classroom space for students to enhance and extend learning and well-being through targeted exploration, inquiry, and play.
Connecting STEAMaginations	\$1,834	Andrea Prcin	Kristen & Duncan Maitland	Fourth-grade and second-grade students will collaborate with their STEAM Buddies weekly to explore STEAM topics and select a project to present their findings at our STEAM Fair.
Animating Innovation: the Fusion of Stop Motion and Rube Goldberg Artistry	\$2,275	Angie Sasse	Caldwell Country Chevrolet	The Enrichment Specialist will guide students in creating a stopmotion video incorporating Rube Goldberg machine techniques. The videos will be part of the Stopmotion Expo where all 4th Grade Gifted students will enter a Stopmotion video of their own creation.
Earth Science Enrichment For All Ages	\$1,055	Elizabeth Adams	St. Joseph Health	This grant will provide supplies for students in Head Start through Fourth Grade to explore earth science through engaging hands on learning STEAM opportunities.
Read, Discuss, Repeat	\$765	Heather Anz	Culpepper Realty	The 4th Grade ELA teachers would like to add new titles to our 4th grade historical fiction book club selections. This project would provide Texas themed novels, picture supported novels, and other new titles to help integrate Texas History, Social Studies, and ELA. These books would allow ALL students and reading levels to participate in book clubs.
Greens Prairie Elementary - \$21,456 total				
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Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Sarah Torbet	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.
Inspector Chem and the Lab Rats	\$7,115 (multi-campus grant)	Ashley Dockan	H-E-B	AP Chemistry teacher and students will develop and complete demonstrations for elementary students in order to grow their excitement for science.
Vibrant Ventures with Versatiles and Lego	\$9,379	Jana Wilson Stephanie Anderson Victoria Dean Jessica Faltysek Debbie Adams Brandy Lackey	Sago Capital	Teachers will empower students with opportunities for differentiated, independence-fostering stations for use during intervention and enrichment time in ELA and STEM.
Fabulous Fiber Fun For Everyone!	\$3,675	Lorie Suter	Whiskey Charlie's	Students will dive into the realm of fiber art through sewing, weaving, and crocheting to create works that will beautify our campus, both indoors and outdoors!
Totally Cubular: UPLEVELED!	\$2,496	Victoria Dean	Charles Schwab - College Station	Students will collaborate to create unique mosaics and analyze using mathematical conventions, then share their creations with our community by engineering unique structures and displays.

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Glow What You Know! Lighting Up Our Bright Ideas!	\$1,885	Danielle Galow Michel Piscacek Micki Lindner	David Gardner's Jewelers & Gemologists	Third grade ELAR/SS teachers will create a cross-curricular room transformation and hands-on experience for students. This experience will take place as students concurrently discover the purpose of non-fiction text features in reading, learn about inventors such as Benjamin Franklin in social studies, and learn to research in writing. They will HIGHLIGHT their BRIGHT ideas as they use their research and non-fiction text features to display their new learning to others.
Pebble Creek Elementary - \$11,230 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Converting Emotional Energy to Kinetic Energy	\$1,500	Melinda Wiggins	Dexter & Co. Insurance	Students can get out emotional frustration through physical energy.
Expanding our Minds	\$6,744	Shaska Crabtree Sarah Dixon Mandy Wheat	Jim & Linda Woods	Can you imagine students instantaneously discovering and experiencing their world and fully immersing themselves in learning, all while staying in their classrooms? We can! This grant would allow our first through third-grade students a chance to experience learning at a new level- where all students in our classrooms are able to experience highly engaging experiences as they discover the world around them virtually. The learning experiences would ignite their curiosity and promote questioning and inquiry.
Lighting Up the Future with Leadership and Responsibility!	\$2,986	Stacie Watson	Pebble Creek Country Club	School wide incentive for good behavior will be rewarded with games time and activities for students.
River Bend Elementary - \$12,602 total				
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Printelligence	\$6,859	Kate Cruickshanks Mariz Castro Karin Romero	Copy Corner	This grant will introduce 3D printing to students in kindergarten through fourth grade, promoting creativity and critical thinking. By connecting literature, design activities, and hands-on printing, we aim to enrich their learning experience while supporting various projects. The grant will provide the necessary resources for a holistic educational approach.
Brick the Code: Building Bright Minds with LEGO STEM	\$2,467	Karin Romero	Prosperity Bank	Students in grades 1-4 will utilize these kits to design and engineer solutions for real-world problems, construct models of their solution, and program the models to move.
Game On!	\$1,998	Liat Lavy	VLK Architects, Inc.	In a time we are all captivated by devices and touch screens most of the day (It is a little ironic how these touch screens can make us lose touch with others), children do not always know how to play "normal" games and miss a very significant stage in their development. Board games develop learning abilities and social skills, bring people closer and strengthens relationships, decrease stress, enhance creativity and self-confidence.
Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists	\$3,832 (multi-campus grant)	Jenni Houtchens	Britt Rice Electric / Britt & Kay Rice	We are excited to present a grant proposal titled "Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists" aimed at securing essential papermaking supplies for our elementary art classrooms. Our mission is to foster creativity while instilling a sense of environmental responsibility through an engaging recycling program.
Rock Prairie Elementary - \$6,979 total				
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Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists	\$3,832 (multi-campus grant)	Kelli Meza	Britt Rice Electric / Britt & Kay Rice	We are excited to present a grant proposal titled "Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists" aimed at securing essential papermaking supplies for our elementary art classrooms. Our mission is to foster creativity while instilling a sense of environmental responsibility through an engaging recycling program.
Brain Bins!	\$3,500	Lauri Nobles Allie Giffin Hannah Hahn-Puckett Kristin Williams Delana Henton Amanda McMillin Lisa Brister Leslie Johnston Hunter McCall	James & Tommie Haverland	Using STEAM and sensory bins, students across grade levels will be encouraged to hone their observation and critical thinking skills, become better problem solvers, enhance their creativity and curiosity, and transfer real world application of their knowledge and skills. These bins will also enable students to become more adaptable to a wide range of situations and challenges.
Regulation Station- A Sensory Approach to Social-Emotional Health	\$1,568	Terri Barnett Susan Surovik	Van Stavern Small Animal Hospital	This grant would allow for a sensory walk and sensory tools to help our students regulate emotions. This would also provide sensory games and resources that allow students time to control their emotions and return to a safe brain state.
The Sound of Silence	\$170	Mary Worley	Darin Paine	The noise cancelling headphones for student will provide them with piece of mind. Our students have sensory needs, difficulty with distraction, and over sensitive processing systems.
Locked IN and Locked OUT!	\$4,180 (multi-campus grant)	Amy Linde	Culpepper Realty	Speech-language pathologists, OTs, LIFE, and ECSE teachers will utilize new technology in the classroom to open the doors of curriculum for students with limited visual and physical abilities.

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South Knoll Elementary - \$8,113 total				
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Bringing the Kinder-Garden to Life!	\$4,033	Angela Guy	Mark & Teresa Benden	Kindergarten classrooms will conduct on-going experiments with indoor gardens, insect farms, and observing living organisms all year long.
		Ashley Jones		
		Joalla Shilling		
		Guadalupe Drumgoole		
		Ariana Suarez		
		Abby McCartney		
Illuminating Learning! Light Up Our Senses!	\$2,253	Christy Mouchyn	American Momentum Bank	"Illuminating Learning! Light up our Senses!" is dedicated to enriching early childhood education by providing Pre-K classrooms with essential resources. This grant is tailored to support Pre-K programs in acquiring light tables and a comprehensive collection of sensory educational materials. These tools empower educators to create immersive, hands-on learning experiences that foster cognitive, social-emotional, and physical development in young learners, ensuring they meet critical Pre-K educational standards.
		Arceña Duran		
Exploring Our Dynamic Earth	\$550	Mary Murphy	Fig-Mint Photography	Third grade science teachers will provide students the opportunity to learn about and explore the effects of rapid changes to our Earth's surface.
		Irene Vargas Contreras		
		Annette Wittneben		
Southwood Valley Elementary - \$11,512 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists	\$3,832 (multi-campus grant)	Charly Stagg	Britt Rice Electric / Britt & Kay Rice	We are excited to present a grant proposal titled "Transforming Classroom Waste into Artistic Treasures: Empowering Emerging Eco-Artists" aimed at securing essential papermaking supplies for our elementary art classrooms. Our mission is to foster creativity while instilling a sense of environmental responsibility through an engaging recycling program.
Readers Make Leaders	\$9,617	Ashby Rowan	Element Retirement & Investment Consultants - Eric & Joey Wylie	We will create and supply a literacy library that will give teachers the tools and resources to teach students to read using the newest Science of Reading and research based reading instruction.
		Lyli Cardenas		
Resetting the Reset Room	\$1,895	Jannet Huntley	Texas A&M University - Office of the President	Resetting the Reset Room will give us an opportunity to focus on student emotional regulation by providing tools and resources necessary to help students regulate their emotions first to have a better opportunity in the classroom.
		Haley Hanson		
Spring Creek Elementary - \$14,495 total				
Grant Title	Amount	Teacher Name(s)	Sponsor Name	Short Description
Cracking the Code	\$8,066	Melissa Crouch	ANCO Insurance	K-4th ELA teachers will use the provided resources to target individual student needs during small group instruction.
		Kelly Simpson		
Piecing Together Reading	\$5,444	Melissa Crouch	TAMU Office of the Chancellor	First through fourth-grade students will use the letter tile trays to build and manipulate words during whole group and small group reading instruction.
		Cassie Reynolds		
		Victoria McKey		
		Brook-Lyn Post		
Breaking Barriers with Book Clubs	\$984	Cassie Reynolds	Amarillo National Bank	Our 4th grade students will collaborate across the grade level in high-interest middle grade book clubs to build relationships, deepen their understanding, and expand their love of reading.
		Brook-Lyn Post		
		Victoria McKey		