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The Olympia Tumwater Foundation, in its efforts to increase and enhance educational programs in Thurston County, is dedicated to providing educators with funds to create and administer unique learning opportunities that go beyond the basic available funding of their programs. This is reflected in our mission statement: To invest in early learning opportunities that contribute to a solid foundation for lifelong success.

Grants are offered to school districts, early childhood education programs, and K-3 curriculums located in Thurston County. Acceptable programs will assist children anywhere from birth through third grade. Individual grants vary in size from \$300 to \$3,000. Funds must be used specifically for this grant request. Applications for teacher/staff training are excluded.

The Foundation goals for this grant program include:

- To foster innovative and sustainable projects.
- To stimulate student creativity and motivation to learn.
- To enhance the current learning environment.
- To leave a lasting impact on as many students as possible.

The Olympia Tumwater Foundation has funded over \$105,000 in early learning grants to deserving Thurston County educators since 2006.

More information and applications are available at [www.OlyTumFoundation.org](http://www.OlyTumFoundation.org) under the *SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS* tab.

Questions may be directed to John Freedman at the Foundation office at 360.943.2550.

## APPLICATION DEADLINE



**MAY 5, 2017**

Funds will be awarded in late May

*To offer educational opportunities, a historic home and a community park to honor our history and celebrate our future!*



## GRANT APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2017 - 2018 K-3 and Early Childhood Education Programs

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Email \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

School District \_\_\_\_\_

Class Level \_\_\_\_\_

School Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School/Organization Phone \_\_\_\_\_ School/Organization Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title \_\_\_\_\_

Total Requested \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Project Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ Project End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Would partial funding allow to proceed with this project? \_\_\_\_\_

Fund Administrator \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people participating in the project? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of our program? \_\_\_\_\_

Write a detailed description of your project (*may attached additional sheet*).

**Grant Application** (continued)

What goals do you expect to achieve?

Please include your itemized budget specific to the requested funds. *(Example: \$300 math manipulative.)*  
Attach additional sheet if necessary.

What indicators will be used to evaluate this project? E.g. pre & post testing

If you receive a monetary award from the Olympia Tumwater Foundation, you **MUST** complete a Grant Evaluation. The Grant Evaluation is **due by June 15, 2018** to the Olympia Tumwater Foundation and is a record keeping mandate by the Internal Revenue Service. The Grant Evaluation form is attached to this Grant Application form.

Any equipment purchased with grant funds will become the property of your school district or organization.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Grant Application must be received by May 5, 2017  
in the Olympia Tumwater Foundation office.  
Award letters will be mailed in late May.**



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**GRANT EVALUATION**  
**Year of project: 2017 - 2018**

**\*\*\*\* Grant Evaluation is due no later than June 15, 2018. \*\*\*\***

Grantee Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grantee Email \_\_\_\_\_ Grantee Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School District/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School/Organization Phone \_\_\_\_\_ School/Organization Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Project \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Grant \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Who administered the funds? \_\_\_\_\_

How many people participated in the grant project? \_\_\_\_\_

Estimate how many additional people may have been impacted by this project. \_\_\_\_\_

Describe how the grant was used to enhance the learning process AND what were the outcomes.

**Grant Evaluation** (continued)

What indicator(s) were used to measure success through the duration of the project?

We appreciate your input. Our goal is to make this application, award and evaluation system as simple and effective as possible. Do you have any suggestions or comments that might assist us in the future?

***Thank you for your participation in the Olympia Tumwater Foundation Grant Program.***