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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 implement and administer 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 around \$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 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 \$135,000 in early learning grants to deserving Thurston County educators since 2006.

More information and applications are available at www.OlyTumFoundation.org under the **SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS** tab. Click [here](#) to go directly to our Grants site.

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



APPLICATION DEADLINE
OCTOBER 25, 2019

Funds will be awarded in mid-November 2019

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



GRANT APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2019 - 2020 K-3 and Early Childhood Education Programs

Applicant Name _____

Applicant Email _____ Applicant Phone _____

School/Organization _____

School District _____

Class/Age 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 to be eligible for future funds. The evaluation is **due by April 30, 2020** to the Olympia Tumwater Foundation

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

Signature: _____ Date: _____

**Grant Application must be received by October 25, 2019 in the Olympia Tumwater Foundation office.
Award letters will be mailed in mid-November.**



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GRANT EVALUATION
Year of project: 2019 - 2020

****** Grant Evaluation is due no later than April 30, 2020 ******

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.