# **General Education Grants - 2020**

#### Arkansas State Teachers Association (ASTA)

Deadlines: October 31, 2020

#### http://www.astapro.org/index.php/classroom-grant-application

The number of classroom grants awarded will depend on the total number of applicants. Grants are available for up to \$500. Classroom grants can be used for a variety of projects and materials, including but not limited to software, calculators, math manipulatives, art supplies, audio-visual equipment, and lab materials. Classroom grants are available to all educators in Arkansas. Awards are competitive. ASTA members receive additional weight in the scoring rubric. ASTA requests that scholarship and grant winners wait three complete grant cycles before applying again for an ASTA or Teacher Scholarship Classroom Grant.

## **Target Field Trip Grants**

#### Deadline: TBA

#### https://corporate.target.com/corporate-responsibility/grants/field-trip-grants

Good news—registration's open for the Target Field Trip Grants program. We'll be awarding 5,000 grants of \$700 each to schools for the upcoming school year. Teachers can use a grant to fund a school field trip that connects their curriculum to out-of-school experiences. It's a great way to engage and inspire students.

#### Kids In Need Foundation Teacher Grants Program

# Deadline: ongoing http://www.kinf.org/programs/

The Kids In Need Foundation operates four key programs to help facilitate our efforts so that all students have access to quality school supplies to learn and succeed.

#### Second Responder

• The Second Responder<sup>®</sup> program is dedicated to providing school supplies to students affected by natural disasters. We work with local authorities, schools, and select sponsors to provide school supplies to help students return to normal routines.

#### School Ready Supplies

• Through community sponsorships, our School Ready Supplies program can provide preassembled backpacks filled with essential school supplies or deliver bulk supplies to host backpack building events.

# Teacher Supply Boxes

○ Studies show that teachers spend an average of \$500 per year of their own money to help kids whose families just can't afford the required materials. Our Teacher Supply Boxes will provide successful applicants with two boxes containing roughly \$500 in the most essential school supplies — from notebooks and markers to pens and glue.

## National Education Association Foundation

Deadline: currently not accepting application due to COVID-19 http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/grants-to-

# educators/

The NEA Foundation awards grants of up to \$5,000 exclusively to NEA members to enhance teaching and learning:

- Student Achievement Grants support initiatives that improve academic achievement.
- Learning & Leadership Grants support high-quality professional development.

Active NEA members who are practicing K-12 public school teachers, education support professionals, and higher education faculty and staff at public colleges and universities may apply online. Preference is currently being given to projects that incorporate STEM and/or global learning, as well as projects with leads/partners that are education support professionals.

# Scholarships for High Achievers

Deadline: February 10, 2021

## http://www.davidsongifted.org/fellows/

The Davidson Institute for Talent Development is offering high achieving young people (under age 18) the opportunity to be named as 2011 Davidson Fellows. Scholarships in the amount of \$50,000, \$25,000, or \$10,000 will be awarded to recognize a significant piece of work in the categories of Science, Technology, Mathematics, Music, Literature, Philosophy, or Outside the Box.

#### Voya Unsung Heroes Grant

Deadline: May 22, 2020

http://corporate.voya.com/corporate-responsibility/community-investment/childrens-education/voyaunsungheroes

The Voya Unsung Heroes program recognizes K-12 educators in the U.S. for their innovative teaching methods, creative educational projects, and ability to positively influence the children they teach. Applicants must be employed by an accredited K-12 public or private school located in the U.S. and be a full-time educator, teacher, principal, paraprofessional, or classified staff member working on a project with demonstrated effectiveness in improving student learning.