LEARNING ENHANCEMENT GRANT PROGRAM (LEG)



 The Panther Pride Foundation will continue to fund the Learning Enhancement Grant (LEG) program. LEG grants are intended to provide funds for the promotion and encouragement of unique or innovative practices developed by classroom teachers within the Central district. Proposals will be evaluated by a joint committee of students, teachers, administration, and PPF trustees.

**GUIDELINES**:

1. The project must be innovative in approach, strategy, or delivery system.
2. The project must be classroom-based with direct impact on and benefit to students. Proposals will not be funded to purchase materials for individual personal use.
3. $1,000 is the maximum amount of a one-staff member LEG project. $2,000 is the maximum amount of a joint staff member LEG project.
4. The funds can be used to provide materials, services, etc.; they cannot be used to provide payments for the proposing teacher(s) or for travel purposes.
5. Grants may be awarded in full or in part. Grants must be spent on **exactly** what is specified in the proposal.
6. Priority will be given to innovative projects impacting the most students.

**PROPOSALS:**

1. The proposal should be simple and straightforward in nature, limited to the Grant Application Form found on the PPF website ([www.pantherpride.org](http://www.pantherpride.org) under the “Teacher Grants” tab).
2. Applications must be submitted by email to PPF (pantherpride@cusd3.com) by **Friday, September 25, 2020.** Any supporting documents must be included.
3. Specific and detailed descriptions of requested products/programs must be included with the application form. Proposals with better descriptions will increase the possibility of funding.

**REQUIREMENTS UPON APPROVAL:**

1. If a proposal is awarded funding, the project products/materials must be ordered by November 30, 2020 and paid for by January 31, 2021. If not, the funds will be reallocated to other proposals.
2. To order products/programs, a purchase order must be submitted to your building’s office, specifying LEG Grant. Once the product has been received, a copy of the purchase order and the invoice must be submitted to the Board Office for payment.
3. If a proposal is awarded funding, the proposing teacher(s) must promote the LEG award by publication of an article in the local newspaper and sending a pdf of the same article to PPF.

**Learning Enhancement Grant Application**

**Panther Pride Foundation**

**2110 HWY 94 N**

**Camp Point, IL 62320**

**Teacher Name(s)**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Building**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Grade Level(s)**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Number of students impacting**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Project name** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Project Description**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Possible Implementation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**How will the project enhance student learning:**

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**Please attach detailed information (catalog/online) about the product(s).**

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**Total Amount of Funds Requested for including shipping/handling:**

**LEG Project**

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 **Teacher(s) DATE**