

The logo features a red outline of a shield with a hammer and pencil crossed inside. To the right of the shield, the text "BANGOR AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT" is stacked in a serif font. Below this, "EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION" is written in a larger, bold serif font.

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TEACHER GRANT PROGRAM

The Bangor Area School District Educational Foundation, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit educational organization. Founded in the Spring of 1997, the Foundation's mission is:

- To support learning for the children and adults of the Bangor Area School District by funding activities and culturally enriching programs, community events, student scholarships, teacher grant projects and academic awards.
- To encourage a life long thirst for knowledge, self-improvement, and wisdom.
- To make a positive difference in the quality of life for all people in the Bangor Area School district.
- To encourage participation in the Foundation for individuals, civic groups, industries, and businesses.

The goal of the Foundation is to enhance the educational quality of our students and improve the overall community. The Foundation oversees the financial aspect of the various scholarships that are presented to our students each year. The two largest awards are the Wolf and Trigiani scholarships. Through the Foundation's fund-raising efforts and investment success the Teacher Grant Program is now available. The goal of the Foundation is to enhance the educational quality of our students and improve the overall community.

The Teacher Grant program is intended to cover initiatives and programs that are outside of the typical school budget and will not cover such things as: **student transportation, food and/or drink, prizes and gifts, capital improvements, advisory fees or salaries**. Each year, The Bangor Area School District Educational Foundation, Inc. will allocate a limited sum of money for The Teacher Grant Program. Requests will be reviewed on a first come, first serve basis and prioritized with other funding requests that will be reviewed by the Foundation's Teacher Grant Committee and voted on by the entire board.

The individual amounts for each grant for the 2021 - 2022 academic year will not exceed \$1,000.00. The Foundation's Teacher Grant Committee reserves the right to allocate additional funds per grant at its sole discretion.

The Teacher Grant Program application can be obtained from your Principal or online at basdef.org. Return the completed application to the Foundation's Executive Director, Deanna Ruzanski in the Administration Building or at director@basdef.org. Application deadline is on going. The individual grants will be reviewed as received and awarded throughout the year.



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TEACHER GRANT APPLICATION

APPLICANT NAME:

CONTACT INFORMATION (phone and email) ***REQUIRED***

Professional Contact Information:

Phone: Email:

Personal Contact Information:

Phone: Email:

DEPARTMENT/BUILDING/GRADE LEVEL:

TITLE OF PROJECT:

PROJECT BEGINNING AND END DATE (Project must be completed during academic year)

AMOUNT REQUESTED/TOTAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT (NOT TO EXCEED \$1000):

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

Please attach a narrative answering the following questions about your proposed project

- I. GENERAL OVERVIEW - What are the goals and overall view of the project?
- II. IMPACT ON STUDENTS - What impact will the project have on students and how many will be impacted?
- III. IMPACT ON COMMUNITY - What impact will the project have on the community?
- IV. PROJECT BUDGET - Itemize your budget using the form provided
APPLICATIONS WILL NO BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT A SUFFICIENTLY ITEMIZED BUDGET
- V. ORGANIZATION/PLANNING/TIMELINE
 - a. What will your timeline be for your project?
 - b. Please provide resumes of any non-teacher project employees or volunteers.
 - c. All project employees and volunteers must have the appropriate Pennsylvania background checks.
- VI. CREATIVITY/INNOVATION - What creative and/or innovative ideas will be used in the project?

NAME OF APPLICANT:

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:

DATE:

BUILDING PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE:

TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT SIGNATURE (IF APPLICABLE):



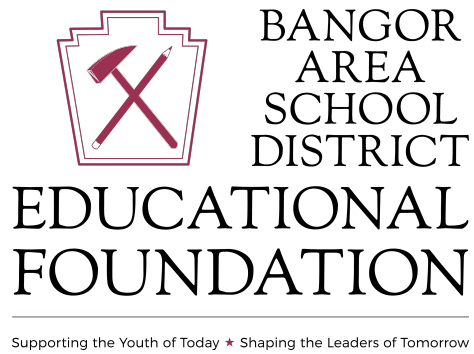
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EVALUATION PROCESS

The applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis and each application will go through the following process:

1. Each Grant Committee member will evaluate the application according to the rubric.
2. The Grant Committee will meet and discuss each application. The Grant Committee will select the applications to be awarded.
3. The selected applications will be presented to the Foundation Board for their approval.
4. Grant awards will be announced at the Foundation's September board meeting and grant recipients, building Principal and Superintendent will be notified.
5. The grant recipient will complete a Final Report by July 31 of the current school year and send it to the Executive Director of the Foundation for review.

PLEASE NOTE: Any type of equipment that is purchased as a result of an awarded grant, becomes property of the district, not the teacher. Should the teacher leave the district, the equipment must remain in the district.



FINAL REPORT

Explain how the following project objectives were met in narrative form.

1. Student Impact
2. Community Impact
3. Creativity and Innovation
4. Organization/Planning/Timeline

Please submit the final budget and receipts using the final budget report form. If applicable, please submit photos of the project. Any unused funds must be returned in the form of a check payable to: The Bangor Area School District Educational Foundation with the final report, no later than July 31 of current school year.

