



Mini Grants for Teachers Program

What is the MG4T Program?

Ruiz 4 Kids understands that limited school budgets often cannot support the creative and enriching material teachers want to bring to their classrooms to meet student needs. This program helps teachers purchase items that will help enhance the learning experience for students. The grants awarded enable the purchase of special materials and/or resources that teachers might be not be able to purchase without external resources.

Who can apply?

This program is available to educators teaching in a public K-12 school. In California, the school site must be within a 35-mile radius of Dinuba. In Texas, the school site must be within a 50-mile radius from Denison. In South Carolina, the school site must be within a 50-mile radius of Florence.

How much are the grants worth?

Grant awards range from \$300 - \$1,000.

Funding Priorities:

- Impact – potential to improve student achievement, potential for continuation/replication, potential to enhance instructional skills.
- Innovation – Creativity of the project, innovative approach, academic objective with curriculum context.
- Planning – Clear plan for project implementation, teacher capability, cost effectiveness and a realistic budge.

Exclusions:

Grants will not be considered for the renovation of facilities, religious activities or teachings, non-academic projects, field trips or tuition for special classes.

How to apply:

Applications are available online at www.ruiz4kids.org. Please make sure to submit applications to the corresponding location. **Deadline is July 13, 2018.**

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