



Grant Opportunities

Compiled by the Gila County School Superintendent's Office

Dr. Linda O'Dell, Gila County School Superintendent

www.gilacountyesa.org

May 5, 2015

Contact

Dr. Richard Vierling
(928) 402-8781
rvierling@gilacountyaz.gov

Information for hyperlinks

All grant titles are hyperlinked to the websites for more information.

This newsletter is also available in PDF format on the Gila County Schools website.

Contact Us

Gila County School Superintendent's Office
Linda L. O'Dell, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools
1400 E. Ash St.
Globe, AZ 85501
Tel.: (928) 402-8784
Fax: (928) 402-0038
www.gilacountyesa.org

PD Opportunity from Tonto National Monument Teacher-Ranger-Teacher Program

Ending Soon!

Deadline: May 16, 2015

Apply: Tonto National Monument Teacher-Ranger-Teacher Program

Description: The Tonto National Monument Park is currently recruiting teachers from multiple schools in Gila County for its Teacher-Ranger-Teacher program. The emphasis is on elementary grades, but is not exclusive to those grades. This program offers teachers three graduate continuing education credits through the University of Colorado, Denver. A \$3,000 stipend will be paid at the conclusion of the program (once project has been submitted). For more information or to download the application, please visit www.gilacountyesa.org under "Resources for Teachers/Administrators" or click on the title of this announcement.

Lois Lenski Covey Foundation Library Grants

Ending soon!

Deadline: May 29, 2015

Apply: Lois Lenski Covey Foundation

Description: The Lois Lenski Covey Foundation annually awards grants to libraries and other institutions that operate a library for purchasing books published for young people preschool through grade 8. School libraries, non-traditional libraries operated by non-profits, and bookmobile programs are eligible. The Foundation provides grants to libraries or organizations that serve economically or socially at-risk children, have limited book budgets, and demonstrate real need. Grants range from \$500 to \$3,000 and are specifically for book purchases.

Free Books and Supplies for K-2 Students

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: Wilbooks

Description: Every week, Wilbooks will donate at least 20,000 books to K-2 children all across the country. The books are free, and there is no charge for shipping and handling.

All applications are considered on a first come, first serve basis.

Free 1-Year Subscription to YES!

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: YES! Magazine

Description: *YES! Magazine* is currently offering a free, one-year introductory subscription to qualified middle school, high school, college, and university teachers and school librarians.

PBS Education Online

Deadline: Rolling

Apply: PBS Learning Media

Description: PBS Learning Media offers thousands of powerful learning activities to promote design thinking, collaboration, and experimentation. PBS Learning Media offers online activity packs for K-12 teachers. Each pack includes links to PBS websites and a set of activities by grade level. The PBS Learning Media library is updated each day with new content that delves into all aspects of the arts, history, science, math, technology, and even current events.

Free Pocket Size Constitution Book

Deadline: Rolling

Apply: ConstitutionFacts.com

Description: ConstitutionFacts.com is offering free (pay shipping) copies of “The U.S. Constitution & Fascinating Facts About It” to help educators develop student programming that celebrates U.S. Constitution Day on September 17 of each year. The book offers the entire text of the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and the Declaration of Independence. Readers will find insights into the men who wrote the Constitution, how it was created and how the Supreme Court has interpreted the Constitution in the two centuries since its creation.

Human Rights Education Package

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: Youth for Human Rights (YHRI)

Description: YHRI’s Education Package is provided to educators free of charge. (Offer limited to one free package per teacher.) The package is designed for upper elementary, middle school, and early high school instruction and includes the YHRI Educator’s Guide, “The Story of Human Rights” video, public service announcement videos, UNITED music video, “What Are Human Rights?” booklet, and 30 posters.

Everything ESL Resources

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: EverythingESL.net

Description: Everything ESL is a free site that offers a range of lesson plans, teaching tips, and resources for English as a Second Language (ESL) teachers.

ABC for Fitness (Activity Bursts in the Classroom)

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: David L. Katz, M.D.

Description: David L. Katz's ABC for Fitness program shows schools how to integrate physical activity into brief episodes in classrooms without taking away time for classroom instruction. The 79-page downloadable manual provides instruction for teachers interested in incorporating physical activity at the beginning of each class. ABC for Fitness aims to ensure that children obtain the level of physical activity essential for good health and well-being.

MediaCore for Teachers

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: MediaCore

Description: Educators can create a free video site with MediaCore, a flipped classroom-friendly site that allows teachers to record and upload video content. The site enables teachers to capture and share moments from the classroom in HD, allowing students to revisit the learning on demand.

GeoGebra

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: GeoGebra

Description: GeoGebra offers free open-source mathematics software for K-12 education. The software provides a platform for educators to teach geometry, algebra, statistics, and calculus through the use of graphics, tables, and easy-to-use interface, and an authoring tool.

Free Animoto Plus Account

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: Animoto

Description: Educators can apply for a free Animoto Plus account to use in the classroom. Teachers may use Animoto to create digital presentations that incorporate images, video clips, music and text.

Free and Simple Blogs for Students

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: Kidblog

Description: Kidblog is designed for K-12 teachers who want to provide each student with an individual blog. Students publish posts and participate in academic discussions within a secure classroom blogging community. Teachers maintain complete control over student blogs and user accounts. Kidblog is a free service where educators can create classroom discussions, learn digital citizenship, practice writing skills, create an e-portfolio, reflect on learning, and assess writing.

NASA eClips for Innovative Real World Learning

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Description: NASA eClips are short, relevant educational video segments. These videos inspire and engage students, helping them see real world connections. New video segments are produced weekly, exploring current applications of science, technology, engineering and mathematics, or STEM, topics. The programs are produced for targeted audiences: K-5, 6-8, 9-12 and the general public. NASA eClips Educator Guides provide examples of how teachers may effectively use the video segments as an instructional tool. The downloadable PDFs include instructional objectives, background information, links to video clips, instructions for delivering inquiry-based lessons, additional resources related to the topic, and suggestions for extending or modifying lessons. All lessons are presented in the 5-E delivery model and are aligned to national standards for science, math, and technology.

Webtools for Digital Storytelling

Deadline: Rolling

Apply: Simple K12

Description: Discover seven incredible webtools for digital storytelling that make students and teachers say WOW! Make stories come alive with this FREE eBook full of incredible tools you can use in your classroom of any grade level.

Free GoGirlGo! Curriculum

Deadline: Ongoing

Apply: Women's Sports Foundation

Description: Free award-winning curriculum that educates girls in grades 3-8 about health-risk behaviors and other issues such as body image, bullying, drugs, and stress.