RICHARD SHAW - IMPACT Grant Application

Purpose of IMPACT Grant:
To provide seed money for educators to create and implement a "creative and inspiring" educational idea that impacts Beaver County youth. Educators can create a project, requesting a budget of up to $5,000, to implement.

Special considerations of IMPACT grants will be given to those that include:
- Replicable or sustainable project ideas for possible future implementation
- Students beyond one's own district
- Partnerships with outside businesses, community resources, or organizations
- Focus on equitable practices and accessibility

You will be contacted following the submission of your application with one of the following communications:
- Your project has merit and will be shared with potential funders. If funding is secured, you will be contacted about moving your idea forward.
- Your project has merit but doesn't meet expectations. You will be given an opportunity to revise and resubmit for consideration.
- Your project will not be considered for funding.

Funding:
There is no guarantee of funding, however, BCET will work to match an innovative project with a funder.
- Maximum amount of funding is $5,000
- Stipend for all personnel may not exceed $1500
- Personnel will not be paid until all BCET requirements and documentation are submitted
- An educator may submit more than one application

Requirements:
- The attached application must be completed in full. (see rubric for expectations)
- Rolling application process therefore there is no established deadline for submittal
- Approval by school superintendent to implement project.
    - Must have documented conversation with Superintendent or designee prior to project submittal
    - Must adhere to any school district requirements or procedures for implementation
- All monies (purchase, supplies, reimbursements) will go through educator's school district business office and follow District procedures for purchasing, reimbursement, etc...
- A project reflection from educator and project evaluation from participants must be completed.
- Stipends will be distributed through BCET following receipt project reflection and student evaluation summary.

Possible categories that businesses and/or organizations have expressed interest in funding:
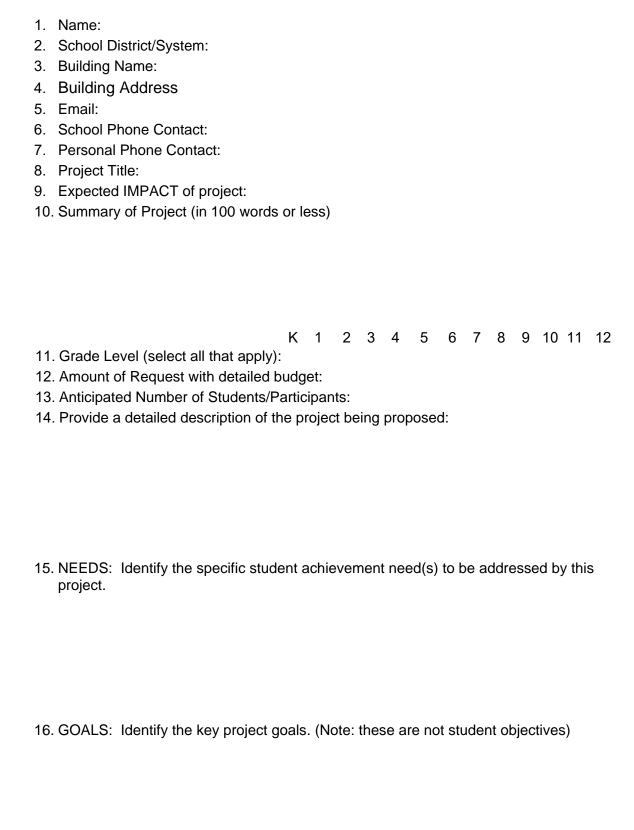
- Entrepreneurship
- STEM/STEAM
- Marketing
- Public Speaking/Public Product
- Leadership
- Social Emotional Learning/Service Learning
- Project Based Learning/Sustained Inquiry
- Other (Don't see your idea here, submit it anyway)

SUBMISSION PROCESS:

Complete form using Adobe Reader and save a copy.

Email copy of completed form to Impact_Grant@beavercountyeducationaltrust.org

IMPACT Grant Application:

1. Name:
2. School District/System:
3. Building Name:
4. Building Address
5. Email:
6. School Phone Contact:
7. Personal Phone Contact:
8. Project Title:
9. Expected IMPACT of project:
10. Summary of Project (in 100 words or less)

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11. Grade Level (select all that apply):
12. Amount of Request with detailed budget:
13. Anticipated Number of Students/Participants:
14. Provide a detailed description of the project being proposed:

15. NEEDS: Identify the specific student achievement need(s) to be addressed by this project.

16. GOALS: Identify the key project goals. (Note: these are not student objectives)

17. EVALUATION: Indicate what evidence will determine if your project IMPACT goals have been met; what's your plan?

18. TIME SCHEDULE: Indicate the Start Date and End Date of the project.
   Start Date: End Date:
19. Describe how, as a grantee, you will recognize BCET and the funder in increasing its visibility and support through your project:

20. Date and time of meeting with Superintendent or his/her designee to discuss project and include any district requirements. Identify who you spoke with and include brief summary of the discussion. As part of your application approval, your Superintendent will be contacted by BCET to ensure full district support.

21. Any organization or business in the Beaver County region who may want to support this project in whole, or in part? If so, please list the business and any contact you may know at this business/organization. (this is not a requirement of the grant process)