

2009-10 Classroom Enrichment Grants Awarded by Lake Washington Schools Foundation

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Title of Project	Grant Number	Description of Project	School	Grade Level	Subject Area	Amount Funded
Culture Club	E03	The culture club, offered during lunch recess, engages students in project-based learning with real-world connections to global citizenship.	Redmond Elementary	6-Jan	World cultures through lit, music, art, dance and social studies	\$1,361
5th Grade Trip to State Capitol	E04	A real-world culminating project to Government Study: visit our state capitol where we create laws and foster a responsibility to become active, informed, democratic citizens.	Redmond Elementary	5	Social Studies, Writing	\$1,000
Super Science Forensics Club	E05	Application of scientific principles such as finger print analysis and chromatography to solve a mystery in an after-school program.	Redmond Elementary	6-Mar	Science	\$1,210
The Highs and Lows of Reading	E06	Update the school library's popular series with books that appeal to the high end students, books for struggling readers, and books to supplement the new social studies curriculum.	Redmond Elementary	K-6	Reading	\$500
Building a Positive Math Culture	E07	Enhance a school math club through the purchase of additional curriculum materials.	Redmond Elementary	K-6	Math	\$1,000
Introduction to Water Safety and Swimming	E08	Provide students with water safety and swimming skills, introduce students to a new physical activity and reinforce skills.	Redmond Elementary	3	Physical Education	\$1,200
Summer Literacy Camp	E09	Expand an intensive 4-week summer reading program for struggling students to include 3rd graders.	Bell Elementary	K-6	Reading	\$1,500
Intermediate Literature Circle Library	E10	Establish a leveled library of high interest books across the continuum of instructional levels so that teachers may effectively implement literature circles and guided reading groups.	Bell Elementary	4-6	Reading	\$1,407
Web-based Accelerated Reading Program	E11	Enhance the current Accelerated Reader program offered by moving to a web-based program.	Smith Elementary	K-6	Reading	\$655

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Subscription to vMath Live	E20	Supplement the current math curriculum with an on-line program that allows students to progress at their own pace and provides conceptual and practical math skills exercises.	Discovery Elementary	3-6	Math	\$1,500
Square Dancing Movement Dance Week	E21	A week-long square dancing course for students to develop and enhance their creativity, social skills, team work, dance and musical talents in a fun upbeat atmosphere.	Sandburg Elementary	K-6	Music and PE	\$1,500
Blazing Books for Boys	E24	Provide boys with appropriate reading materials that target their interests, thereby creating stronger readers.	Bell Elementary	1-6	Reading	\$1,500
Explorations in Math (Secondary)	E25	Continue to build a strong math community through family math nights and math clubs; create opportunities outside the classroom, engage school families and involve intermediate students.	Bell Elementary	3-4	Math	\$1,350
Explorations in Math (Primary)	E26	Continue to build a strong math community through family math nights and math clubs; create opportunities outside the classroom, engage school families and involve intermediate students.	Bell Elementary	1-2	Math	\$1,350
Motivating Reluctant Readers to Achieve	E27	Expand the current selection of Accelerated Reader books to include high-interest/low-vocabulary options to encourage struggling readers.	Muir Elementary	3-6	Reading	\$1,500
Elementary Robotics Program	E28	Develop an after-school elementary robotics program that will introduce students to computer programming through the use of scribbler robots.	Rush Elementary	4-6	Science, Math, Engineering	\$1,200
Promoting Early Chapter Books	E29	Expand library and AR collection to include a wider selection of early chapter books to create the bridge for struggling readers.	Frost Elementary	5-6	Reading	\$1,000

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Elementary Microscopes	E30	Provide students with the opportunity to explore the microscopic world and to learn directly through the examination and understanding of this important scientific tool.	Keller Elementary	5-6	Science	\$1,500
Art Excursions	E31	A field trip to the Seattle Art Museum or the Olympic Sculpture Park for a guided tour and hands-on workshop to enhance the art curriculum.	Lakeview Elementary	2-4	Art, Math, Science	\$1,360
Units of Study Supplemental Curriculum Manuals	E35	Implement the Lucy Calkin's Units of Study writing program to enhance students abilities to write from personal experience.	Mann Elementary	K-5	Writing	\$1,464
Story Telling through the World of Shadows	E36	Allow second graders to explore and learn the attributes of folk and fairy tales from around the world through an ongoing simulation, study shadow puppetry and then bring to life their original fairytale	Rosa Parks Elementary	2	Language Arts	\$1,500
Junior High Robotics Program	J03	Improve an junior high electives course to include more complicated robotic programming and challenges to further challenge students in a new and exciting field.	Rose Hill Junior High	7-9	Science, Math, Engineering	\$3,000
Vernier ProbeWare in the Junior High Classroom	J05	Engage students in science through the provision of probeware that can collect and present data in real-time.	Rose Hill Junior High	7-9	Science	\$3,000
Improving Junior High Students' Understanding of Mass through Mass Investigations	J06	Provide sufficient mass measuring devices for all students to be engaged, furthering their time spent on analysis and enhancing the current curriculum.	Kirkland Junior High	7-9	Science	\$2,933
LabQuest Expansion	J07	Increase access to lab data collection devices to further enhance students' ability to work in real time.	Kirkland Junior High	7-9	Science	\$2,904

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Electrophoresis Lab	J08	Further develop a student's understanding of DNA by allowing them to utilize gel electrophoresis to apply DNA fingerprinting to identify the "suspect".	Kirkland Junior High	9	Science	\$1,000
Not Just Reading and Writing	J09	Junior High students write, illustrate and publish a children's book of their own design, as well as, create an audio book that is presented to local Kindergarten classes.	Evergreen Junior High	7	Language Arts, Technology	\$2,200
Heard a Good Book Lately? Part 3	J10	Continue to expand a successful program with additional copies of audio books that are integrated with classroom activities.	Evergreen Junior High	7-9	Social Studies, Reading and Language Arts	\$1,875
Science Habitat and Lifecycle Investigation	J13	In a special education class, implement a student-driven science project that involves the creation, observation and analysis of various habitats to understand the role of adaptation.	Evergreen Junior High	7-9	Science in Special Education	\$832
Engaging Readers through Historical Novels	J14	Incorporate into Language Arts the themes studied in social studies by utilizing appropriate reading level literature, novels the class relates to, and providing opportunity to make cross-subject connections.	Evergreen Junior High	8	Safety Net Language Arts	\$1,248
Seventh Grade Ecosystems Field Trip	J15	Hands-on opportunity for students to study a local ecosystem within walking distance and apply classroom knowledge to their local community.	Evergreen Junior High	7	Science	\$2,050
LWSD Academic Games	J16	In partnership with LWSD, strengthen an after-school academic competition program with necessary scoring equipment and resource materials.	District	7-9	All	\$2,160

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Romeo and Juliet Play Production and Video	J17	In partnership with the Seattle Shakespeare Theater, provide 9th grade students the opportunity to bring to life Shakespeare's play through combat, dance, discussion and final film production.	Finn Hill Junior High	9	Language Arts	\$3,000
Reading Workshop for English Language Learners	H01	Expansion of the Reading Workshop Program Model implemented in 2007 to increase the range of reading materials in regard to reading levels, and reflect our student population's cultures, experiences and topics of interest.	Redmond High	10-12	ELL/Reading	\$1,500
Robotics Club	H03	A year-long robotics club that develop skills in the Fall to be ready for an intensive 6-week robot challenge to compete in the FIRST competition.	Eastlake High	10-12	Science, Math, Engineering	\$1,500
High School Robotics Club	H04	A robotics club with the vision to inspire students to consider education and careers in science and technology through designing, building, programming, testing and competing with robots.	Redmond High	9-12	Science, Math, Engineering	\$3,000
Cascadian Stewardship, Indigenous, Canadian and American Relationships with our Marine Ecosystems.	H05	A hands-on field trip to help students to appreciate various public and private influences and cooperation in the use and protection of shared natural resources, in this case the waters off the coast of Vancouver Island	International Community School	12	Comparative Government, Environmental Science, Civics	\$2,774
Puget Sound Energy Wild Horse Wind Farm Field Trip	H07	Environmental science is brought to life for Career and Technical Education students through a visit to a working wind farm in Ellensburg, WA.	Resource Center	10-12	Science	\$2,100
Total Awarded for 2009-10						\$ 64,919