



Hermiston Education Foundation

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Spring 2006 - Grant Recipients

Congratulations to the Spring 2006 Hermiston Education Foundation Grant Recipients!

TOTAL AMOUNT FUNDED: \$8,758.00

Bob Smith/ Stacie Johnson – Sandstone Middle School

"Field Study Admission"

Purpose: Funding will provide admission for sixty-one 6th grade students to the Evergreen Aviation Museum and the Hatfield Science Center. *Amount Funded: \$ 913.00*

Darci Wellsandt – Armand Larive Middle School

"Presenting Projects via Data Projector for Diverse Learning Communities"

Purpose: Funding will purchase a data projector to create and present curriculum-oriented PowerPoint presentations, along with other multimedia presentations using Window Moviemaker and I Movie. *Amount Funded: \$900.00*

Dawna Brown –Hermiston High School

"Virtual Business- Retailing"

Purpose: Funding will purchase a lab license for virtual business retailing software for use in all Marketing classes and by DECA. . The Software allows students to operate a virtual convenience store and to make all decisions regarding the business. *Amount Funded: \$809.00*

Kristen Smalley – Rocky Heights

"Using Data Projection to Enhance Instruction"

Purpose: Funding will purchase a Data Projection Device that projects the image on the computer screen up to a larger wall screen visible to all students. *Amount Funded: \$850.00*

“Serving the needs of all children with rigorous program choices, high expectations, mutual respect, and excellence in all endeavors.”

Rebecca Lafolette and Linda Knutson – Highland Hills

"Enhancing Kindergarten Math Curriculum Instruction Using An Assortment of Manipulatives"

Purpose: Funding will provide students greater opportunities to learn using interactive, hands – on manipulatives, to help them find concrete meaning in abstract math concepts. *Amount Funded: \$903.38*

Tony Yzaguirre – West Park

"Oral Language Development – Carousel of Ideas"

Purpose: Funding will purchase this program that will encompass all stages of the student's oral language proficiency. It addresses the integration of listening, speaking, reading and writing. *Amount Funded: \$923.00*

Jonathan Bruce – Rocky Heights

"Projection Device"

Purpose: Funding will purchase a projection device to allow quick access to items like streaming videos, online charts and graphs, maps, research tools and allows students to show case their work. *Amount Funded: \$900.00*

Sue Thurman and Kimberly Terry – Highland Hills

"Fourth Grades Visit Their Heritage"

Purpose: Funding will provide admission for 344 fourth grade students in Hermiston to visit the Umatilla County Heritage Station Museum in Pendleton. *Amount funded: \$1,000.00*

Joseph Thornton and Marilyn Evans – Hermiston High School

"Career and Coastal Explorations"

Purpose: Funding will cover admission prices for the 5-day, 4 night trip to Portland and the Oregon coast. *Amount Funded: \$600.00*

Dana Hill – Desert View

"Creating Successful Writers"

Purpose: Funding will purchase The Writer's Companion program that utilizes the entire writing process in an easy and motivating way. This program incorporates brainstorming, organizing sequencing, editing and publishing. It can be used by 2nd graders to adults. *Amount Funded: \$912.00*