



Earth Day Festival 2015 - 2016

Teacher Environmental Project Grants

Join us in educating our youth in environmental stewardship. Apply for one of the Teacher Environmental Project Grants of up to \$250 that will be awarded to fund environmental projects.

General Requirements:

1. The teacher seeking the grant must work for a school, public or private, within San Joaquin County to be considered for the grant.
2. The proposed project must focus on environmental issues.
3. Projects should highlight learning opportunities for students. .
4. **Grant recipients must attend and display their finished project at the Earth Day Festival on Sunday, April 24, 2015,** with a trifold showing photos of the activity or with actual products made by the class.

Proposal Evaluations:

1. Relevancy to environmental issues and impacts
2. Increased learning opportunities for students
3. Long term environmental impacts
4. Creativity

Funded Expenses:

1. Service learning curriculums related to environmental topics
2. Educational items that promote environmental stewardship
3. Printing costs associated with environmental awareness
4. Field trips that focus on environmental awareness and student learning

Expenses **NOT** Funded:

1. Personnel expenses (i.e., salary, overtime, etc.)
2. Fuel or travel costs related to purchasing items for the project
3. Money for prizes, receptions, assemblies, socials, parties
4. Expenses incurred prior to grant starting date

Submit completed application to: **Earth Day Grants attn: Conni Bock**
Office of Science STEM
P.O. Box 213030
Stockton, CA 95213

Or electronically to cbock@sjcoe.net



Earth Day Festival Teacher Environmental Project Grant Application

Grant applications for 2015 - 16 Teacher Environmental Project Grants will be accepted through **Monday, November 9 2015**. Recipients will be announced on Monday, November 16, 2015.

Name _____ School _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Primary Phone _____ Sec. Phone _____

Email _____

Project Title _____

Please answer the following questions in 2 paragraphs or less per question. (use additional pages as necessary)

Describe your proposed project.

How many students will participate in the project?

How does the project foster environmental learning experiences?

How does the project relate to environmental issues?

Itemize how you plan to spend the money.