



THE MISSION OF THE FOREST HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION IS TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR ALL AREAS OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE IN FOREST HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS. WE ARE PLEASED TO REPORT THAT THE FOREST HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION APPROVED OVER \$103,000 FOR THE 2021 SPRING GRANT CYCLE. A DETAILED LIST FOLLOWS.

### Approved Grants - Spring 2021

Applicant Name   Bldg.   Project Description	Approved Amount
<b>Lana Tran, Rachel Sandborn, Sarah Bruha</b>   KF   Physical books for virtual students for 3 virtual classes (K, 1st and 3rd).	\$2,300
<b>Cortney Kittridge-Cook</b>   KF   Historical fiction graphic novels for book clubs. Students will practice the three target skills of the unit with a special focus on understanding the historical time period and how it influences the characters in the story.	\$1,100
<b>Rachel Sanborn</b>   KF   Read Aloud unit that goes hand in with Lucy Calkins TCRWP, that also focuses on socio-economic literacy.	\$386
<b>Carie Kuhn</b>   NHMS   Initiative to add more diverse literature which would include LGBTQ issues, gender diversity, people of color, people with disabilities, and ethnic, cultural, and religious minorities, to the classroom libraries.	\$6,400
<b>Kathryn Zaskowski, Kali Ley, Cindy O'Dell, Rachel Sanborn</b>   KF   Books for Kindergarten classrooms.	\$2,607
<b>Christopher Patrick</b>   CW   New reading and writing unit for 5th grade language arts. Graphic novels and materials to write graphic novels.	\$2,111
<b>Jennifer McCuaig</b>   TC   Job skills and new life skills taught through gardening and maintaining exterior look of building and grounds with materials to fund this project.	\$2,500
<b>Michele Wallace</b>   CMS   Books for the dystopian book unit of study.	\$2,000
<b>Colin Gallagher</b>   NHS   Planer machine and the associated parts for installation, setup, and recurring maintenance that is incurred with woodworking equipment.	\$3,602
<b>Erin Narducci</b>   PR   Physical books for virtual learners.	\$500
<b>Kristy Butler</b>   CHS   Models of several different types of proteins. Students can hold them in their hands and gain a better understanding of how the protein's structure is directly related to the function of the protein.	\$3,395
<b>Bill Godin</b>   MB   Creating a safe and accessible environment that is prime for outdoor learning and stewardship of the school grounds.	\$7,000
<b>Ian Hearn</b>   EHS   Weight equipment for Strength and Conditioning Class for outdoor fun learning environment.	\$24,830
<b>Lisa Zuniga</b>   AV   Educational games and kits that families can check out from school to bring home.	\$1,775
<b>Leslie Edison and Lisa Zuniga</b>   AV   Two GoProMax 360 degrees/traditional cameras and two Brightlink Interactive projectors for students to connect to the world through geographical tours, class trips, curriculum explorations and integrated activities.	\$8,138
<b>Gabrielle Kokenakes</b>   KF   Books to enhance 6 units of study that are included in third grade language arts and science curriculum.	\$2,754

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<b>Jason Colegrove</b>   CHS   Electronic timing system that allows for testing dash, fly and agility drills for a physics course. Students will be able to collect more meaningful data and have a richer hands-on lab experience.	\$2,217
<b>Jacque Brown</b>   EHS   Portable multi-use nets for badminton, pickleball and modified volleyball.	\$720
<b>Jill McCullough</b>   EMS   Projection teaching microscope will allow the teacher to project the images on the screen that students are supposed to be looking at.	\$375
<b>Madison Zinn</b>   EMS   Program to teach 400 functional sight words to students who have a wide variety of learning differences, including autism spectrum disorder, hearing impairments and intellectual disabilities.	\$840
<b>Patricia Tolly</b>   CW   Two classroom sets of snowshoes to expand students' learning outside during winter season.	\$11,520
<b>Ebony Delapaz</b>   EMS   Gym equipment for PE classes to accommodate the 125+ 6th grade students attending EMS for the first time this year.	\$1,790
<b>Emily Raap</b>   OV   Supplemental resources to support current 4th grade nonfiction history reading and writing units of study.	\$152
<b>Austin Krieg</b>   NHS   Funding will allow Project NEXT students to develop and run a business model that will result in funds returning to the program to be utilized for future projects. Students will produce and manufacture products that have economic viability.	\$5,079
<b>Laura Stiles</b>   CHS   40' inflatable screen for use at assemblies and outdoor events.	\$2,500
<b>Dave Howard</b>   NHS   Updated technology that will allow technical classes/students the ability to move to the next level in performance management. This is for the auditoriums at each high school - Central, Eastern and Northern.	\$4,221
<b>Jeremy Cox</b>   FAC   New equipment to supplement the new computer to keep the FAC close to cutting edge technology for events held at the FAC.	\$2,873
<b>Total Approved</b>	<b>\$103,685</b>