

STEM-CAN

Teacher Assistance **PROPOSAL**
STEM-CAN Supporters, Inc.

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To enhance your educational effectiveness STEM-CAN Supporters (SCS) is offering grants in regular or traditional neighborhood public schools in Southern Arizona. If you are (not charter nor magnet), you may apply for up to \$600. Your Principal's expressed approval of the project is necessary. (If you are returning a paper copy of your application, mail to the above address, keeping copies for your Principal and for your own records.)

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PROPOSAL details:

1. What is something that you would like very much to do for or with your students but you cannot currently afford to do it?

I would love to provide a hands on learning experience of life cycles (plants, flowers,) for my 21 first grade students.

2. In 200 words or less, describe this project, listing the estimated costs of the items of the planned project totaling up to \$600.

With this grant I will purchase flower beds for my classroom. This would allow for students to get a hands on experience with studying flower/ plant life cycles. This will help show different stages and steps in the process of the flower/plant life. We will set the flower beds up as a class. We will research what kind of plants we can grow (depending on the season), the type of soil we should use (will it matter). We will also research how to take care of the flowers, what do to, and how to do it. We will go through each stage (seed, stem, and flower) together as a class.

1. Garden raised bed, 2 beds (Home depot \$195)
2. Gardening soil, 8 bags (Home depot \$85)
3. Seeds and Flowers (Home Depot \$65)
4. Shake and feed flower food/ fertilizer (\$50)
5. Decorations/gloves/watering can (\$48)
6. Garden gate (\$115)
7. Flower trellis (\$36)

3. TOTAL cost of proposal :\$594.00

4. My Principal reviewed and approved this project on or about (date Principal approved): February 6, 2018

5. Teacher/Applicant:Meghan Blayda Room/grade:Room 5, 1st grade email:mblayda@amphi.com

6. Principal: Carol Tracy email: ctracy@amphi.com Phone:520-696-6090

7. Public School name: Mesa Verde Elementary School District: Amphitheater Schools

8. School mailing address: 1661 W. Sage Street, Tucson, AZ 85704

9. **Email** this completed form, or **Snail mail** a paper copy to SCS at the address above.

STEM-Community Action Network Supporters (SCS) --- basic principles:

SCS is deeply convinced 'it takes a community' to educate its own youngsters maturely.
All SCS funds and efforts are motivated "For 100% graduation of caring students."
All SCS efforts are approved by the clear authority of the local Public School Principal.
No one knows a school community's needs and joys better than that community itself.
No one, no one, really cares as much about a community's success as that community does.
All SCS funds are directed to enhancing cooperation within the Public School Community

Pruitt, Michelle

From: Blayda Meghan
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 2:53 PM
To: Pruitt, Michelle
Subject: FW: Teacher Project approved--see your principal's USPS mailbox

From: Stephen Uhl [mailto:stem-can@msn.com]
Sent: Saturday, February 10, 2018 7:55 AM
To: Cordell, Mandi <mcordell@amphi.com>; McConnell, Michael <mmcconne@amphi.com>; Blayda Meghan <mblayda@amphi.com>; Tracy, Carol <ctracy@amphi.com>; Morabito, Rachel <rmorabito@amphi.com>; Robinson, Debbie <drobinso@amphi.com>; Delozier Sandy <sdelozier@amphi.com>; Berdine, Patricia <pberdine@amphi.com>
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Important Notice:

Congratulations; your recent proposal[s] for SCS funds are approved and **funded**.

Please **be alert** to find in your school **Principal's snail mail** a plain window envelope with enclosures sent from Oro Valley (85755) on **current date**.

SCS **never** replaces a lost or misdirected check.

Thanks for your dedication to the youngsters,

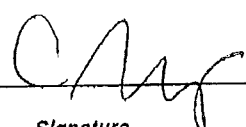
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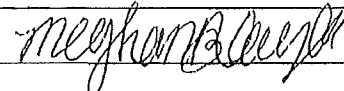
GRANTS PROJECT COORDINATION

PROJECT PROFILE



*Forms should be submitted to Mike Bejarano, School Operations

Working title:	Raised bed for flower garden
Target population: <i>(Which schools, grades, staff, etc. are impacted?)</i>	1st grade K-5 (400 students)
General problem addressed by the project:	No source of hands on experience of learning life cycle.
Project Synopsis: <i>(Please also attach the proposal abstract or any additional clarifying information needed.)</i>	Students will get the opportunity to engage in a hands on type of learning of the plant life cycle. All steps in life cycle.
Source and amount of funding requested:	STEM CAN \$594.00 COST REIMBURSEMENT GRANT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
Funding will pay for: <i>(People, equipment, materials, training, services, supplies, etc.)</i>	Gates, raised beds, soil plants. Inside flower lights, garden tools and gloves.
District contribution(s):	None
Potential partners & their contributions:	N/A
Sustainability plan: <i>(Explain how the project will be sustained without committing district funds)</i>	Students will be taught the plant procedures.
Principal/Department Authorization:	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <i>Signature</i> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Carol Tracy 2/28/18</p> <p><i>Name, printed</i> <i>Date</i></p> </div> </div>

Submitted by:		Megan Blayda 2/28/18	
	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Name, printed</i>	<i>Date</i>
<p>By signing this document, I acknowledge that purchases must follow the district's required bidding/purchasing process and will adhere to USFR* regulations and any other reporting requirements of the funder. <i>All fixtures, equipment and instructional materials (or other improvements) received under this grant will become the property of the Amphitheater School District and not the applicant.</i></p>			
Phone & Email:	<u>mblayda@amphi.com</u> 696-6105		Date: 2/28/18

*USFR = Uniform System of Financial Records required by ADE and the Auditor General's office for bookkeeping & reporting methods on expenditures.

ok Little 4/4/18
