

**Grant Applications  
December 2022**

For your information, the Assistant Superintendent and/or the CFO, Executive Director of Business Services have approved the following grant applications during the above month:

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Author/Contact</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Amount Requested</b>	<b>Terms</b>
Sand County Foundation's Pollinator Habitat Grant	Sonja Hakanson/East HS Teacher	Pollinator Grant	\$1,000	To grow seeds and plant a pollinator garden at East.
NAAE Scholarship	Sonja Hakanson/East HS Teacher	NAAE & CASE	\$2,000	For professional development to become certified in a specific curriculum
MN State Colleges and Universities	Kimberly Olson / Teacher	MN High School Certified CAN Programs Equipment Grant	\$5,000	For newly updated books to keep in compliance with Lake Superior College and the new COVID curriculum and diversity standards.
MN Department of Education	Nathan Smith / OEE Coordinator	Come Teach in MN	\$32,000	The Come Teach in Minnesota Program provides funding for districts or schools to offer hiring bonuses for licensed teachers who are American Indian or a person of color and move to Minnesota.

<p>MN Department of Natural Resources</p>	<p>Jamie Bennett / Integration Specialist</p>	<p>Natural Resources Grant</p>	<p>\$25,000</p>	<p>Our grant will cover expenses for materials to be used on expanding our Wilderness Elite Program. Our program has been providing outdoor learning activities for the last 5 years and we want to expand our offerings to engage even more students.</p>
<p>MN Agricultural Education Leadership Council</p>	<p>Sonja Hakanson/East HS Teacher</p>	<p>MAELC Strategic Initiatives Grant</p>	<p>\$6,264</p>	<p>Purchase classroom equipment needed for CASE AFNR Curriculum</p>