

RESOLUTION

Acceptance of Grant Awards to Duluth Public Schools

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statute 465.03 requires a school district to accept grants by resolution expressed in the terms prescribed by the donor in full; and,

WHEREAS, acceptance of the grant in accordance with the donor’s terms is in the best interest of the Duluth Public Schools:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Duluth Public Schools does accept the below-described grant from said organization in accordance with the terms set forth herein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Duluth Public Schools wishes to extend its grateful appreciation to this organization.

Organization	Authors or Contacts	School	Award Amount	Terms
Duluth Public Schools Fund Board of Trustees and the Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation	Lisa Butche	Homecroft	\$2,000.00	The goal of this project is to create small group literacy kits and individual sound kits to enhance literacy instruction aligned with science of reading and structured literacy practices in my first-grade classroom. By providing students with these kits, they will have materials at their fingertips for hands-on learning, helping them connect the sounds heard in English to print they see on paper. Having small group and individual kits at the ready will save precious instructional time distributing the numerous tools used for phonics instruction. Through interaction with these kits, I expect their skills in phonological awareness, automatic word reading, and spelling to increase from the fall assessment period to the spring assessment period.