



D76 Grant Summary



Weaving and Textile Art for the Elementary Art Classroom

The project aims to implement an annual Weaving and Textile Art unit for elementary students, aligning with D76 core values by offering exposure to a unique art medium. It will provide consistent access to looms and materials, fostering ongoing exploration and creativity among students.



Early Elementary Ukuleles

The program aims to introduce ukuleles to early elementary music classrooms, capitalizing on students' interest in the instrument to foster a love of music and leverage its cognitive benefits on young learners' development.



Code and Go Robot Sets

By increasing the number of coding mice available in the classroom, smaller student groups (approx. 2 students/group) will have more of an opportunity to have materials in their hands and create innovative codes.



Cardio Drumming

Cardio drumming offers students a multifaceted approach to fitness and music education, allowing them to engage in rhythmic movement while enhancing motor skills and creativity. Through co-teaching and peer interaction, students can develop their own routines, experiment with various equipment, and collaborate in a supportive learning environment.



Project Polly

Each classroom and special intervention room at the school will feature a Polly and a mailbox for her. While there is only one actual Polly who can't be everywhere at once, students will have access to a stuffed version of Polly for support, allowing them to read, hug, and communicate with her as needed throughout their school day.



Visualizing and Verbalizing Program

Integrating the Visualizing and Verbalizing® program into WOIS speech and language services to boost listening and reading comprehension through concept imagery. The initiative also includes educating students and teachers on the neuroscience behind the program to enhance its use in classroom and therapeutic settings.



Professional Development Projector

To support our West Oak Intermediate School gymnasium events including professional development sessions, physical education program, assemblies and additional school events.



Scorers Table

Updating the West Oak scorers table to incorporate a sleek, modern design that enhances readability and user interaction.



Scholastic Bowl Buzzers

Modernization of our scholastic bowl buzzers, replacing the dated system with cutting-edge, responsive technology.



West Oak Classroom Loaner Chargers

To support our West Oak classrooms by adding in-class loaner chargers to assist our students who need an emergency charging solution during the day.