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25 September 2018

Crystal Estrella Rio Vista Elementary School

Dear Crystal,

Since 1983, our mission has been to promote academic excellence through the expansion of resources that enrich the education, development, and well-being of the students of the Amphitheater Public School District. The Amphi Foundation has, for most of its history, focused primarily on services that help make it possible for students to attend school and participate in activities and in recent years we have added Classroom Grants to support our students' teachers and their classrooms. Our Scholarships & Grants committee is proud to honor your grant request. Congratulations!

Funding for this grant was provided by the Nova Home Loans Arizona Bowl. Our hope with this partnership is that the Amphi Foundation will receive this gift again next year and beyond. You can help us by sharing photos, thank you notes and success stories about the impact of this funding so that we can share with our partners at the Arizona Bowl.

Please keep the following items in mind as you move forward with implementing your project and purchasing materials.

- If, for some reason, you do not proceed with this project, we ask that you
 return this money to the Amphi Foundation so that we can assist another
 classroom in need.
- Please be sure to follow district and school procedures for procurement.
- For any equipment or durable goods that have been purchased with this funding we ask that you consider gifting items to an Amphi colleague or teaching partner should you choose to leave the district.

On behalf of the Amphi Foundation Grants & Scholarships Committee, thank you for all that you do!

Best Regards,

Leah Noreng



Med Amphi Foundation Grant Application

The mission of the Amphi Foundation is to promote academic excellence through the expansion of resources that enrich the education, development and well-being of the students in the Amphitheater Public School District.

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Project Title:	STEM Field Days			
Applicant(s):	Crystal Estrella			
Project Director:	Diana Kuhn			
Project Site/School:	Rio Vista Elementary			
Project Duration:	Start Date: September 20	18 Ending Date: M	lay 2019	
mpact/Target Population:	# of Students: All RV St	tudents # of Teachers:	19	
Ages/Grades:	K-5 grades			
Budget Worksheet				
Item Description Cost Per Item				
Basic Supplies needed to teach a STEM lesson to 60+ students \$525				
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		\$		
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Estimate of Tax and Shipping		\$		
		TOTAL	\$	
Total Expenses for entire project			\$1050	
Funding from other sources			\$600	
Foundation grant request amount				
*List Other Funding Sources	STEM Can Grant			
This project is / is no	t eligible for extra-curricular tax credit fun	ds. (select one)		



Amphi Foundation Grant Proposal



Provide an objective and the nurnose of the project

General purpose of the project:

We would like to do 2 STEM field days for all our students at Rio Vista Elementary. The idea is that all teachers will plan 2 STEM activities to be shared with students at their grade level and below/above their grade level.

Describe the project and how it will enhance the learning environment and promote academic excellence.

List the subject areas involved in the project.

Project Synopsis:

K-1, 2-3, 4-5 students will rotate through a teacher at each coupled grade levels (Ex. Kinder students will engage in a kinder STEM lesson and another STEM lesson from a 1st grade teacher). We designate 1 morning each semester to only teaching STEM in all classrooms. Each teacher will plan a total of 2 STEM lessons that will accommodate 60+ students. We have the specialist, interventionists, aids, etc helping in a classroom teaching the STEM lesson. There will be a cost for the teachers to purchase supplies for their STEM lesson. Therefore, this grant will purchase the needed supplies to keep our STEM Days a part of Rio Vista's instruction. Teachers will make a list of needed supplies and get the list of their supplies to the STEM Committee and the STEM committee will purchase needed supplies. We give each teacher a limit of \$25-\$30 for each lesson, for a total of \$50-\$60 per teacher. We had our first STEM Day last year, it was a huge success. This year we would like to have 2 STEM Days this year. All the activities were hands-on and engaging. The students particularly loved switching classes and going to another teacher's classroom for a STEM lesson. The teachers loved the activities and found that the students really had a great time. The teachers all said that the students were really engaged and they also liked switching up the student learning/activities.

Provide the standards of measurement to be used to determine if goal(s) have been achieved and timeline for assessment of results. *If applicable, explain how the project will be sustained without committing district funds.*

	are really providing our students	with fun, engaging activ	/ities.	
Principal/Department Authorization:	Diama Luhe Signature	<u>Dianna Kul</u> Name, printed	00 8/27/18 Date	
Submitted by:	Crystal Estrella Signature By signing this document, I acknowledge	Crystal Estrella Name, printed	8-27-18 Date	
	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. 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.			
Phone & Email:	520-696-5283	Date:	8-27-18	

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

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9/19/2018

PAY TO THE ORDER OF_

Rio Vista Elementary

**450.00

Four Hundred Fifty and 00/100*

TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED FOR OVER \$5,000

Rio Vista Elementary 1351 E Limberlost Dr Tucson, AZ 85719

MEMO

Estrella, STEM Field Days

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Rio Vista Elementary

Date Bill 9/19/2018

Type Reference

Original Amt. 450.00 Balance Due 450.00

9/19/2018

Discount

Payment 450.00

Check Amount

450.00

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