

TO: Dr. Gearl Loden
FROM: Julie Weaver
RE: Permission to Submit Grants
DATE: May 15, 2018

We request that the Tupelo Public School District Board of Trustees approve this grant application on behalf of the Tupelo Public School District.

TPSD Grant # 1818

Grant Source: Toyota
Grant Site: ECEC and Lawndale
Grant Title: Planting Partnerships
Grant Purpose: To provide gardening supplies and incentives at school sites promoting healthier eating and living
Amount Requested: \$11,000
Amt. of District Match: \$11,000 (in in-kind)
District Grant Contact: MAPlasencia
Action: Submit Grant

TPSD Grant # 1819

Grant Source: Natchez Trace Parkway
Grant Site: 3-5th grade sites
Grant Title: Environmental Camp I
Grant Purpose: To provide STEM interactive instruction to 3-5th graders at her Visitors Center
Amount Requested: \$1,500
Amt. of District Match: \$0
District Grant Contact: MAPlasencia
Action: Submit Grant

TPSD Grant # 1820

Grant Source: Toyota Wellspring Education Fund
Grant Site: K-2, 3-5, TMS, THS
Grant Title: Full STEAM Ahead
Grant Purpose: To further STEAM implementation to grades K-12
Amount Requested: \$82,422.80
Amt. of District Match: \$0
District Grant Contact: Kim Britton
Action: Submit Grant

TPSD Grant # 1821

Grant Source: National Park Service via the Natchez Trace Parkway
Grant Site: Students in Boys and Girls Club
Grant Title: Hands on the Land Environmental Camp
Grant Purpose: To provide hands-on, site-based environmental camps to eligible students during June 2018
Amount Requested: \$4,837
Amt. of District Match: \$0
District Grant Contact: Mary Ann Plasencia
Action: Submit Grant

TPSD Grant # 1822

Grant Source: Toyota Wellspring Education Fund
Grant Site: ECEC
Grant Title: Getting Ready for BIG School
Grant Purpose: To offer 2 weeks of intense preparation for 30-35 rising kindergarteners who have not had preschool exposure
Amount Requested: \$20,000
Amt. of District Match: \$0
District Grant Contact: Mary Ann Plasencia
Action: Submit Grant