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The Amphi Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization. Please contact us directly for our Tax ID number.

Jennifer Cruce, Molly Adler, Nicole King  
Coronado K8

Dear Jennifer, Molly & Nicole,

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 funding will be matched in 2018 and 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

## King Nicole

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**From:** Noreng, Leah  
**Sent:** Monday, March 12, 2018 1:31 PM  
**To:** Cruce, Jennifer; Adler, Molly; King Nicole  
**Cc:** Ball, Gerad; Rebecca Ford  
**Subject:** Congratulations!

Dear Jennifer, Molly, and Nicole,

First of all, I'm so sorry for the delay in getting this email to you—somehow, I neglected to send this out with the rest of my “congratulations” emails last week! I will have a check cut for you within the next 48 hours...

Our Scholarships & Grants committee reviewed 30 applications from you and your colleagues requesting Classroom Grant Funding for your classrooms. The Amphi Foundation is proud to fully fund your grant request for \$967.16 to purchase hands on learning games for students who receive special education services at Coronado K8. Congratulations!

As you may recall, this funding came from the Nova Home Loans Arizona Bowl, Tucson's very own bowl game that is growing in popularity every year. Our friends at the Arizona Bowl intend to request a matching donation from an organization called Extra Yards for Teachers this year in hopes to double their contribution to support teachers in Pima County, and we have committed to helping them to secure that extra funding! Here's how you can help us increase those chances and spread awareness in your community about the work that the Amphi Foundation is doing to support you and your students:

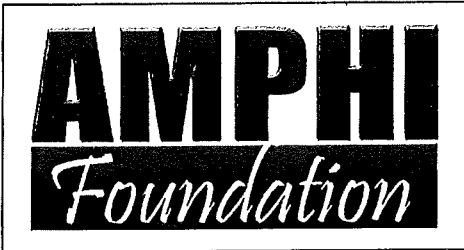
- Take a photo and either post it to social media—tag the Amphi Foundation and use our #amphifoundation hashtag—or text/email it to me so that we can share on our social media pages and with our contacts at the Arizona Bowl.
- In your electronic communications to parents, please let them know that you received this funding and tell them how it will benefit their children—we want **\*every\*** Amphi parent to know about the work that the Amphi Foundation is doing to support their children.
- Donors and partners love thank you notes, especially when they are created by children. 😊

If, for some reason, you do not proceed with this project, we ask that you return this money to the Amphi Foundation by the end of this semester so that we can assist another club or class in need.

On behalf of my Amphi Foundation board of directors, thank you for all that you do for Amphi and congratulations again!

**Leah Noreng**

Executive Director  
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**Every Gift Counts!**



### Classroom Grant Application

Please complete, sign, and return to amphifnd@amphi.com

Project Title:	Hands on Learning Games for Students who Receive Special Education Services.		
Applicant(s):	Jennifer Cruce, Molly Adler, Nicole King		
Project Director:	Jennifer Cruce		
Telephone Numbers:	520.696.6693		
Project Site/School:	Coronado K-8		
Project Duration:	Start Date:	3/9/18	Ending Date: Indefinitely sustainable
Impact:	# of Students: 32		# Teachers: 3
Ages/Grades: K-5			
		Total Cost:	\$967.16
		Less Funding from Other Sources*:	0
		Total Grant Request:	\$967.16
*List Other Funding Sources	none		
Signature and Date:	<i>Nicole King</i> 2/19/18	<i>Jennifer Cruce</i> 2/19/18	<i>Molly Adler</i> 2/19/18

**TECHNOLOGY CERTIFICATION – required for grants requesting technology components**

We CAN / CANNOT (circle one) support the technology and other infrastructure required for successful implementation outlined in this grant.

Technology Integration Specialist Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRINCIPAL APPROVAL:**

After reviewing this application (principal please initial one),

*AB* No additional resources (including maintenance and repairs) are necessary to fully implement the goals of this application

OR

Additional resources are necessary in the approximate amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (total, per year, etc.) and will be funded by other sources.

This project  is /  is not eligible for extra-curricular tax credit funds. (select one)

Applicant has shared this application with me and DO / DO NOT (circle one) support this application.

Principal's Signature: *AB* Date: 2/26/18

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## Grant Proposal

**Project Title:** Hands-on Learning Games for Students who Receive Special Education Services.

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**Summary:** Brief, succinct overview of the project, including the estimated number of students directly impacted. Describe in lay terms. Do not assume the Committee knows the programs, technology or other topics you are discussing. Statement that could be used to explain project in a news release.

\*32 students with special needs will be impacted by providing them with an opportunity to learn in a fun way and to collaborate with peers while working towards learning the state standards. Collaboration among the elementary special education department will be inevitable and very much welcomed due to the varied ability levels of our students with special needs, and the fact that our students often have multiple special education teachers.

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**Project Need, Purposes and Objectives:** Describe how the project will enhance the learning environment and promote academic excellence. List the subject areas involved in the project and how the project will enhance the students' learning experience in these areas.

\*This project will enhance the learning environment and promote academic excellence for students with special needs in social skills, reading, and/or math in the following ways: Students will benefit from instruction using these hands-on learning materials. Student learning is increased when a multi-modal approach (kinesthetic, auditory, visual, and tactile presentation) is used. Currently, students are taught using reading and math textbooks, and they are given multiple worksheets to complete for practice and to work towards mastery of the skill.

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**Project Activities:** Description of the activities the award will facilitate and that will produce the objectives stated in the proposal.

\*The award will facilitate students' academic and social emotional growth. Games require students to collaborate with their peers; skills such as turn taking, good sportsmanship, and following directions will be directly taught. Academic skills are integrated within each hands-on learning game. These games are sustainable; they will be used within our special education department for many years.

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**Plan for Evaluation and Follow Up:** The standards of measurement to be used to determine if goal(s) have been achieved and timeline for assessment of results.

\*Progress towards standards based IEP (Individualized Education Plan) goals in reading, writing, math and social skills are assessed a minimum of once a month for each student. Progress towards IEP goals is reported to parents each quarter alongside their report cards. Overall progress towards IEP goals are reviewed annually.

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**Budget Worksheet**

<b>Item Description</b>	<b>Cost Per Item</b>	
Hands on reading and math games- see attached lists	\$811.20	
Bookshelf/storage for games	\$155.96	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
<b>TOTAL</b>	\$	\$
Total Expenses for entire project.....		\$967.16
Funding from other sources.....		\$0
Foundation grant request amount.....		\$967.16

## Games list

	Title	Comments	Price	Quantity	Has
	<b>Super Genius Compound Words Cards</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$11.50	1	0
	<b>The Learning Journey Match It! Spelling</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$9.48	1	0
	<b>Reading Dice, Word Family Dice, Phonics Game</b> Offered by Fischer Living LLC.		\$9.99	1	0
	<b>Teacher Created Resources Word Shark: Word Chunk Game (7806)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$15.79	1	0
	<b>Edupress 1435934 Edupress EP3757 Grades K to 1, 1.3" Height, 3.6" Width, 7" Length</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$8.40	1	0
	<b>Learning Resources Pop for Sight Words Bundle</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$15.89	1	0
	<b>Sight Words Pizza Board Game, 120 Dolch &amp; Fry Vocabulary Words for Reading &amp; Spelling Readiness (1-4 players)</b> Offered by E-Brands.		\$14.99	1	0
	<b>Spelligator Board Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$22.99	1	0
	<b>Boggle Junior Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$8.03	1	0
	<b>Learning Resources Sight Word Swat a Sight Word Game, 114 Pieces</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$14.49	1	0
	<b>Learning Resources Snap It Up! Multiplication Card Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$12.19	1	0
	<b>Learning Resources Pop for Blends Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$9.99	1	0
	<b>Learning Advantage 4223 Bumper Car Math: Multiplication and Division Game, Grade: 3 to 6, 9" Height, 2.5" Width, 8.5" Length</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$29.72	1	0
	<b>Educational Insights F-R-A-N-G-O Equivalent Fractions Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$20.50	1	0
	<b>Educational Insights Free-Range Fractions Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$22.39	1	0
	<b>Edupress Splat Game, Addition (EP63759)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$12.99	1	0
	<b>EAI Education Math Stacks Place Value Game; Grades 1-2</b> Offered by EAI Education.		\$10.95	1	0



**Race To Infinity - Math Board Game For Ages 6+ By BeGenio --2-4 Players - Fun & Educational Family Game -- Teach Your Child The Times Table & Practice Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division**

\$29.85 1 0

Offered by BeGenio - Easy Math Skills.



**Learning Resources Math Mat Challenge Game**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$26.49 1 0



**Logic Roots Monkey Fractions Card Game to Introduce Fractions Stem Toy Math Manipulative**

Offered by Math Games Maker.

\$14.98 1 0



**Learning Resources Pizza Fraction Fun Game, 13 Fraction Pizzas**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$17.99 1 0



**OCEAN RAIDERS math game -- STEM toy to learn addition and number sequencing -- Gift for boys and girls age 4 and up -- Just know upward counting to start**

Offered by Math Games Maker.

\$17.98 1 0



**Educational Insights Fraction Formula Game**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$23.99 1 0



**Logic Roots PET ME Multiplication and Division Game, Stem Toy for Boys and Girls**

Offered by Math Games Maker.

\$23.95 1 0



**Learning Resources Math Marks The Spot Floor Game**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$33.78 1 0



**Edupress Math Noodlers Game, Grades 2-3 (EP62350)**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$21.95 1 0



**Edupress Math Game Teaching Material (EP63530)**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$13.99 1 0



**Ideal 4-Way Countdown Game**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$12.88 1 0



**Monkey Math**

Offered by Amazon.com.

\$13.89 1 0






**Check the Fridgel - Math Game**

Offered by Melon Rind.

\$13.99 1 0

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Educational Games

Title	Comments	Price	Quantity	Has
 <b>Telling Time Bingo Game</b>		13-18	1	0
 <b>Childcraft 1526296 ABC Furnishings 2-Shelf Storage Unit, 27.38" Height, 13" Width, 48" Length, Natural Wood</b> Offered by School Specialty.		\$155.96	1	0
 <b>Learning Resources tri-FACTa Multiplication &amp; Division Game</b> Offered by Learning Resources Inc.		\$17.69	1	0
 <b>Edupress Teacher Created Resources Math Game Teaching Material (EP63953)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$10.32	1	0
 <b>ETA hand2mind Plastic Fraction Dominoes Game (Set of 30)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$11.95	1	0
 <b>Learning Resources Math Marks The Spot Floor Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$33.78	1	0
 <b>Math Games: Skill-Based Practice for Fifth Grade</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$15.99	1	0
 <b>Learning Resources Money Bags Coin Value Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$17.61	1	0
 <b>Multiplication War Game Cards, Ages 8-Up, math games, multiplication tables, third grade math standards, playful learning</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$2.99	1	0
 <b>Edupress Cause &amp; Effect Game, Red Level (EP60602)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$21.95	1	0
 <b>Edupress Reading Comprehension Games Teaching Material (EP61082)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$21.95	1	0
 <b>Edupress Inference Game, Red Level (EP60802)</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$21.95	1	0

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## Wish List

Title	Comments	Price	Quantity	Has
 <b>Learning Resources Sight Word Swat a Sight Word Game, 114 Pieces</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$15.13	1	0
 <b>Junior Learning 6 Vowel Sound Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$19.99	1	0
 <b>Trend Enterprises Rhyming Fun-to-Know Puzzle</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$8.10	1	0
 <b>Vowel Sound Volcano Board Games</b> Offered by Truebloodrandazzo.		\$16.00	1	0
 <b>What Letter Do I Start With? Family Board Game</b> Offered by Avalanche Brands.		\$13.47	1	0
 <b>Sight Words Pizza Board Game, 120 Dolch &amp; Fry Vocabulary Words for Reading &amp; Spelling Readiness (1-4 players)</b> Offered by E-Brands.		\$14.99	1	0
 <b>Junior Learning 6 Blend Game</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$12.99	1	0
 <b>Peaceable Kingdom Alphabet Go Fish Letter Matching Card Game - 52 Cards with Box</b> Offered by Cooperative at Heart.		\$9.99	1	0
 <b>Learning Resources Pop for Sight Words Bundle</b> Offered by Amazon.com.		\$15.89	1	0

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## Donations by Amphi Foundation

School	Teacher	Amount	Project
AHS	Wendy Ousley	\$ 757.50	Folklore and Mythology Seminar
AMS	Tamara Paulson-Midgley	\$ 974.03	Percussion Power
Coronado	Terry Duggan	\$ 1,000.00	Steam-azing Lab
Coronado		\$ 967.16	Classroom Games
Donaldson	Rachelle Ferris	\$ 991.00	Donaldson Maker Lab
Harelson	Becky Cozart	\$ 704.95	PE Program
Harelson	Monika Arnold	\$ 435.78	Digital Microscopes in the Classroom
Holaway	Capella Hauer	\$ 995.00	Summer Home Visit Kits
Innovation	Danielle Swartz	\$ 1,000.00	STEM leveled readers for K-1 Guided Reading Library
IRHS	Jenny Een	\$ 1,000.00	Freshman Focus: Ninth Grade Transition Restriction Digestion, Purification of DNA Fragments, and
IRHS	Mark Joseph Pincus	\$ 999.55	Cloning into Plasmids
Nash	Michelle Martin	\$ 959.75	Choo! Choo! Full STEAM Ahead!
Painted Sky	Mercy Pemberton	\$ 953.10	Edison Robots for Painted Sky Second Grade
Rio Vista	Hilary Wiechert	\$ 849.00	Fifth Grade Novel Studies
Wilson	Beverly Teran	\$ 771.60	Collaborative Mixed Media Mural
Wilson	Karen Maspero	\$ 1,000.00	Middle School Math Manipulatives