



July 17, 2017

Katie Danielson
ISD 709
215 N. 1st Ave. E
Duluth, MN 55802

Re: Grant ID# 17E016

Dear Katie,

We are pleased to notify you that the Board of Directors of Open Your Heart to the Hungry and Homeless has approved ISD 709's grant request for discretionary funding for the educational pursuits of students who are homeless!

The award amount is \$3000. If this amount is less than you requested, you have received a partial grant.

Please note that this grant is only for the educational pursuits of students who are homeless and not for food and shelter, which we fund through our other grant programs. This grant is meant to be an emergency fund for students who are homeless when they come across a barrier to thriving in school.

ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Discretionary funds are designated to meet unique needs of homeless students as they arise.

This funding is available only for purposes that will assist homeless youth in their educational pursuits. Typical uses for discretionary funds might include school supplies, books, uniforms, and activity costs, but could be anything that the grantee thinks a homeless child needs to be successful in school.

INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

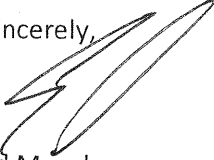
Ineligible activities include operating costs, salaries (except for tutoring), employee benefits, and agency-sponsored after-school activities (aside from tutoring and other academic programs).

As part of your grant closure process, we ask that you keep track of how these funds are used and why in this tracking sheet. This sheet was sent to you by email, but can also be found at the bottom of this page: <http://www.oyh.org/grant-programs/education-grant/>. Please include as much detail as you can in the description as it will help us better understand the needs of homeless students and therefore help us create better grants for youth in the future.

There will also be a short Grant Closure Survey when you have used your grant funds. Along with general survey questions about your work, we will ask you if you have any stories about the effect these grants funds have had on any of your students and if you have any photos to go along with the stories. This is optional but highly appreciated.

If you have any questions or feedback on this grant or the grant process, please feel free to contact me!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ed Murphy', written over a white background.

Ed Murphy
Executive Director
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