

# INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL ENRICHMENT GRANT AWARDS 2016-17

## SPECIAL SERVICES

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Bre Gastaldi – Island Park Board games and toys to teach students how to take turns, share materials, imitate play skills, and engage socially with peers.	Social Skills Materials	\$261
2. Becky DeCou – Island Park Development a lending library to assist all MISD schools in areas of augmentative communication, assistive technology, and sensory stories. MISF to fund non-Tech portion of grant request.	Assistive Technology & Sensory Stories	\$1100
3. Jaime Taylor – IMS Implementing a new program at IMS – specifically helps students with emotional and behavioral issues or disorders (EBD). Funds will be used on various materials and rewards (class and student) to reinforce positive behavior – Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS).	Behavioral Intervention Supplies	\$1000
4. Kristina Olafsson – IMS Facilitate a life skills cooking program in PLP classroom. Students will research then purchase items for weekly recipe at grocery store, then cook in new classroom kitchen.	PLP Materials – Life Skills Cooking Class	\$1000
5. Heather Tamblyn – IMS Purchase weighted lap pads and shoulder straps – allows students to focus on academic needs rather than sensory needs.	Sensory Room Supplies – Weighted Items	\$624
6. Kenyon/Boosman – MIHS Purchase Model Me Job Skills teaching DVD and workbooks. Augments social skills groups in the Personalized Learning Program. DVD's help to teach interview skills.	Model Me Job Skills Teaching DVD	\$301
7. Noreen Bucknum– MIHS Materials to help students work on social communication and problem solving skills.	Social Skills Materials	\$79
8. PLP – MIHS Funds go towards materials and equipment for PLP students to practice kitchen and food prep related life skills in kitchen classroom. Students use functional reading skills, plan meals, clean up and practice kitchen hygiene and safety. Helps prepare students to live as independently as possible.	Teaching Cooking Skills	\$1000
9. Shelton – MIHS Kitchen supplies for Adult Transition Program (ATP) – including meal prep and supplies. Also provides supplies and equipment to support Cool Beans Café – in house coffee shop teaching students employment skills to support educational goals and employment opportunities. Total grant is being split with MIHS PTSA.	ATP Kitchen & Coffee Shop	\$850

## MERCER ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Jamie Prescott & Vickie Puckett This grant will partially fund before and after school tutoring for Math, Science, English, Social Studies and World Language classes, as well as test preparation tutoring for English Language Arts (ELA) and end of course (EOC) tests. MIHS staff provides the tutoring and materials. Tutoring is available to all students in grades 9-12 and attendance is tracked. Total cost is \$10,000, so it is anticipated PTA may help fund this project.	MIHS Tutoring	\$3000
2. Alexandra Baker This grant will purchase a documentary and discussion guide for a Social Studies unit about culture and conflict in the Middle East. The documentary “Barzan”, produced by a UW professor was presented at the Seattle International Film Festival in 2013. It follows Kurdish Refugees who are resettled in Bothell with a high school and college aged child. This will provide a local connection to global issues.	Culture in the Middle East Documentary	\$250
3. Michael Harper This grant will purchase 67 books that represent traditionally marginalized communities and historically underrepresented voices in literature (people of color, women, LGBTQIA+). These books will be used in Crest Block and other English and Social Studies electives offered at Crest. The books will likely be added to the MIHS library collection and provided to Crest on long term check out.	Diversity Library Books at Crest	\$2464

4. David Bentley Jazz Class Retreat Artist in Residence \$2000  
This grant will bring four Artist-in-Residence musicians to the Jazz Band retreat in December for small group rehearsals, large group rehearsals and a performance. This will provide up to 6 hours of rehearsal/instruction time for 60 Jazz Band students and will expose them to collegiate and professional level work and collaboration with working musicians who are in professional demand.
5. Karin Shelton ATP Kitchen & Coffee Shop \$850  
This grant will provide funds for kitchen supplies and equipment for the 2nd year of the Adult Transition Program's in-house coffee shop, Cool Beans Café at Crest. The Café teaches students with intellectual and developmental disabilities skills to support their post-secondary goals of employment and independent living. Equipment purchased will include a refrigerator, oven, ice maker, baking equipment, and a few additional pieces of coffee equipment.
6. Daniela Melgar Stage Combat \$1200  
This grant will hire Tom Dewey, a trained theater professional, to work with students in Ms Melgar's Drama 2 class to teach stage combat and fight choreography. This choreography will be used in the winter production, Big Love, and the spring production, The Heart of Robin Hood. Tom is a highly trained actor and choreographer who has worked with MIHS students on previous productions and does great work around the Seattle theatre community.
7. David Bentley Jazz Class Collaboration \$3000  
This project is a collaboration with the Bothell HS Jazz Ensemble and will bring trombone player Elliott Mason to MIHS for a day of clinics and a concert. Ninety students in the Jazz program, plus 300+ students in the band program, will benefit from this experience. Similar projects have been approved in recent years, and Mr. Bentley believes the experience of working with players of this caliber has been inspirational and even life changing for many students.
8. David Willecke Life Magazine \$500  
MISF funds will purchase 166 copies of Life Magazine from the post-War World II period, to be used as part of the Americana Studies curriculum as well as by other Social Studies teachers. Students use the magazines as a resource for exploring post-war American culture. A previous grant 7 years ago bought a set of these magazines and a grant last year replaced about half of these lost through wear and tear (used by 180 students/year). This grant should allow the project to purchase enough copies to restore the collection to its initial volume and to continue as an effective learning tool in additional classrooms.
9. Daniela Melgar The Namesake Book Pilot \$350  
Funds will purchase 35 copies of the book "The Namesake" by Jhumpa Lahiri. This project is a field test to determine if the book should be adopted as an optional text in the 11th grade English curriculum. This book is written by a woman of color and tells the story of a young Indian American immigrant and his search for cultural identity and will add diversity to the curriculum in American Literature.
10. Parker Bixby 2017 National Association for Music Conference Performance \$2000  
This grant will partially fund bringing a visiting composer from Washington University St. Louis to work with the MIHS Wind Ensemble to prepare them to perform at the 2017 National Association for Music Education Northwest Division Conference in Bellevue in February. This is the first time MIHS has been invited to perform at this conference and this grant will help our students prepare to perform at this extraordinary venue. MIHS PTA will be funding an additional portion of this grant.
11. Hannah Robinson Classroom Young Adult Reading Nook \$500  
This grant will pilot a project to create a reading nook in a 9th grade English classroom which was formerly the gas engine shop. The goal is to create a quiet independent work space for students to use both during and outside of class time and to provide books to encourage reading both fiction and non-fiction titles. Furniture for the space will be provided from district surplus.
12. Tracy Mintz/Sam Gadbury Raku Firing Service with Seattle Pottery \$715  
A collaboration between the Art department and Material Sciences, this grant would fund Seattle Pottery coming to MIHS with 3 raku kilns, supplies, and an expert in raku firing. Raku is a process where pottery is removed from the kiln and placed in a sealed container with newspaper or straw to chemically create unique iridescent colors. A total of 200 students from Ceramics, Advanced Ceramics, Art Club and Material Science classes will participate in this experience which will combine artistic, scientific, mathematical and cultural learning with tangible results.
13. Lynn Frickey/Larry Bencivengo Biology Collaborative Ropes Experience \$675  
This grant will provide the opportunity for 70 science students to develop collaborative skills through a ropes course experience at Bellevue College. These 10th and 11th grade classes include a large population of special education students who can struggle with the expectations and nuances of group work. This experience will create an authentic collaborative community whose skills can be practiced and reinforced in the classroom. Funding for this grant is split with MIHS PTA.
14. Don Paspasdero PE Department Equipment \$743  
This grant will be used to purchase "Frisbee Golf" for a new spring unit for 220 students in MIHS PE classes. This is a unique and different type of game than the typical ball games played in PE that will appeal to a broader cross section of students, helping students enjoy exercise and make it part of their lives. Many other schools have had success incorporating this PE unit into their curriculum.

15. Daniela Melgar Book-It Rep Theater \$2,400  
This grant would bring in Book-It Repertory Theatre teaching artists for a three week workshop with Drama 2 students. They would study and interpret a piece of text (book, story or song) and turn it into a play performed for the school community. The experience builds skills in playwriting, literary analysis, collaboration, creativity and play production. They led a very successful workshop for our students 2 years ago.
16. Jamie Cooke Field Trip for the BioExpo Competition \$989  
This grant will provide funding to support the participation of students in the Student Bio Expo sponsored by the Northwest Association of Biological Research. Thirty students from the Biotechnology Research and Ethics class (a CCR credit course) will participate in the expo. Each student will team up with a mentor scientist to create an in-depth project related to a biological concept of interest to the student. MISF funding will cover student registration fees, supplies and the cost of a substitute. Additional funding will be covered by PTA.
17. Sally Barton Crest Breakfast Club \$900  
This grant will allow staff at Crest to provide students with a breakfast every other week throughout the school year. During the breakfast, students have the opportunity to work with teachers for extra help in their courses and for test prep. With a similar Breakfast Club last year, the number of students varied between 10 and 15 each session. Students participating are in grades 9-12 and attend classes at Crest and MIHS.

## ISLANDER MIDDLE SCHOOL

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Ramona Behnke Joint collaboration between You Choose the Next Newberry at KCLS and the after school book club at IMS. Students learn about the criteria used to select the Newberry, read the selected books, participate in book clubs and may be invited to participate in a Newberry event sponsored by KCLS	Mock Newberry	\$1060
2. David Bentley & Carol Krell All IMS band students would have exposure to professional musicians by hearing the work of professional musicians and then receiving small group coaching from them. Additionally, some 7th and 8th grade ensembles will perform for various audiences in the community.	IMS Band (6th, 7th & 8th Grades) – Professional Musicians	\$3000
3. David Bentley & Carol Krell The Endangered Instrument Program (EIP) has been funded by Seattle Youth Symphony Orchestra (SYSO) and IMS has taken advantage of this program for many years. SYSO can no longer provide this program free to schools. Request is to continue to provide the EIP program through a grant. The EIP provides free weekly group lessons for the following instruments: Viola, String Bass, Oboe, Bassoon, French Horn, Trombone and Tuba. This affects more than 270 students in 17 public schools. Unclear how many are affected at IMS.	IMS Band – Endangered Instrument Program	\$1500
4. Ramona Behnke Visiting author Irene Latham – 6th grade assembly “Adventures in Writing”. Opportunity for all 6th graders to meet and be inspired by a poet and author. Additionally Ms. Latham will do a 1 hour workshop and lunch meeting with members of Books, Brownies, and Beyond.	6th Grade Author Presentation	\$500
5. Vicki White-Miltun Interactive concert/workshop given by a fiddle group – exposes students to different kinds of music that can be played with orchestra instruments.	Artist in Residence	\$1500
6. Vicki White-Miltun 90 Orchestra students would benefit from exposure to small group coaching from 3 coaches at 20 hour each. Small group coaching in Orchestra ensures all student levels with different learning styles are addressed.	Chamber Music and Coaching	\$1596
7. Counselors Transition from current Natural Helpers Club to Sources of Strength (SOS) program. Sources of Strength focuses on suicide prevention and also seeks to impact social issues such as bullying, substance abuse, and violence utilizing peer leaders. Grant funds will help cover training of staff and students.	Source of Strength Curriculum/Natural Helpers	\$2500
4. Tara Stone Presentation to all IMS 7th and 8th graders on online safety, cyberbullying and the impact students have on others through technology.	Cyberbullying Presentation	\$1000

# ISLAND PARK

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Brigit White/Librarian	Author visits	\$1,000
This would fund two author visits to Island Park Elem., one for grades K-2 and the other for 3-5. The authors are yet to be determined, but potential candidates include Kazu Kibuishi, author of the popular "Amulet" series, and Nina Laden, who wrote "Bad Dog" and "The Night I Followed the Dog." The author visits will support work surrounding Writer's Workshop and literacy promotion, as well as expose students to the process of book publication and the writing process.		
2. Susan Hamp/Music	Bochinche- A Music Tour of the Americas	\$2,695
This would fund a school-wide performance and 30-minute workshop by the Latin American group, Bochinche. "A Music Tour of the Americas" will take students to several Caribbean and South American countries through the teaching of rhythm, music, dances and musical instruments of each nation. The experience will broaden students' understanding and acceptance of other cultures, and focus on Latin American music in support of the new Spanish language program.		
3. Susan Hamp/Music	Veterans' Day flag project	\$375
This funded the creation of a 24' wide x 11' high American flag using the handprints of every student at Island Park, which is now hung in the multipurpose room for the Veterans Day assembly, and will stay up for many months afterward. The project was led by Anne Hritzay, former IP parapro. The flag provides a way for students to participate in the recognition of veterans and is a school-wide demonstration of unity.		
4. Stephanie John-Lewis/3rd, 4th, 5th grades	Classroom rugs	\$3,230
This would fund the purchase of 10 rugs with designated "sit spots" for students. They will support the K-5 MONDO literacy curriculum, which involves bringing children to the floor to read-aloud and shared readings. The rugs will allow children to have their own space, but with the ability to turn and talk. They can help with discipline issues as well.		
5. Ahisha Avant/4th grade team	MOHAI Portable Museum Trunks	\$300
This would fund the rental of three MOHAI trunks to be used by all 4th grade classes for four weeks. They contain artifacts, a slide show, documents, audio and a teacher's manual. They will most likely align with the "Settlement in Puget Sound" unit and will also tie in to the "People on the Move" curriculum, giving students a hands-on learning experience.		
6. Amanda Higgins/Literacy Coach	K-2 phonics manipulatives	\$263
This would fund various phonics manipulatives such as magnetic wands and hand clappers, which can be used in daily phonics instruction in grades K-2. Research shows that manipulatives incorporated into reading instruction can boost both student engagement and achievement.		
7. Shelley Wangen/1st grade team	Hard-copy books to support audio library	\$300
This would fund the purchase of approximately 50 books that students can look at when listening to the corresponding audio books on the iPods already in the classroom. Using digital listening stations coupled with hard copies of books provides students with a tactile learning experience and will help them build sight word vocab, provide access to higher-level texts and model fluency.		
8. Nina Kitchen/Kindergarten team	Hard-copy books to support audio library	\$300
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# LAKERIDGE

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Murphy	Artist in Residence	\$1500
This project is for an artist-in-residences for the Lakeridge Elementary music program. The music pieces that the students learn will be presented to the community at the Lakeridge All-School Music Program in June. The theme this year will be Broadway Music.		
2. Ottesen	Author Visit K-2 Nina Laden	\$600
This project will benefit 484 students at Lakeridge from K-2. An author visit is a great enrichment project to support the work surrounding Writer's Workshop and literacy. Authors will conduct presentations based on their children's books/novels and writing process.		
3. Ottesen	Author Visit 3-5 Kazu Kibuishi	\$800
This project will benefit 484 students at Lakeridge from 3-5. An author visit is a great enrichment project to support the work surrounding Writer's Workshop and literacy. Authors will conduct presentations based on their children's books/novels and writing process.		

4. Mattson	Kelso's Choices	\$441
This grant will fund materials for Kelso's Choices, a conflict management curriculum used at Lakeridge for over 10 years. The needed materials include: posters (English and Spanish), booster curriculum that includes updated materials, teacher's guide, lesson book, etc.		
5. Kindergarten	Won Ldy Paye (African Culture)	\$1995
This grant will allow Won Ldy Paye to come in February to each Kindergarten classroom for 10 sessions and will teach about African music, art, and general African culture. This connects with the MISD diversity goals of teaching students about different cultures, as well as creates an extension experience for students to learn about and celebrate Black History Month.		
6. 3rd Grade Teachers	Cultural Fair Arts Integration	\$1000
This grant will allow Angela Carey to return to LR to work with all 3rd graders to enrich the cultural fair with music and dance. Students will gain a deeper understanding of their cultural diversity through music and dance.		
7. 4th Grade Teachers	Wing Luke Museum	\$795
The purpose of this grant will allow the 4th graders to visit Wing Luke Museum in conjunction with their study of Washington State history. The current curriculum doesn't include much information on the history of Asian cultures in our state. The museum highlights the issues and life experiences of Asian Americans and fit well into the historical timeline of our Social Studies curriculum.		
8. 1st Grade Teachers	Literacy Material	\$620
This grant will allow the 1st grade team's requests for literacy. Materials are letter stamps for students to use during a Phonics Work independent activity. The phones are for students to use when reading to self. They hear their voices easily but yet have a quiet voice. This will help with reading fluency.		
9. Murphy	Visiting Opera Guild	\$600
This project will impact k-5 at LR. This is an unique opportunity to present an educational and cultural enrichment program in the form of live opera. Learning about opera increase language skills, teaches higher level thinking and creative problem solving skills, teaches tolerance and understanding of other cultures, develops appreciation for the arts and student imagination.		
10. Mattson	Fidgets/Sensory Tools-Counseling	\$200
This grant will allow teachers and school personnel to have fidgets/sensory toys to assist them in keeping their focus, paying attention and calming their bodies. The fidget toys would be available to students in all grades.		

## NORTHWOOD

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET</u>
1. Lindsay Oliveria – 4th Grade	MOHAI Museum Trunk Rental	\$200
This grant involves a month-long rental for the 4th grade team to rent two trunks from the Museum of History and Industry (MOHAI). The "Settlement in Puget Sound" trunks will be rented to enhance the curriculum and instruction with slide shows, artifacts, documents, audio and teacher's manual included within the trunks.		
2. Emily Temple – 5th Grade	Leveled Library to Support MONDO Curriculum	\$962
This grant will provide guided reading books that support the Common Core Literacy Curriculum adopted by MISD for 5th grade students who are reading beyond the level of books provided by the curriculum.		
3. Kindergarten Team	Math Games	\$476
Purchase of math games to enhance our math curriculum, adding more opportunity for math talk, hands-on learning, small cooperative groups, whole class discussion and differentiated instruction. In kindergarten, having opportunities to do hands-on meaningful activities is imperative to learning, and will allow the teachers to differentiate instruction.		
4. Molly Harnish - Librarian	Author Visits	\$950
This grant will provide two author visits to Northwood Elementary. One of the visits would be for students in grades K=2, and the other for students in grades 3-5. The experience will afford the elementary students the valuable educational experience of meeting a published author.		
5. Molly Harnish - Librarian	Library Books	\$500
This grant will provide new books to supplement the opening day collection at Northwood Elementary. There are many popular and high-interest titles that the Northwood library does not currently have, or only has one copy of, and many requests are received daily from students asking for the titles. The books will be added to the permanent library collection at Northwood Elementary School.		
6. Molly Harnish - Librarian	Science DVDs	\$1000
This grant will purchase new Bill Nye science DVDs to support and enrich the new generation science standards and science curriculum at Northwood elementary. The DVDs will be added to the permanent library collection at Northwood Elementary School.		

7. Molly Harnish - Librarian	Spanish Language Library Materials	\$500
This grant will purchase new books written in Spanish and bilingual Spanish/English books. The books will be added to the permanent library collection at Northwood Elementary School.		
8. Jill Ravenscraft - Associate Principal	Office Suite Graphic Novels	\$100
This grant will establish a library for students who visit the office to use while they are waiting to be seen. Graphic novels are highly engaging, employing both words and pictures to tell a story and to draw students into the literature.		
9. Jill Ravenscraft - Associate Principal	Sensory Toolkit Starter	\$500
This grant will establish a sensory resource toolkit for all students to access at Northwood Elementary. Many children have visual and kinesthetic needs in order to fully focus while in the classroom. Relatively inexpensive items can have a huge impact on the instructional outcomes on student learning. With the tactile and/or visual feedback provided by sensory items, a student is able to sustain focus on classroom-based instruction for extended periods of time. A sensory toolkit allows teachers to access small fidgets, visual timers, etc in order to support student learning.		
10. Erin Brown – Music Specialist	Xylophone Contra-Bass Bars & Mallets	\$1814
This grant will expand and supplement the Northwood barred instrument collection with the purchase of Sonor Pailsano contrabass xylophone bars, specifically the notes E, F-sharp, B-flat and B and contrabass yarn mallets designed for playing on the xylophone. The xylophones currently in the music room contain a basic set of 5 bars, and are sufficient for starting curriculum. More complex or advanced pieces, or songs in different keys, may be out of range of the existing instruments. This additional purchase will open up a wider selection of possible repertoire for music classes.		
11. Alexandra Donovan – 1st Grade	Listening Center Books	\$300
This grant will supply hard copy books which will be used in conjunction with listening center audio. Using digital learning stations coupled with hard copies of books provides young readers with a tactile learning experience. Physically holding a book and turning the pages is an important part of the developmental process for young readers.		
12. Emily Temple – on behalf of K-2	K-2 Phonics Manipulative	\$263
This grant will provide phonics manipulatives to be incorporated into instructional time. This is an effective way to support early literacy skills and increase student engagement. This will provide phonics manipulative to each K-2 teacher at Northwood Elementary.		
13. Amy Kerby for K-5 leads	Pocket Charts & Sentence Strips	\$350
This grant will further support district funded GLAD training (Guided Language Acquisition) by utilizing an extra wide pocket chart along with sentence strips. This allows students to collaboratively write, organize, revise, edit and recreate sentences and paragraphs in whole group, small group and intensive support groups based on the lesson, unit or student need. This will be used in conjunction with Mondo Bookshop curriculum.		
14. Danielle Melin – 3rd Grade	Cedar Tree of Life, Native American	\$768
This grant will bring the Cedar Tree of Life program to all 3rd grade students at Northwood. Students will learn about Native American traditions and cedar bark weaving, culminating with each student creating their own cedar bark bracelet.		

## WEST MERCER ELEMENTARY

TEACHER	ITEM	BUDGET
1. Emily Temple- WM Literacy	CoachK-2 Phonics Manipulatives	\$263
This grant funds phonics manipulatives for each K-2 teacher at West Mercer Elementary School. These materials will support small group phonics instruction in K-2 classrooms (approximately 100 students). Research shows that manipulatives incorporated into reading instruction can boost student engagement and achievement. It is a one time purchase.		
2. WM Kindergarten Team	Math Enrichment Games	\$318
This grant would allow teachers to purchase math games to enhance the existing math curriculum, adding more opportunity for hands-on learning, small cooperative groups and differentiated instruction. These games encompass all types of learners.		
3. GLAD Cohort (Wilson, Frisch, Weinman, Robinson, et al)	Materials to support GLAD	\$1534
This grant funds shared materials to support all learners through Guided Language Acquisition Design (GLAD). Many of the highly engaging and hands on strategies to support all learners require additional supplies including pocket charts, sentence strips, and easel pads. The teachers have been trained and are prepared to implement these strategies immediately.		
4. Emily Temple – WM Literacy Coach	Guided Reading Books for 5th Grade	\$962
This grant provides guided reading books that support the Common Core Literacy Curriculum adopted by MISD. This benefits 5th grade students reading beyond the level of books provided by the curriculum. This publisher has a leveled selection of titles that come with Common Core teacher lesson plans to align with the current Mondo Bookshop Common Core curriculum. Multiple copies of approximately 20 different book titles will be added to the 5th grade curriculum.		

5. Tanya Sylvester – Librarian Author Visit \$1000  
This grant funds one locally known and published author visit to West Mercer. This experience will afford the students a valuable experience of meeting and interacting with a published author. All students at WM will benefit from a “Live Author” visit. Visiting authors create personal connections with students and inspire them to write.
6. WM Kindergarten Team Toymaker enrichment \$1043  
The kindergarten team will benefit from an in house field trip to support one of their science units: Wood. The students will engage in a presentation on the qualities and uses of wood as well as a hands on experience making two different toys using hammers, saws and the proper safety gear.
7. Third Grade Team Beaver Lake Native American Experience Field Trip \$1382  
This grant provides all of the WM third graders the opportunity to learn directly from tribal members of the Snoqualmie Indian Tribe. This is a unique enrichment opportunity to learn the Native Culture as it expands upon current third grade curriculum for social studies. The students will be rotated through stations and will experience canoe carving, house post carving, totem pole design, traditional games, ethnobotany with a trail walk, drumming and traditional song and dance.
8. Fourth Grade Team Kidquest Circuit Circus \$450  
This grant funds an in house field trip that provides an application opportunity for students following their science unit on electricity. Students will create circuits in real life scenarios and apply concepts learned in science to this experience. Three fourth grade classes will participate in this program.
9. Sherry Isaacs- 4th grade teacher Social Skills Games- Second Step \$228  
This grant funds games used for “social skills practice” each week. These games will provide students an opportunity to practice the second step curriculum and discuss strategies for building social skills. Students are placed in strategic groups to promote friendship skills and community building. This is a one-time purchase.
10. Fourth Grade Team (DiPrima) Frye Museum \$336  
This grant funds a field trip for the fourth grade to go to the Frye Art Museum for a Guided Tour and Art Activity Lab. Students will be able to articulate their observations of the artwork they see, build upon other’s observations and participate in a discussion on perspectives and ideas in direct connection to MI art objectives. They will also hone their inferring skills which applies to the Mondo reading program.
11. Fourth Grade Team (Headlee) Toy Workshop Sound Science Unit \$1500  
This grant funds an in house field trip for the entire fourth grade upon completion of the science unit on Sound. This is a great extension of the unit as it is a hands-on approach to learning. Each student takes home a toy that s/he builds.