

**2019-2020 Grant Application Information
Funded by the Anchor Parent Teacher Group**

Mission Statement:

Parents working with teachers to provide support in their delivery of a quality educational program to all students.

Grant Priorities:

1. Speakers/Programs/Projects/Field Trips that enrich and enhance the presentation of curriculum material.
2. Reusable classroom materials that enrich and enhance the presentation of curriculum material (Books, globes, models, reference materials, software, CDs, etc...).
3. Equipment that allows teachers to present curriculum material in innovative and creative ways (Audio/visual equipment, computer hardware, etc...).

Overview and Update:

- We expect to have **\$5,000 to support teacher grants this year!** So, please submit your ideas, as we are very excited to start the program.
- There are three grant deadlines per academic year: October 9, January 8 and April 8. **It is a good idea to get your grants in early, even if they are for programs or projects that occur later in the school year!**

Teachers are responsible for using the attached form to complete their proposal and submit by 4:00pm on the deadline. Applications submitted after the due date and time will be considered under the next deadline. The APTO will post Grant Applications to the APTO website (<http://anchorpto.weebly.com>) for review by Anchor families. Grants will be voted on during the next APTO General Meeting (Oct. 19, Jan. 17 and Apr. 18) Award notices will be delivered to teachers' mailboxes within two (2) business days of the decision. The APTO will include a short feedback form with the funding decision.

- Grant awards must be spent in the same school year they are awarded.

Please note the following when applying:

- Grant applications must be submitted using the 2019-2020 application form. No other format will be accepted.
- Mr. McCalla must sign all grant applications.
- There is no minimum or maximum requirement for the number of students who will be affected by a grant request. The APTO will look at the number of students affected only to determine the cost per student.
- Attach any brochures, catalogs or other materials that help to explain your grant request.
- **Submit one copy by email to Craig McCalla and one hard copy to the office by the deadline.**

Application deadlines for the 2019-2020 school year are 4:00pm on:

10/9/19

1/8/19

4/8/20

**If you have any questions, please contact APTO Director:
Chrissy Hladky - chrissy.hladky@gmail.com**

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Project Title: Family Support Grant

Applicant's Name & Title: Craig McCalla, Principal

Email: mccallac@dexterschools.org

Daytime Phone: 734-424-4120 ext. 2001 **Evening Phone:** 810-533-5470

X Craig McCalla **Date:** 9/24/19

Signature of applicant – indicates that the Mission Statement and Grant Committee priorities have been read and understood.

X Craig McCalla **Date:** 9/24/19

Signature of principal – indicates that the grant has been read, and that you believe it to be in line with the Mission Statement and Grant Committee priorities.

Amount of Request: \$500

Grade(s) of Students Affected: All grades

Number of Students Affected: All will access for support

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Please answer the following questions. Be specific, brief and to the point.

Answer them individually and number them as they are numbered below.

1. What is your proposal for

- a. Objective: *This grant is for the Anchor social worker to have access to monies in which she can support those families in need.*
- b. Method of implementation/presentation: *As the social worker hears of families that need access to clothes, supplies, or other needs she can use this discretionary fund to support them.*
- c. Other information that you think will help the committee understand your proposal – *There are families in our district that sometimes need a bit of extra support and having quick access to these types of funds helps us provide for all our families.*

2. Type of proposal

- a. Is this a new or returning (i.e. funded in prior years) project/request? Please explain whether this project has been funded in the past, and if so, when and by whom. – *This is a returning grant. It has been funded by the APTO.*
- b. If returning, explain a little bit about how the project was implemented and its results in prior years. – *Our social worker has used these monies to provide items and expenses for our families in need. The families have been very appreciative of the support.*
- c. If new, please go onto #3.

3. Explain how your proposal benefits the students

These funds will support our families and students in need. Some families struggle with providing experiences or supplies for their child, and these funds will allow our Anchor social worker to provide these things.

4. Explain how your proposal fits the curriculum guidelines

Research shows, that when students feel safe and supported at school their academic scores improve. This supports all curriculum.

5. Detail your budget request

- a. Include specific information such as kinds of materials and equipment needed, sources of supplies, shipping, handling, labor and installation costs (Check the tax-exempt status) – *I am asking for \$500 that our social worker can use to support families. She will have the flexibility to use the funds as she sees necessary to support our Anchor students and families. When she runs low I will resubmit the grant.*
- b. Attach any necessary supporting documents
- c. Payment will be made for approved amounts only

6. Additional information

- a. Why are you seeking outside funding for this proposal? Will you be seeking funding from any other sources? – *I cannot currently use my Anchor budget to provide this type of support to students. I will not be seeking funds from any other sources.*
- b. Can the materials be used again in the future and/or shared with other teachers? – *The materials cannot be used again.*
- c. Would you expect there to be an annual need in the future? – *Yes, I can see an annual need or perhaps another grant during the same school year. This will depend on the need of our students and families.*
- d. Are there similar materials currently available? If so, why do they need to be supplemented or replaced? – *No*
- e. Is there a deadline for ordering or booking? When would these supplies be needed or when would the presentation/project be scheduled? – *There is no deadline.*
- f. Additional information/comments – *Please talk to Craig with any questions. This grant has been supported by the APTO in the past.*

Deliver original signed application to the Anchor Office in care of:

Chrissy Hladky – APTO Director

Questions? Chrissy Hladky - chrissy.hladky@gmail.com