

Awards—From \$1.2 million, grants will range: \$28,000-\$100,000.

Mathematics Education Trust (MET)

Sponsored by National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, the MET offers a variety of grant programs supporting the improvement of mathematics teaching and learning at the classroom level.

Contact—exec@nctm.org, 703-620-9840, ext. 2112

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/MathGrants>

Deadline—May 9, 2009

Eligibility—Varies by grant program (see Website)

Awards—Varies by grant program (see Website)

Learning & Leadership Grants (LLG) Student Achievement Grants (SAG)

Sponsored by the NEA Foundation, the LLG program is designed to support high-quality professional development experiences. SAG promotes innovative classroom projects that engage students in critical thinking and self-directed learning that deepens knowledge of standards-based subject matter. *Grant writing tips are available on the Website.*

Contact—202-822-7840

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/LLG-SAG>

Deadline—June 1, 2009

Eligibility—Public PreK-12 teachers, education support professionals, higher education staff

Awards—LLG: 75 grants of \$2,000 for individuals and \$5,000 for groups. SAG: 75 grants of \$5,000

Save Our History Grant Program

Save Our History is a national history education and preservation initiative that raises awareness and support for preserving local heritage. Applicants must design a project in partnership with a local school(s) or youth group(s).

Contact—info@saveourhistory.com

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/HistoryGrant>

Deadline—June 5, 2009

Eligibility—Nonprofit history organizations must partner with a local elementary, middle, or high school or consortia of schools.

Awards—From \$100,000, up to \$10,000 each

State Farm Companies Foundation

The Foundation is primarily committed to education, helping to raise the level of student achievement in elementary and secondary schools, with a specific focus on service-learning, systemic improvement, and teacher excellence.

Free Research Paper Tools from Source to Citation

PaperToolsPro™, a web-based research management software provider, provides high school or college students with an online research tool to assist in writing term papers or research papers without plagiarism. Additional features include tools for evaluating sources and formatting citations and bibliography entries. PaperToolsPro™ is offering free subscriptions for teachers and up to 150 students for the remainder of the 2008-09 school year. For more information, go to: <http://www.papertoolspro.net/>.

Contact—Use the online “contact us” form

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/EducationGrants>

Deadline—Ongoing

Eligibility—K-12 schools

Awards—Undisclosed

PRODUCT DONATIONS

Sun Academic Excellence Grant Program

This program provides equipment grants and access to free training and certifications. Please see Website for grant focus areas.

Contact—Please use the online “Contact Us” form.

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/SunGrant>

Deadline—May 8, 2009

Eligibility—Public and private K-12 schools

Awards—Grants are for hardware donations only; do not include maintenance, service or technical support; and must be reviewed and supported by the local Education Sales Representative.

AWARDS/CONTESTS

Implementing Digital Environments for Advancing Schools Contest (IDEAS)

Sponsored by Educational Resources, this contest is offering a \$2,500 technology voucher to each of two schools that can show how they are best at implementing technology for the advancement of student learning. Submit an essay online detailing the technology used, how it is utilized, and how it impacted student achievement.

Contact—IDEAS@EdResources.com

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/IDEASContest>

Deadline—April 1, 2009

Eligibility—K-12 schools

Awards—Two \$2,500 technology vouchers

Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM)

Nominations are now being accepted for PAESMEM, which seeks to identify outstanding mentoring efforts or programs designed to enhance the participation of groups underrepresented in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

Contact—Daphne Y. Rainey, 703-292-4671, drainey@nsf.gov

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/PAESMEM>

Deadline—April 21, 2009

Eligibility—Must have demonstrated outstanding and sustained mentoring and effective guidance to a significant number of underrepresented students at the K-12, undergraduate, or graduate education levels for at least five years

Awards—20 awards (10 individual, 10 organization) of \$10,000 each, and a citation from the President of the United States

2009 National Student Design Competition

The Graphic Arts Education and Research Foundation is sponsoring a student design competition, themed “Careers in Graphic

Communications...Imagine the Possibilities!” This competition will challenge students to create and produce a marketing product designed to appeal to the graphic communication industry’s future workforce.

Contact—Eileen Cassidy, 703-264-7200, ecassidy@npes.org

Website—<http://www.gaerf.org>

Deadline—May 1, 2009

Eligibility—Secondary students studying in a graphic communications/printing, advertising, graphic design or interactive media program and their instructor. Students may enter individually or in teams of up to three. Instructors are required to submit the entry; limited to one entry per instructor.

Awards—1st place award of \$2,000 plus a paid trip for the student and instructor to an awards presentation; 2nd place award of \$1,500; 3rd place award of \$1,000

Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (PAEMST)

Nominations are now being accepted for PAEMST, the highest recognition that a K-12th grade mathematics or science teacher may receive for outstanding teaching in the U.S. In 2009, grades 7-12 teachers will be honored (2010 for grades K-6 teachers).

Contact—info@paemst.org

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/PAEMST>

Deadline—May 1, 2009

Eligibility—Grades 7-12 public or private science and mathematics teachers

Awards—108 awards of \$10,000 each, professional development opportunities, and a citation from the President of the United States

Tool Factory/Olympus Grant Programs & Contests

Education software developer Tool Factory and Olympus have teamed to offer the following grant programs:

Digital Wish: Create a lesson plan and qualify to win a mobile digital camera lab plus as many as 43 different grants for hardware and software.

Student Photo Contest: Student photographers are asked to submit a favorite photograph online and become eligible to win a share of \$4,000 in prizes.

Podcasting: Apply for a chance to win a free Tool Factory Podcasting site license plus digital media accessories to start a podcasting program in your school.

Deadline—May 15, 2009

Website—<http://tinyurl.com/ak6zxs>

Gale/Library Media Connection TEAMS Awards

This award program recognizes collaborations between teachers and media specialists to promote learning, increase student achievement and develop 21st century skills.

Contact—teamsaward@cengage.com

Website—<http://www.galeschools.com/>

TEAMS/

Deadline—June 15, 2009

Eligibility—Public and private K-12 schools

Awards—Three (3) winners will receive \$2,500 cash award, Gale products (valued at \$500), one-year subscription to Library Media Connection, and Educator’s Professional Bookshelf from Linworth Publishing (valued at \$500).