

Spring 2026 Classroom Enrichment Application

Classroom Enrichment Grant Focus & Guidelines

The Bend-La Pine Education Foundation's Classroom Enrichments are designed to support innovative projects that bring education to life and provide hands-on learning to enhance student engagement and improve learning outcomes. For this grant cycle, priority will be given to proposals that:

- Support hands-on, project-based learning
- Introduce innovative or creative instructional approaches
- Fund materials or supplies that elevate learning beyond standard classroom resources. These supplies could be for a new, high-impact project or to continue an existing instructional project.
- Expand access to meaningful, real-world learning experiences

While we value the importance of social-emotional learning and student wellness, grants primarily focused on SEL programming, breakout rooms, calming spaces, or similar initiatives will not be prioritized during this funding cycle.

Application Timeline

- Applications open: February 1, 2026
- Application deadline: Sunday, March 1, 2026 at 11:59 PM

Grant Details

- Maximum award: Up to \$1,000 per grant
- Grants will be reviewed in the beginning of March. Recipients will be notified before Spring Break. Funds will be distributed by the end of March 2026
- If the number of grant requests exceeds available funding, teachers who did not receive Classroom Enrichment funding in Fall 2025 will receive priority consideration.
- By submitting an application, you are committing to complete a grant follow-up report by June 30, 2026. Failure to submit the required report will result in ineligibility to apply for the next grant cycle.

Please look for a confirmation email after submitting your application to ensure it was received successfully. If you do not receive a confirmation, your application may not have been submitted properly.

* Indicates required question

1. Email *

2. School Name (can pick more than 1 if applicable) *

Check all that apply.

- ☐ Amity Creek Elementary School
- ☐ Bear Creek Elementary School
- ☐ Buckingham Elementary School
- ☐ Elk Meadow Elementary School
- ☐ Ensworth Elementary School
- ☐ High Lakes Elementary School
- ☐ Highland Elementary School
- ☐ Juniper Elementary School
- ☐ La Pine Elementary School
- ☐ Lava Ridge Elementary School
- ☐ North Star Elementary School
- ☐ Pine Ridge Elementary School
- ☐ Ponderosa Elementary School
- ☐ R.E. Jewell Elementary School
- ☐ Rosland Elementary School
- ☐ Silver Rail Elementary School
- ☐ Three Rivers K-8
- ☐ Westside Village K-8 Magnet School
- ☐ William E. Miller Elementary School
- ☐ Cascade Middle School
- ☐ High Desert Middle School
- ☐ La Pine Middle School
- ☐ Pacific Crest Middle School
- ☐ Pilot Butte Middle School
- ☐ REALMS Middle School
- ☐ Sky View Middle School
- ☐ Bend Senior High School
- ☐ Bend Tech Academy
- ☐ Caldera High School
- ☐ La Pine High School
- ☐ Mountain View High School
- ☐ REALMS High School
- ☐ Summit High School
- ☐ Ed Center

3. Applicant(s) Name *

4. Position/Title *

5. Classroom Phone *

6. Cell Phone *

7. Grade Level of Students Involved *
(can pick more than one)

Check all that apply.

☐ Kindergarten

☐ 1st

☐ 2nd

☐ 3rd

☐ 4th

☐ 5th

☐ 6th

☐ 7th

☐ 8th

☐ 9th

☐ 10th

☐ 11th

☐ 12th

☐ N/A

8. Does Your School Have Title 1 Designation? *

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Don't Know

9. Have you received funding from BLPEF in the past? *

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

10. If yes, when and how much?

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IF FUNDS ARE AWARDED FOR MY CLASSROOM GRANT REQUEST, I AGREE to the following:

- All items purchased with grant funds will become property of my classroom.
- I will submit a project completion report, including photos by June 30, 2026 or 45 days of completion and prior to seeking future grant requests; if not completed and received by BLPEF, I will not be eligible to apply for further grants.
- To return any unexpended funds to the BLPEF upon completion of the project or by June 30, 2026.
- To inform, in writing to the BLPEF, of changes of job assignment affecting this grant.
- To expend these funds only on items described in the proposed budget in order to accomplish the objections described in this application.
- To be available for at least one BLPEF event to share program and result at mutually agreeable time.
- Any personal photos that I submit may be used in BLPEF marketing materials.

11. What is the amount you are requesting? (up to \$1,000)

12. Please check the area of study this enrichment applies to: *

Check all that apply.

- ☐ Art
- ☐ CTE
- ☐ Humanities
- ☐ Music
- ☐ Physical Education
- ☐ STEM
- ☐ Other: _____

13. Title of your project (e.g. Bonding with Boards, Frogs in the Classroom, Let's Dissect!) *

14. Describe the project and the measurable project outcome. *

(e.g. I am requesting clay replenishment for the end-of-the-year ceramics project. This will impact 72 students.)

15. Number of Students Impacted *

16. Please list **specifically** how the money will be used (item and price; supporting documentation should be attached below). *

17. Anything additional you would like for us to know and take into consideration when evaluating this request?

18. Any documentation you would like to add to support your request (your itemized shopping list with prices, etc). Please put your name in the title of the file. Last Name.First Name

Files submitted:

19. My principal has reviewed **and** approved my grant proposal. Please put their name below. *

I have submitted my grant to the BLS Technology Department for review (if applicable).

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