



APPLIED DIGITAL CARES

Applied Digital Cares Grant Application Form

Please complete all sections of this grant application form and gather **all required attachments**. When finished, email the **completed form** and **all attachments** to:

Grants@AppliedDigitalCares.com

1. Organization Information

Organization Name:

Organization Type (select one):

- ☐ 501(c)(3) charitable organizations
- ☐ Government/municipal entity (e.g., park district) with IRC Section 115 status
- ☐ Other not-for-profit. *please describe legal status in the project summary below.*

EIN (Tax ID):

Address:

- **Street:**

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- **City / State / ZIP:**

_____ / _____ / _____

Website URL (optional):

Primary Contact Name:

Primary Contact Title:

Primary Contact Email:

Primary Contact Phone:

2. Program Details

Project / Program Name:

Award Classification Requested (check all that fit):

☐ Advertising/Sponsorship

☐ Donation/Grant

Geographic Area Served:

Funding Amount Requested (USD):

\$ _____

Project Start Date:

____ / ____ / ____ (MM / DD / YYYY)

Project End Date:

____ / ____ / ____ (MM / DD / YYYY)

3. Proposal Narrative

(Attach separate documents if preferred. Please clearly label each section and keep your answer within the 500 words or 1 page limit for each section.)

a) Project Summary:

b) Statement of Need: *(Clearly outline why this project is important and necessary.)*

c) Goals & Objectives: *(Define clear, measurable goals and objectives for your project.)*

d) Expected Outcomes & Success Metrics: *(Explain how you will measure the project's success.)*

e) Timeline & Key Milestones: *(Provide a clear timeline with important dates and milestones.)*

4. Budget & Financial Overview

(Provide a concise summary of your budget. See attachment instructions below for full budget details.)

Brief Budget Description:

5. Supporting Documents

(Please review “Required Attachments” below for submission guidelines.)

6. Agreement & Signature

Terms & Conditions:

"By submitting and signing, the undersigned organization (“Applicant”) agrees:

(1) Applicant Status & Conflicts. Applicant is duly organized within the United States and in good standing in all jurisdictions where it is authorized to do business. Applicant and its principals are not on sanctions/debarment lists; no officer or executive of Applicant is an employee or close family member of any employee of Applied Digital Corporation or any of its subsidiaries and does not hold any financial interest in Applied Digital Corporation (except that such persons may own publicly traded APLD shares). Any potential conflicts of interest are disclosed.

(2) Accuracy. All information submitted as part of this application, including attachments, is true, correct, and complete.

(3) APLD Discretion & Conflicts. Applied Digital Corporation (Nasdaq: APLD) (“APLD”) may approve, deny, condition, suspend, or rescind any award in its sole discretion; no award is offered as, or in exchange for, business, favor, or improper advantage. APLD may cancel any award if it discovers any actual or perceived conflict of interest.

(4) Use of Funds & Compliance. Funds will be used only for the approved project and lawful purposes, in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and APLD policies, including anti-bribery/anti-corruption (e.g., FCPA), sanctions/export-control, and books-and-records/public-company obligations.

(5) Reporting & Records. Applicant will provide reports to APLD as requested, maintain books and records in accordance with generally recognized accounting standards, retain records for 4 years, and permit reasonable review/audit; material changes to scope, budget, timeline, or key personnel require APLD’s prior written consent.

(6) Termination & Return. APLD may terminate and require return of unused, misapplied, or non-compliant funds.

(7) Indemnity & Liability. Applicant will indemnify and hold harmless APLD and its affiliates/personnel from claims and losses arising from Applicant’s breach, use of funds awarded, or unlawful acts. APLD’s aggregate liability to Applicant is limited to the lesser of \$1,000 or amounts actually disbursed to Applicant. APLD will not be responsible for any indirect or consequential damages.

(8) Independence; Name/Logo; Disclosure. Parties are independent; no partnership, agency, or employment is created. Use of APLD’s name/logo requires prior written consent in each instance. Applicant agrees that APLD may disclose award information (including Applicant name, project, and non-confidential details) in public filings/communications, including marketing and public-affairs communications.

(9) Classification. “APLD may classify any approved support as Advertising/Sponsorship (marketing expense) or Donation/Grant (charitable contribution) based on Applicant status, documentation, and actual benefits provided (e.g., signage, media, acknowledgments). Applicant agrees to provide documentation sufficient for APLD’s accounting/tax treatment and to implement any required adjustments to benefits or acknowledgments.”

(10) Minors & Safeguarding. “If youth/minors are involved, Applicant maintains and will enforce appropriate safeguarding, background checks, and safety protocols, and will not use APLD’s name/logo in connection with minors’ images without lawful consent and APLD’s brand approval.”

(11) E-Sign; Governing Law & Venue. Electronic signatures are valid. Governing law is U.S. federal law where applicable and otherwise the law of the State of Texas, with exclusive venue in Dallas County, Texas.

☐ **I have read and agree to the Terms & Conditions of this grant program. (Required)**

Authorized Signature:

Printed Name:

Date:

____ / ____ / ____ (MM / DD / YYYY)

7. Required Attachments

Please compile the following documents into a single PDF or ZIP file and submit along with this application form to grants@applieddigitalcares.com.

Required Attachments (Checklist):

For ALL applicants

- **IRS Form W-9 (current, signed)** — legal name must match TIN/EIN.
- **Most-recent financials** — P&L + Balance Sheet (or municipal/school equivalent).
- **COI (Certificate of Insurance)** — if any on-site signage/events (additional-insured upon request).
- **Conflicts/sanctions attestation** — complete the form questions.
- **If minors involved:** safeguarding confirmation; media/photo consent policy & template (if using images).
- **Eligibility proof (choose one):**
 - **IRS 501(c)(3) Determination Letter** (public charity), **or**
 - **Section 115 government/school proof** (official governmental information letter or similar proof).
- **Program budget (line-item)** + funding gap.
- **No return-benefit confirmation** (only incidental acknowledgment).
- **IRS forms required: W-9 + 501(c)(3) letter or Section 115 proof.**

Notes

- **Classification:** APLD will finalize **Sponsorship vs Donation** based on your documents and actual benefits provided.
- Payments may be delayed or subject to **backup withholding** if the **W-9** is missing, incorrect, or mismatched.

Thank you for completing your application. Please send the **finalized PDF form** and **all supporting attachments** to:

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Thank you for your application!