

**THREE VILLAGE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION**  
**Mini-Grant Award Summary – July 21, 2010**

	<b>Grade</b>	<b>#students</b>	<b>\$ Amount</b>
<p><b>Curriculum with Technology*</b>            Janine Pelkofsky            Boardmarker Plus software and a magic touch screen for individualized, interactive activities for students with limited mobility and fine motor skills. Features include button tools, animation and video uploads.</p>	Special Education	All ALC classes	\$500
<p><b>Battle of the Books</b>            Jennifer Giambalvo            Books for second grade teachers to organize a “Mini Battle of the Books” as practice for the district-wide, third grade, Battle of the Books.</p>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	120	\$500
<p><b>How Do You Measure Wind?</b>            Debra Michalski/Christina Maffia            Six classroom anemometers for weather lessons on wind in the first grade science curriculum.</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	100	\$500
<p><b>Enriching the Curriculum</b>            Christina Maffia            Books in all curriculum areas focused on creative thinking, logic and higher level thinking skills for gifted and talented students.</p>	4 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup>	50	\$500
<p><b>Bringing the Civil War to Life</b>            Brigit DiPrimo/Lorraine Hegarty            Scenery board and costumes for the Civil War Wax Museum which will be filmed to share with all 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes.</p>	5 <sup>th</sup>	55	\$500
<p><b>Mount Math Club</b>            Linda Earls            Supplies and fees for Math Science Technology Night, the County Math Tournament at SUNY Stony Brook and Math Olympics for Elementary and Middle Schools.</p>	4 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup>	60	\$350
<p><b>Revolutionary War Comes Alive!</b>            Jennifer Betz            Costumes and supplies for the Living Wax Museum and Revolutionary War play.</p>	4 <sup>th</sup>	100	\$500
<p><b>Add Excitement to Reading Workshop *4<sup>th</sup></b>            Robbin Teitelbaum            Wireless Reading Devices for teacher guided reading with the benefit of larger font size, on the spot word meaning, audio function and portability in the classroom. Sixty-eight of the Battle of the Books titles may be downloaded.</p>		25	\$500
<p><b>Net-Books*</b>            Eleni Homenides            A Net-book for the Resource Room to access Microsoft Word adaptations, such as word banking through WordTalk, and digital books from the US Department of Education Special Education Program’s online database Bookshare.</p>	3 <sup>rd</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup>	10 Resource Room	\$440

<b>Keyboard Connection</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup>	350	\$480
Laura Cooley Twenty piano keyboards for classroom instruction.			
<b>Peer Model Kickball Club</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup>	40	\$350
Lee Ann March, Alaina Schnitzer, Pam Roberts Supplies to set up an after-school sports club for students with disabilities.			
<b>Career Fair</b>	8 <sup>th</sup>	340	\$500
Janet Broadhurst/Nancy Jenkins Instructional supplies for Career Day and student designed logo totes for course materials and career day giveaways.			
<b>Solar Cookers</b>	7 <sup>th</sup>	300	\$500
Edward Moloney/Nancy Jenkins Materials for an interdisciplinary unit to build solar cookers. Science, Math and Technology will make the solar cookers; and Family and Consumer Science students will bake and cook with them.			
<b>Artist Notecards for a Cause</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> Art	66	\$500
Laurie Mandel Supplies for classroom notecard design and production. Student-produced cards will be sold by the Art Honor Society to benefit a student-identified cause.			
<b>Flipping for Books*</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> English	75	\$480
Catherine Duffy Flip camcorder to create podcasts of the students' independent reading and assigned literature.			
<b>Drum Major Podium**</b>	Marching Band	80	\$500
Laura Gustavsen Purchase of a lightweight, collapsible, portable drum major podium for the marching band. Also to use at the <i>Newsday</i> Marching Band festival at Hofstra University.			
<b>I Am a Stressed Out Teen!</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> Health	1000	\$150
Linda Barrett Bio dots for health unit on stress. Visual application when the body reacts to stress.			
<b>The Art of Stain Glass</b>	Creative Crafts II	100	\$500
James Swierupski Materials to create Frank Lloyd Wright inspired stained glass panels.			
<b>Resistance Exercise</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> PE	All	\$500
Jean-Pierre Dion Thirty-two resistance tubes as an alternative to lifting weights in the fitness center.			
<b>Augmentative Communication Devices*</b>			
Nancy Murolo	K – 12 <sup>th</sup> Special Education	10	\$500
Speech/Language communication device to meet the needs of nonverbal students – portable, lightweight, dependable battery life unlike expensive augmentative communication devices.			

**Positive Behavior Intervention System K – 12<sup>th</sup>**

All

\$500

Glenda Gregory, Laura Jankowski, Debbi Rakowsky, Pam Roberts, Michelle Virga – social work staff  
Supplies including posters, buttons and pamphlets for district-wide program to reduce the incidence of bullying.

**SUMMARY: 21 GRANTS RECOMMENDED, TOTAL \$ 9955**