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Megan Garner

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Applicant Information

1. **Name ***

Megan Garner

2. **School/Department ***

KES and SES 5th Grade Teachers

3. **Phone Number ***

208-423-4170

Purpose and Objectives

4. **Brief Description of the Project/Initiative** *(Provide a concise overview of what you are planning to do) **

As 5th grade classes at SES and KES implement the Mystery Science curriculum, educators are committed to providing an enriching learning experience that prepares students for the upcoming science ISAT test. This is the first time students will be taking this assessment, making it crucial for them to engage deeply with scientific concepts and practices.

To facilitate effective instruction and hands-on learning, teachers at both schools would like to request classroom sets of lab supplies. Each lab set is designed to meet the needs of one teacher and a class of 30 students, ensuring that every student can participate in the standards-aligned lessons offered through the Mystery Science curriculum.

The inclusion of these lab supplies will not only enhance the learning experience but also support the development of essential skills such as collaboration, critical thinking, and experimentation. By providing these resources, we are equipping our educators to foster a dynamic classroom environment where students can explore scientific concepts in a practical and engaging manner.

In summary, the request for classroom lab supplies is a critical step in supporting our students' success in science education and their performance on the ISAT test.

5. **Goals and Objectives** *(Describe the specific goals and objectives of the project/initiative and how they align with the district's mission and support student learning)* *

The continued implementation of the Mystery Science curriculum in 5th grade classes at SES and KES directly aligns with Kimberly School District's mission of "Educating students for the needs and challenges of today and tomorrow." By integrating this innovative and engaging curriculum, we are equipping our students with the critical thinking and problem-solving skills necessary to navigate the complexities of the modern world. 5th grade this is the first year students will take the science ISAT test, it is essential that we provide them with a robust learning experience that not only prepares them for this assessment but also fosters a deep understanding of scientific concepts. The Mystery Science curriculum offers hands-on, interactive lessons that meet all relevant educational standards, ensuring that our students are not only test-ready but are also developing a genuine interest in science.

To further enhance the learning experience, we kindly request classroom sets of lab supplies, which will enable our teachers to conduct all standards-aligned lessons effectively. Each lab set, designed for one teacher with a class of 30 students, includes all necessary materials for experiential learning. By providing these resources, we are supporting our educators in delivering high-quality instruction that promotes student engagement and success. In summary, the continued use of the Mystery Science curriculum and the request for lab supplies are vital steps in fulfilling our district's mission and ensuring that our students are well-prepared to meet the challenges of today and tomorrow.

Funding Details

6. **Total Amount of Funds Requested** *

\$3307.20

7. **Current/Future Funds** *(What funds are currently available for this project and describe future fund-raising plans)* *

This is a one time larger expense purchase. Any replacement can come from the KES supplies budget.

8. **Estimated Cost for Students** *(What is the estimated "out of pocket" cost per student)* *

No out of pocket expense is anticipated.

9. **Budget Breakdown** *(Provide a detailed budget, including specific items, quantities and costs)* *

\$520 X 6 5th grade packs.

Impacts and Outcomes

10. **Target Audience** *(Specify who will benefit from this project/initiative, such as specific student groups, grade levels, number of students, etc.)* *

5th grade students

11. **Expected Outcomes** *(Detail the expected impact on student learning and academic experience)* *

Improved understanding and test scores

12. **Evaluation Plan** *(Describe how you will assess the success of the project/initiative)* *

We will assess effectiveness through test scores.

Additional Information

13. **Previous Funding** *(If applicable, list any previous funding received for similar projects/initiatives and their outcomes)* *

In the past there has been no designated budget for these supplies and they were being provided by the classroom teachers.

14. **Additional Comments** *(Include any other information that may be relevant to the board's decision)* *

NA

Approvals

15. **Applicant Signature** *(Type name below)* *

Megan Garner

16. **Principal/Director Signature** *(Type name below)* *

Megan Garner

17. **Date** *

3/10/2025

Submission Instructions

Please submit completed form at least 10 business days prior to the regularly scheduled board meeting to be considered for funding. Board Meeting dates can be found at <https://www.kimberly.edu/board-meeting-dates>

The Board kindly requests that a representative, including student representative(s), from your organization be present at the board meeting where your funding request will be discussed. This will allow for any questions or clarifications to be addressed as needed