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GAF: Grant Approval Form

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FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS \$2,000 OR MORE

Office Use Only

Date of Board Meeting:

Agenda Item No.

New Grant

Section 1: General Information:

Continuation

Grant Start/End Dates: October 2012-April 2013 Application Deadline: Feb. 10, 2012 Grant Amt: \$5000.00

Funder's Grant Title: Weller Arts Education Grant Your Grant Title: StorytellingU

e.g. Weller Teacher Mini-Grant, Building Blocks for Success, etc. e.g. *Up, Up and Away, Exploring Our Heritage, Young Galileos, etc*

Grant Writer: Laura Kemble School/Dept. Cranberry Elementary Phone 480-3400 Ext 53828

Grant Contact Person* Laura Kemble School/Dept Cranberry Elem. Phone 480-3400 Ext 53828

*This is the school/district-based person who is in charge of the grant.

Schools/Programs to be served by this grant	# of staff impacted	# of students impacted	# of parents impacted
Cranberry Elementary	24	391	391+

Does this grant require matching funds? Yes No If yes, what amount? _____ How will these funds be raised?

Grant Description

Please fill in all blanks.

Do not refer to attachments in your summaries.

Do not attach separate sheets.

Briefly summarize the overall purpose/objective of the grant and indicate how this grant will contribute to the needs and goals of your School Improvement Plan and/or District Plan. (Not grant activities)

The program objectives are to enhance the artistic, educational, creative, and social development of students in K-2nd grades. The StorytellingU: Institute for Narrative Expression workshops' focus is to introduce the art of Storytelling as performance as well as to teach "transferable educational and life skills." The skills include the basic elements of what makes a good story beginning, middle, and end. The students will learn how to develop the characters through voice, dialogue, gestures and movement. The students will also create a story journal of writings and pictures. This program will be geared for grades K-2 and will aim to prepare the students for the fourth grade Florida Writes testing.

Briefly list grant program activities (what is going to be done with the grant funds):

Story Dramatization: Using stories (folktales, fairytales etc.), dialogue, gestures, movement, writing and/or drawing to explore the world of storytelling. The students will hear, read, and create stories and engage in a creative activity: drama (role play/replay), pantomime, improvisation, art, etc.

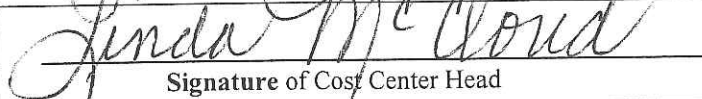
Enchanted Story Theatre: Engaging voice, body, and imagination in creating stories from objects found in a trunk. The students will hear, read, and create stories and engage in a creative activity which can be performed for the group.

Please provide a brief explanation of pertinent budget items that will be funded through this grant. (Please indicate if funds will be used for new/old staff position, contracted services, travel, materials/supplies, equipment/furniture, facilities, and other applicable items.)

Artist Compensation \$70 x 50 sessions 23 classes x 2 visits, performance and coordinator/artist planning visits--\$3500.00
Expenses (student journals 381 students x \$2.50, transportation mileage--84.6 miles round trip x .55 x 18)--\$1500.00

How will grant activities be continued after the end of grant period?

What is learned from our artist in residence will be transferred into our language arts curriculum to enhance the storytelling experience of our students. The teachers will work with students to transfer this strong sense of story into narrative writing in preparation for formal writing in the intermediate grades.

Mrs. Linda McCloud		<u>2/9/12</u>
Print Name of Cost Center Head	Signature of Cost Center Head	Date

Send this completed form and 1 copy of your grant to the Grants Office, Research, Assessment, and Evaluation-Landings

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Section Two: Summary for grants over \$2,000.

(These grants require School Board approval and must be placed on the School Board Agenda by Grants Office staff.)

Fiscal Management will be done by:

- District Finance Office
- School Internal Account
- Other (name): _____

Project number, if known: _____

- Entitlement/Flowthrough
- Competitive/Discretionary
- Continuation
- Other: _____

Fund Source:

- Federal: Indirect cost \$ _____
CFDA # _____
- State
- Local Foundation
- Other: _____

Name of Primary Fund Source	Funder's Contact Name	Funder's Address	Phone Number	\$ Amount
Weller Arts Education Program Grant	The Community Foundation of Sarasota County	2635 Fruitville Road Sarasota, FL 34237	(941) 955-3000	\$5000.00



**NOTE: If MAJOR TECHNOLOGY is part of this grant:
(does not include cameras, DVD players, etc.)**

Your school technology support personnel must review the physical capabilities of the area involved and agree that no additional wiring or electrical work, beyond what is provided through the grant, will be needed to complete the project. Please have your technology support staff member sign off on your project here.

Technology Support Staff



**NOTE: If your project involves CONSTRUCTION or requires RETROFITTING space:
Please call Jody Dumas to discuss your project and receive approval to go forward with your proposal.**
He can be reached at 361-6311 ext. 68824. If approved, you will need to create a memo for his approval and signature, to be included with your GAF.

Thank you. Please call ext 927-9000 ext. 32172 with questions.

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Section Three: Signatures

Grants Office personnel will obtain applicable signatures in this section

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*DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION SERVICES

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*DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES SERVICES SVCS

[Signature]
RESEARCH, ASSESSMENT & EVALUATION (RAE)

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DIRECTOR OF BUDGET

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*EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, OR SECONDARY

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT

[Signature]
SUPERINTENDENT

*Signatures needed only if applicable.

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