

FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS \$2,000 OR MORE

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Date of Board Meeting: _____ Agenda Item No. _____

New Grant

Section 1: General Information:

Continuation

Grant Start/End Dates: 09/21/2009 – 04/20/2009 Application Deadline: 09/11/2009 Grant Amt: \$4950.42

Funder's Grant Title: Splash! Mini-Grants (SWFWMD) Your Grant Title: Water: What Would We Do Without It?
 c.g. Weller Teacher Mini-Grant, Building Blocks for Success, etc. c.g. *Up, Up and Away, Exploring Our Heritage, Young Galileos, etc*

Grant Writer: Miriam Showalter School/Dept. Fruitville Elementary Phone 361.6200 Ext 50688
Karen West

Grant Contact Person* Karen West School/Dept Fruitville Elementary Phone 361.6200 Ext 50726

*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
Fruitville Elementary – Advanced Work + Autism / whole school	6	88	88+

Does this grant require matching funds? Yes No If yes, what amount? \$375.00 How will these funds be raised? School will provided transportation for one of the field trips: part of budget.

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)

Our grant seeks to develop in students a keen understanding of their local watershed – its vitality, importance, and vulnerability – as well as a lifelong commitment to water conservation and community collaboration. Because the grant directly involves students from “advanced work” and “autism cluster” classrooms, we also expect an increase in respect for individuals with disabilities. While the activities integrate goals from across our SIP, from writing to behavior and family involvement, its most direct purpose is to increase FCAT Science scores.

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

- 3 field trips to Mote Marine Laboratories (includes observation and sampling of local water supply)
- Homemade rain gauges
- Collaborative student books about what they have learned
- Participation in school carnival (hands-on educational booth – will not require funds)
- Completion of water conservation curriculum (also free from SWFWMD)

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.)

Grant will fund travel (2 sets of buses and 3 sets of admission / education fees for 3 field trips to Mote Marine), as well as materials and supplies for rain gauges and student books.

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

We intend to apply for another Splash! Mini-Grant next school year, and we hope to become partners with Mote Marine Laboratories. We have also ordered free curricular supplies from Southwest Florida Water Management District for continued educational projects.

Laura Kingsley _____
 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

Please Type or Print in Ink

GAF: Grant Approval Form

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
Southwest Florida Water Management District	Mary Torrusio Terri Behling	6750 Fruitville Road Sarasota, FL 34240-9711	(941) 377-3722 1-800-320-3503 Fax: (941) 373-7660	\$4950.42



**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

[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

SUPERINTENDENT

*Signatures needed only if applicable.

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