Type or Print in Ink • Use Tab Key in Word GAF: Grant Approval Form Received RAE# FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS UNDER \$2,000 **General Information** Continuation New Grant Grant Amt: \$5000.00 Application Deadline: 2-11-11 Grant Start/End Dates: 8-2011to6-2012 Your Grant Title: Fabrics/Fibers Funder's Grant Title: e.g. Up. Up and Away, Exploring Our Heritage, Young Galileos, etc. e.g. Weller Teacher Mini-Grant, Building Blocks for Success, etc. School/Dept Pine View Phone 486-2001 Ext art Grant Writer: Retsy Lauer School/Dept Pine View Phone 486-2001 Ext art Grant Contact Person* Retsy Lauer *This is the school/district-based person who is in charge of the grant. # of students impacted # of parents impacted # of staff impacted Schools/Programs to be served by this grant 5 50 Does this grant require matching funds? Yes or No If ves, what amount? How will these funds be raised? **Grant Description** Do not refer to attachments in your summaries. Do not attach separate sheets. Please fill in all blanks. 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) We are starting a new class at Pine View called Fabrics/Fibers. The class will concentrate on teaching the so-called home arts of sewing, weaving, crocheting, knitting to name just a few. Briefly list grant program activities (what is going to be done with the grant funds): The students will be learning hands-on activities involving fabrics and fibers: weaving, sewing, knitting, crocheting, small fabric sculptures, quilts etc. 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.) The budget items include start up items needed for the class, two sewing machines, looms, dyes, dress forms. All of these items will be used in consecutive years.

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

The basic supplies will be used from year to year. The consummables will be purchased with class donations and fundraising.

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WELLER ARTS EDUCATION PROGRAM

1. Thoroughly describe your project. What are the objectives and specific activities?

Fabrics and Fibers is going to be a new Art course offered at Pine View High School. Over the past several years, there has been an increased interest in fabrics, fibers and the different projects that can be created using them. There is also a Fiber Arts Club on campus, which is open to all age groups.

The Florida Department of Education states:

"The purpose of this course is to enable students to develop knowledge of fabrication techniques and textile design processes and materials by creating two-dimensional and three-dimensional surface designs and fiber art."

The content should include, but not be limited to, the following:

- o use of equipment, tools, and materials
- o art, fabrics, and fibers vocabulary
- o media, processes, and techniques
- o elements of art and principles of design
- o tactile qualities
- o formal, expressive, and conceptual elements
- o critical thinking and analysis
- o historical and cultural perspectives
- o connections between fabric and fiber art and other subject areas
- o personal and social benefits
- o collaborative skills
- o career opportunities

The idea for the course was introduced to the students last spring to see how much interest could be generated. Both students and administrators responded with overwhelming enthusiasm and complete support of my proposal.

This class will be divided into quarterly segments.

The First quarter will focus on Fabric Painting. Students will learn how to do silk painting, as well as *Batik* and *Adkinkra* cloth. All three originate from different cultures which will be studied in the Art History section of each technique. The first project will be to create a batik tote bag which the students can use to carry their supplies for class.

In the second quarter, the emphasis will be on weaving. The use of inkle looms, table-top 4 harness looms and tapestry looms will be introduced. We have a few inkle looms, 1 table-top 4-harness loom and a few small tapestry looms in which to use. I anticipate a full class of approximately 25 students, so several more of each loom type are needed. During this quarter, the class will collaborate with the 5th grade class of Stephanie Gould-Olson. My students will learn the basics of weaving, then work with the 5th grade students and teach them the skills they have acquired. As a culminating activity, they will produce a script and video on how to weave on a small tapestry loom.

During the second and third quarters, we will be working on crocheting and knitting. Sewing will also be incorporated. As the school has neither machines nor enough materials to accompany this medium, new ones are needed. In years past, I have had students bring in their portable sewing machines from home for specific projects. Two sewing machines are included in the grant budget. Students will need to sew on a rotating basis. Machines and myself will be available to students during their lunch period, in addition to before and after school, in order to allow enough time to complete their projects.

To provide real-world depth to the course, we will have two visiting artists this quarter. The first is **Kay Montgomery** from Rockville Illinois, a fabric artist who specializes in creating quilts. She describes her project with the students as:

Small Art Quilt

Using small pieces of fabric as "paint" each student will create a small original Art Quilt. Each piece will be based on the student's own inspiration, whether it be a photo, sketch of their own or a well known painting. Quilt design techniques will include working with fusible webbing, hand quilting and various forms of embellishment. The project will nurture creativity with new materials and techniques, resulting in a unique one of a kind work of art.

The second visiting artist is **Quincy Colman**, a former Pine View art teacher from Holmes, New York. She specializes in creating small fabric sculptures, which she will adapt into a project for the students:

Three Dimensional Sculptural Vessels

Using found objects and a multitude of fibers, students will create a three dimensional sculptural vessel. Expanding the perception of fiber, multi-media and collage, this workshop is filled with techniques to encourage students to tap into their creativity in new and exciting ways.

Each student will have the opportunity to participate in both projects, starting them in class under the guidance of the artists and finishing them for homework. The students are very excited about learning how to sew, and some have experience. Though some students have previous experience, all are very excited about learning how to sew.

A field trip to the Ringling Museum of Art will take place. We will view the circus museums costumes and attend a presentation of the care and conservation of the vintage clothing. I have spoken with Rebecca Bradley from the Ringling Education Department in order to begin finalizing plans.

The fourth quarter segment will consist of a self-directed project using the skills the students have learned. Each student will design their own project. It may be functional, decorative or both. They will have to create a plan, including diagrams where needed, and I will sit down with each student and either approve it as written or modify where necessary.

2. Why is this project important for these students? What will students learn? Include evidence of any needs assessment done as part of your planning.

This project/class will teach the students real-life skills that are not covered in any existing curriculum. In the absence of having a Home Economics course where students traditionally learn to sew, this course will fill that gap. The students will learn how to sew both by hand and with a machine. Many students are so limited in their sewing knowledge, they can't even repair buttons. Weaving, crocheting and knitting are all becoming lost arts. Many of the students' grandparents still knit, crochet and sew, but few of them have parents at home who have the time and energy or experience it takes to teach them these vital life skills.

3. How will you assess student learning that results from this project? Describe plans to evaluate what students have learned and are able to do as a result of their involvement in this project.

The students will be assessed on each of the different media, and a rubric will be included for self-assessment purposes. We will have on-going, daily individual evaluations and mid-point and final class critiques for each project. Each rubric will be individualized for that particular project and the new skills to be learned. Students will also be evaluated on their visual and oral presentation skills in addition to their ability to instruct other students in the techniques they have learned throughout the course.

4. Describe how you plan to share the results or report on the project with other teachers, parents, and the larger community.

I am always sharing my students' work with the rest of the school, parents and community. In the media center there are two glass showcases perfect for displaying projects. Some projects will be hung in the Main Office, where the art work is switched out every six weeks. We are regular participants in the following art shows and competitions:

- o Sarasota/Bradenton Airport Show
- Venice Art Festival
- o Florida State Fair
- o Scholastic Art Competition
- o Evening of Excellence
- o Venice Rotary Show
- o Pen Women Art Competition
- o Embracing Our Differences
- o North County Art Show

Weller Grant
Fabrics/Fibers Budget
Below Item are from the Dick Blick Catalog

Page#	Item #	Description	Quantity	Each	Total
410	B08931-1010	Sm. Tote canvas bag	25	\$3.59	\$89.75
416	B01200-1001	Batik Wax	10	\$6.85	\$68.50
416	B64904-0200	Tjanting tools sm	3	\$3.13	\$9.39
416	B63104-1338	Unbleached Muslin	10	\$1.75	\$17.50
416	B64903-1004	Stretcher Frame	6	\$12.75	\$76.50
416	B64904-0100	Tjanting tools md	3	\$3.13	\$9.39
416	B64904-0000	Tjanting tools LG	3	\$3.13	\$9.39
416	BF2213-1001	Batik as Fine Art – Video	1	\$39.00	\$39.00
415	B63000-1022	Silk scarves 22"x22"	25	\$3.50	\$87.50
415	B01207-0000	Habotai silk tie	10	\$9.11	\$91.10
415	B01234-4583	Jacquard Silk Dyes -Apricot	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-2023	Jacquard Silk Dyes – Black	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-8123	Jacquard Silk Dyes-Brn Sna	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-3153	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Ca.Red	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-8103	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Choc	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
`415	B01234-4673	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Citron	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-5593	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Cyan	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-6013	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Digital	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-7363	Jacquard Silk Dyes- KelyGrn	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-3043	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Magent	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-7813	Jacquard Silk Dyes-Mar Grn	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-5003	Jacquard Silk Dyes - nghtBl	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-3613	Jacquard Silk Dyes-PoppyRd	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-6003	Jacquard Silk Dyes –Purple	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-5053	Jacquard Silk Dyes-Ryl Blue	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-5293	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Sap.Bl	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-3083	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Sc.Red	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-5113	Jacquard Silk Dyes - Turqu	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-7103	Jacquard Silk Dyes - VirGrn	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
415	B01234-4003	Jacquard Silk Dyes – Yellow	4	\$3.40	\$13.60
414	B01302-4572	Procion cold dye – Anti gold	2	\$3.61	\$7.22
414	B01302-5362	Procion cold dye – Aquamar	2	\$3.61	\$7.22
414	B01302-7462	Procion cold dye- Avocado	2	\$3.61	\$7.22
414	B01302-4922	Procion cold dye-Brght Yell	2	\$3.61	\$7.22
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414	B01302-2282	Procion cold dye-Wm Black	2	\$3.61	\$7.22
414	B01302-1005	Soda Ash 5lb	2	\$9.95	\$19.90
414	B01302-1026	Urea	6	\$2.93	\$17.58
414	B01302-1015	Synthrapol	6	\$5.84	\$35.04
414	B63006-1007	Jacquard No-Flow	1	\$12.90	\$12.90
414	B04958-1000	Squeeze Btls w/ Tips	6	\$8.49	\$50.94
415	B01238-1008	Gutta Resist	4	\$7.68	\$30.72
415	B01238-1104	Gutta Solvent	4	\$2.89	\$11.56
415	B05888-0039	Silk Painting set	6	\$14.17	\$85.02
401	B65215-0000	Trait-Tex Bright yarn	3	\$100.40	\$301.20
401	B65215-0100	Trait-Tex Intermediate	3	\$100.40	\$301.20
401	B65233-0009	Trait-Tex Glitter Yarn	3	\$102.17	\$306.51
402	B65217-1016	Trait-Tex Super Asst.	2	\$137.86	\$274.72
402	B65211-1475	Trait-Tex Cotton Warp-Hvy	5	\$9.45	\$47.25
403	B65234-9000	Warping Board	1	\$73.00	\$73.00
403	B65018-1030	Belt Shuttle	6	\$9.45	\$56.70
403	B65008-1095	Schacht Flt Sch. 9"	20	\$6.52	\$130.40
403	B65008-1016	Schacht Flt Sch 16"	20	\$7.20	\$144.00
404	B65007-0000	Schacht Inkle Loom	6	\$76.99	\$461.94
404	B65025-1015	Schacht Table Loom	1	\$565.00	\$565.00
404	B65003-1103	Todd Loom –Non-Adj	15	\$15.35	\$230.25
405	B63116-1050	Dual Duty XP Thread Set	1	\$67.50	\$67.50
405	B65109-1009	6" Plastic Weaving Needles	6	\$2.51	\$15.06
405	B65104-1009	#13 Blunt Tapestry Needle	2	\$5.05	\$10.10
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