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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: Nov 2012 – April 2013 Application Deadline: Sept. 10, 2012 Grant Amt: \$4,800.

Funder's Grant Title: Expanded Ed Explorer Your Grant Title: So You Think You Can Dance!

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

Grant Writer: Patricia E. Varley School/Dept. Emma E. Booker Phone 361-6480 Ext 50317

Grant Contact Person\* Patricia E. Varley School/Dept Emma E. Booker Phone 361-6480 Ext 50317

\*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
Entire school all classes K-5	Entire Staff	520	520

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) At our Title 1 school, 95% of our diverse population is on free or reduced lunch and do not have the exposure to or opportunity to be involved in the art of dance and its mode of expression. Also, students often come to our school without social skills and appropriate behavior in school. Research shows that dance has been proven to encourage skills such as discipline, focus, confidence and self esteem. These are educational benefits critical to the learning of every child in every classroom. This grant will provide dance workshops for all students. The outcomes that will be tracked during the course of this grant are linked to our School Improvement Plan's Suspension Goals and to the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards. There is a larger number of "in school" and "out of school" suspensions at our school than any other elementary school in the county, which we are trying very hard to improve upon. The Next Generation's "Enduring Understanding" states that 21st century skills necessary for success as citizens, workers, and leaders in a global economy are embedded in the study of the arts - Namely, " Follow directions given by the teacher or peers, and work successfully in small-group, cooperative settings." Fuzion Dance Artists' will give us hope that our overall suspensions will decrease from last year and close the gap between our school and the other elementary schools in the county.

Briefly list grant program activities (what is going to be done with the grant funds):  
1) "In School" performance by Fuzion Dance Artists on six separate days performing each day for a different grade level.  
2). Each grade level will be introduced to and learn their own 3 different dance styles through workshops and stations followed by a student showing of the dance phrases learned.  
3) Each grade level will have a mini dance performance for other students, their parents and teachers.  
4) There will also be question and answer sessions with the dance company.

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.)  
Funds will be used for contracted services which will include six "in school" dance performances by the Fuzion Dance Company, 3 dancers/instructors and a director from the Fuzion Dance Company at 6 workshop sessions of one and a half hours each providing dance lessons for the entire student body.

How will grant activities be continued after the end of grant period? The students will demonstrate their success from this grant by their discipline, cooperation, and focus within the classroom. This can be proved by the students' weekly progress reports, a classroom teacher survey and the decreased number of suspensions data provided by our principal.

Dawn Clayton Print Name of Cost Center Head  
Dawn Clayton Signature of Cost/Center Head  
9/10/12 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

**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.

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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

Non file  
\*DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION SERVICES

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\*DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES SERVICES

U. L. Carls  
RESEARCH, ASSESSMENT & EVALUATION (RAE)

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DIRECTOR OF BUDGET

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Melchie Bea  
ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT  
Executive Director, I.F.S.

Lori White  
SUPERINTENDENT

\*Signatures needed only if applicable.

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