



Trails West Elementary PTO Grant Application

Applicant: Third Grade Team (Nancy Carroll, Ashley Huscroft, Ashley Smith)

Request: Nonfiction Text Amount requested: \$900 (\$300 per teacher)

Will there be reoccurring costs associated with your request? If so, how much: None

Description of program:

As part of our new reading program we would like to increase the non fiction titles in our classroom libraries in order to provide students with a variety of high interest subjects at their independent reading levels.

How will this enhance or improve student performance?

Students are taught many strategies to help them access non fiction text with fluency and comprehension. In order to practice these strategies we need a wide range of levels so students are practicing at their independent level. The more non fiction levels and subjects we are able to provide, the more excitement and confidence students will have as they practice and apply new learning to texts that interest them.

Evaluation/results:

Each classroom library now contains a small non fiction selection supplemented by the school library. The results of this grant will be that students will have acces to many more non fiction titles on a daily basis.

Has this request been previously funded? Yes No

If yes, who funded it previously? PTO has purchased books for 3rd grade in the past. We would like to expand this collection.

Applicant's signature

Date

Principal's signature

Date

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Approved by:

Date