



2021 Grants

For calendar year 2021-2022

\$37,409.48

Project Title	Summary	School	Sponsor Educator	Amount
Mindfulness Matters at Marathon	This grant will provide kindergarten and first grade classrooms with social emotional tools, including books, apps, and hands-on materials, to help children learn and practice mindfulness strategies, and manage stress and anxiety.	Marathon	Kelly Pickens, Stephanie Stanton	\$2,776.27
Creepy Crawling Composters	This grant will fund three different composters to enable fifth grade students to participate in a composting program, while addressing state science standards. The project will promote responsible and environmentally friendly practices.	Hopkins	5th Grade Science Team / Jen Jordan	\$616.81
Hopkins Library Changemaker Literature Project	This grant will fund the exploration of current social global issues through the lens of current literature. Educating fourth and fifth grade students at a young age about these important issues and topics will allow them to become changemakers themselves.	Hopkins	Lauren Pardee	\$1,586.40
A Workable Peace: Athens Melos Role Play	This grant will fund an Athens Melos Roleplay curriculum. Seventh grade social studies and ELA standards will be addressed as students roleplay, while developing negotiation and conflict management skills in an attempt to avert violence, and reach a workable peace.	HMS	Bruce LeBlanc	\$450
Mental Health Literacy	This project will create a Mental Health curriculum that is delivered to all students in grades 8 and 9. The curriculum targets understanding to maintain good mental health, understanding mental illnesses and treatments, decreasing stigma, and enhancing help-seeking efficacy. Additionally, a training assembly will be provided to parents.	HMS HHS	Alan Keller	\$7,900

<p>Zero Energy & Sustainable Housing</p>	<p>This grant will provide materials to build three distinct prototypes for the effective functioning of a zero-energy house. The project allows students to innovate, create, communicate and collaborate in the engineering designs currently used in commercial and residential properties.</p>	<p>HHS</p>	<p>Liz Petruska</p>	<p>\$400</p>
<p>Choices and Voices: Sophomore English Choice Book Unit</p>	<p>This grant will provide choice books for tenth grade students that go outside the curriculum to provide new, relevant, and diverse texts, in order to amplify voices not currently heard, and increase students' identity as a 'reader.'</p>	<p>HHS</p>	<p>Samantha Breen</p>	<p>\$1,000</p>
<p>High School TV Studio Control Room</p>	<p>This project will, for the first time, create a functional Television Studio, with the addition of HD Control Room Equipment. Classes will add skills and concepts for multi-camera live studio shoots, and create new programming categories. The grant will provide the opportunity for students to connect to real-world experiences, while impacting Hopkinton students and the community.</p>	<p>HHS</p>	<p>Jim Cozzens</p>	<p>\$22,680</p>