

TEACh Foundation Spring 2011 Grant Recipients

The Endowment for the Advancement of Children (TEACh) is granting \$14,720 as part of its long term efforts to support classroom programs and projects benefiting children in the San Luis Coastal Unified School District. Thirty teachers and administrators from the district's high schools, middle schools and elementary schools were chosen to receive funds. These grants will provide enrichment opportunities for students in reading, mathematics, social science, art, music, physical education, industrial technology, special education, extracurricular activities and occupational exploration.

Since 2001, thousands of local students have benefited from programs and projects made possible through TEACh funding. T.E.A.Ch. Foundation is an independent, community fund for education. Its goal is to build an enduring source of charitable revenue to meet the changing needs and interests of the children in the San Luis Coastal Unified School District (SLCUSD). Economic conditions and school budget fluctuations can have a negative impact on the quality of education that children receive. The **T.E.A.Ch. Foundation** assists in providing classroom and after-school experiences that students, otherwise, would not have. The Foundation accomplishes this two ways: 1) a permanent endowment that will continue to grow and provide an enduring income to benefit the children of the San Luis Coastal Unified School District and 2) a pass-through fund that allows monies to immediately support grant making activity. The pass-through fund also helps provide stability during market fluctuations and allows donors to give directly to specific subject areas and projects. Grants from the T.E.A.Ch. Foundation are distributed semi-annually through a formal grant application process.

The spring 2011 TEACh grant recipients are as follows:

Wendi Craig	Baywood	Math Festival	\$ 1000
Kelly Cook	C.L. Smith	Gold Rush Day	\$ 750
Mulitple Classrooms	C.L. Smith	MOBI View Handheld Whiteboards	\$ 2000
K. Clearwater / A. Shields	C.L. Smith	Robotics Club LEGO Mindstorm Kits	\$ 892.49
J. O'Hagan / S. Gomes	C.L. Smith	Rosetta Stone Software	\$ 600
Judy Schneider	C.L. Smith	Playground Equipment	\$ 569.88
Carrie Lane	Los Ranchos	Supplemental Reading Materials	\$ 400
Marylou Gooden	Los Ranchos	Comprehensive Literacy Teacher Guides	\$ 317
Jill Laursen	Los Ranchos	"Knowing Non-Fiction" Reading Materials	\$ 650
C. Reynoso / J. Banfield	Pacheco	EL Development Reading Materials	\$ 500
Susannah Stone	Pacheco	EL Development Reading Materials	\$ 500
Marlie Schmidt	Pacheco	Leveled Reading Books	\$ 500
Connie Reynoso	Pacheco	"Literacy at Home" Project	\$700
Eric Jarvis	C.E. Teach	"Kids Flip for Literature"	\$ 291
Dawn Addis	Laguna MS	Money Skills Program for Special Day Class	\$ 400
D. Frost / A. Blanco	Laguna MS	Ballet Folklorico Club	\$ 500

E. Benitez / K. Carlin	Laguna MS	“Three Cups of Tea” Books for AVID	\$ 250
Eric Benitez	Laguna MS	AVID Leadership Conference	\$ 400
Rebecca Lincoln	Laguna MS	Interactive Notebooks	\$ 250
Susan Atkinson	Los Osos MS	Heart Rate Monitors for Fitness Training Cntr	\$ 500
Jed Bruington	Los Osos MS	Wood Shop Tools	\$ 650
Autumn Martin	Morro Bay HS	Special Day Class Life Skills Program	\$ 250
Terry Jacobson	Pacific Beach	“Enhancing the Art Experience”	\$ 300
Eva Di Santo	SLOHS	Set of World Flags	\$ 357
M. Mendes / J. Thompson	SLOHS	Self Defense Karate Instructor	\$ 500
Sharon Jesky	SLOHS	Fresno State Band Trip	\$ 500
G. Peters/T. Shalhoob	SLOHS	Criminal Justice Class Site Visit	\$ 193