

# 2018-2019 Teacher Grant Recipients

**Total Grant Amount: \$14,125.54**

## **Conackamack Middle School**

Teacher: David Weiss

**Grant Amount: \$3,440.54**

Cool Heads Indeed Love Learning (CHILL) Room

This designated space for mindfulness will be accessible for all students. Decorated for calm, with non-florescent lighting, adaptive seating, and soothing sounds, students will be able to use this space when they need a few minutes to calm down, self-regulate, or take a break.

## **King and Arbor Intermediate Schools**

Teacher: Karen Fleming

**Grant Amount: \$1,046.58**

Lunch and Learn:

This weekly program brings students together at lunch for presentations from local experts in diverse fields such as philanthropy and public speaking, followed by discussion.

## **Randolphville**

Teacher: Jackie Erickson

**Grant Amount: \$258.49**

Randolphville Reads

This “after-hours” Family Book Club brings parents and children together for book discussions about middle grade novels they have all read.

## **Grandview Elementary School**

Teachers: Sarah Kovacs and Chris lee

**Grant Amount: \$1,000**

Whole Arts Learning – An Exploration and Connection of Visual, Performing and Language Arts  
Students will connect language arts ideas and curriculum to visual and performing arts curriculum through creating their own products and then creating commercials to sell those products. Students will learn green screen editing, learn to evaluate and critique each other’s work, and bring other elements of the elementary school curriculum into the culminating “Grandview Film Festival Night.”

## **Quibbletown Middle School**

Teacher: George Batalas

**Grant Amount: \$2,210.02**

How to Hydro

The third phase of the evolution of the Hydroponic Garden, students will explore energy resources, including solar, wind, and human motion. Students will test and research methods to discover the most efficient energy systems.

**PHS**

Teacher: Megan Suozza

**Grant Amount: \$1,645.00**

iPads in the Choir Rehearsal

This grant infuses technology into the choir curriculum with software that develops pitch and ear training as well as sight reading. Additional resources allow students to record performances and practices for instant evaluation.

**PHS**

Teacher: Paul Mazur

**Grant Amount: \$1,924.91**

Electronic Game Design

Students will fuel their passion in the fields of Engineering and Program Coding as they work in small groups to develop ideas and solutions to STEM problems while building electronic game concepts.

**PHS**

Teacher: Adrian Lojko

**Grant Amount: \$2600.00**

Newseum Trip 2019

Students in the Media Literacy course will deepen their understanding of media communication and ethics with a trip to Washington DC's Newseum. Students will share their experience with other PHS students by creating a follow-up presentation to convey their new understanding and insights learned through this trip.