

Jordan Education Foundation (JEF) CLASSROOM GRANT applications will be accepted August 1, 2023 through October 15, 2023

New Change: This year, Classroom Grant Applications will be accepted through October 15 – as long as funds are available. The funding period will end **before** October 15 if JEF funds have been exhausted by eligible projects. <u>Bottom line: APPLY EARLY!</u>

We are again using DONORSCHOOSE this year to increase the number of grants awarded to Jordan District teachers. For the past 5 years, donated funds have been doubled and in some cases tripled using DONORSCHOOSE. This year we hope to do the same or better by capturing additional funds through matching programs. Historically there are various major foundations (Gates, Chevron, Twitter and others) that will pick a random day or period of time to match projects that are listed with Donors Choose. JEF would like to contribute to these match's so **APPLY EARLY IN JULY OR AUGUST. We will start funding projects beginning August 1st.**

2023-24 Classroom Grant Application Process:

Step 1 Go to <u>jordaneducationfoundation.org</u>, and click on the Classroom Grants <u>APPLY HERE</u> link found on the front page.

Step 2 Go to donorschoose.org. Create a Donors Choose account and project. Use the criteria provided within the **JEF** Google Form to describe your project.

Step 3 Provide contact and project-specific information and the link to your Donors Choose project in Section 2 of the **JEF** Google Form. (This is how we're notified of which projects are requesting our funding).

Step 4 If your project does not meet Donors Choose requirements or is for materials/licenses that are not covered by Donors Choose, please complete the "APPLICATIONS NOT APPLICABLE TO DONORS CHOOSE" Section 3 of the **JEF** Google Form.

Step 5 Submit application to JEF

JEF will fund **UP TO \$500 PER TEACHER**. Per teacher amounts may be combined within a team or department and put toward a larger grant request. IE: 3 teachers may combine and apply for a grant of up to \$1,500. Please limit all grant requests to \$500 per teacher, total.

Restrictions: Items must follow district guidelines and standards. The following categories are not eligible for funding: *Salaries, honorariums, professional development, stipends, & educator travel.*

We are excited to read your applications and discover projects JSD teachers use to educate our students! We love to fund CLASSROOM GRANTS!

If you have any questions about the application or funding process, please call **Jordan Education Foundation** at 801-567-8125.