

On Tuesday, October 22, 2024 the West Bloomfield Education Foundation reviewed 50 grant applications submitted by the deadline of October 21, 2024. The WBEF Grant Committee has selected 31 (thirty-one) proposals to be funded in the 2024-2025 school year for a total of \$14,075.

Project Title Applicant/Collaborator School Amount				
Executive Functioning Toolkit	Naomi Schwartz	Doherty	\$679	
Engaged in Play Based Learning	Shelley Valentine	Doherty	\$500	
Book of the Month Club	Colleen Mestdagh	Doherty	\$550	
Laker Makers: STEAM	Jessica Geottes	Gretchko	\$350	
Just One More Chapter	Stephanie Donnay	Gretchko	\$750	
Letter Love Lab	Tina Metz	Gretchko	\$606	
Historically Responsive Read Alouds	Jen Teal, Randi Fogel, Jackie Pace, and Brittney Williams	Gretchko	\$350	
Not all Plants Grow in Soil	Liz Costello	Gretchko	\$408	
Phonics Fun	Taylor Carroll	Scotch	\$500	
See the World & United States	Juliann O'Brien	Scotch	\$383	

Reading Club	Cheryl Caplan	Scotch	\$500
Math Morning Mindfulness	Nicole Jones	Scotch	\$150
Little Lakers learn Language and Literacy	Abigail Howles	Scotch	\$500
Communicate to Learn	Gabrielle Brancheau	Scotch	\$239
Kids Connect Books	Maureen Seifert	Scotch	\$300
We Love Non-Fiction Reading!	Jennifer Graham	Sheiko	\$381
Kids on the Move	Rebecca Heitsch on behalf of all Elementary Schools	Sheiko	\$694
Sensory Tools	Amie Kunkel	Sheiko	\$750
Collaboration Station	Christina Tarnacki	Sheiko	\$300
Sensory Reset	Brittani Beck	Sheiko	\$175
DreamCrafts	Nathan Miller	Transition Center	\$375
Communal Cooking at WBTC	Chastitie Mitchell	Transition Center	\$749

Physics	Bethany Allen-Elsner	WBHS	\$441
LEGO Spike	Jedidiah Jones	WBHS	\$320
Elegoo robots	Francis (Buddy) Muylaert	WBHS	\$684
Maker Space	Nancy Putrus	WBMS	\$250
Media Center Games	Cindy Carson	WBMS	\$250

Enhancing Spanish Literacy through Resources	Joann Manetta	WBMS	\$540
WBMS iCenter Graphic Novel	Emily Waller	WBMS	\$375
Graphic Novels	Hanna Kim	WBMS	\$375
Science Squad	Dr. Bazzi, Johanna Mracna, David Gardner	WBMS	\$650