WHSPO MINI-GRANT APPLICATION

For All WHS Faculty and Staff 2018/2019

The Wayland High School Parent Organization (WHSPO) is pleased to announce the 2018/2019 Mini-Grant program, and encourages each of you to think about how you could use a WHSPO Mini-Grant to further your programs. The grant program was created to support teachers and staff with the development, enrichment, and expansion of the WHS curriculum through innovative ideas that have the potential to impact large numbers of students. Since 2007, WHSPO has awarded almost 100 grants for a total exceeding \$34,000!

The application process is quick and easy!

Grant guidelines, deadlines, and application are below:

- Any WHS faculty or staff member may submit an application.
- Although individual grant requests are not to exceed \$250, teachers may combine their requests on one grant application as a group in increments of \$250 per person in the group.
- Grants are typically for items not funded through the school budget.
- Many successful grants have originated from inter-departmental efforts.
- Grant monies should be used to:
 - ✓ Enhance classroom instruction.
 - ✓ Fund programs/materials that may enhance different learning styles
 - ✓ Support teaching innovation in the classroom
 - ✓ Purchase materials that are non-consumable and that have multi-year benefit

Past grants have funded a wide variety of items, including: models for science classes, speech and debate books for forensics team, suicide awareness and prevention programs, standing desks, user licenses for CAD programs, equipment for world language classes, electronic die cut machine with starter kit for the math department, additional reading books for English and Psychology classes, software for the media center and equipment for the wellness department. We do not fund field trips or one-time speakers through the Mini-Grant program.

If you have a project that does not fall within the Mini-Grant parameters, please keep a look out for WHSPO's new Wish List program to be launched in the Spring!

Please complete this form by Friday, November 2nd and return to Maria McGrath.

You will be notified by Friday, November 16th.

Questions? Please contact Sarah Orlov at sorloveompany.com or 617-875-2181 or Elisa Scola at cpandes@yahoo.com or 508-276-1188.



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(Please use additional sheets as necessary)

Name(s):
Department(s):
Amount requested: (Note: If requesting multiple items, please itemize them in your request)
Please describe how the grant money would be used (and how it relates to and impacts curriculum):
Please state your desired outcome(s) for this grant:
Additional comments:

Please tell us the best way to reach you if we have questions: