

Grant Title: VERIZON FOUNDATION EDUCATION GRANTS

Area of Research: Increase literacy and educational achievement

Application Deadline: November 01, 2008

Amount: \$5,000-\$10,000

Length of Support: One year.

Eligible Applicants: Proposals will be considered from eligible tax-exempt organizations in certain 501(c)(3) subsections as defined by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Proposals will also be considered from elementary and secondary schools* (public and private) that are registered with the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES). Proposals may also be considered from eligible tax-exempt organizations in the subsection 170(B)(1)(a)(i) - Church, provided that the proposal will benefit a large portion of a community without regard to religious affiliation and does not duplicate the work of other agencies in the community.

- 170(B)(1)(a)(ii) - School*
- 170(B)(1)(a)(iii) - Hospital or medical research organization
- 170(B)(1)(a)(iv) - Organization which operates for benefit of college or university and is owned or operated by a governmental unit.
- 170(B)(1)(a)(v) - Governmental unit
- 170(B)(1)(a)(vi) - Organization which receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or the general public
- 509(A)(2) - Organization that normally receives no more than one-third of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business income and at the same time more than one-third of its support from contributions, fees, and gross receipts related to exempt purposes.
- 509(A)(3) - Organizations operated solely for the benefit of and in conjunction with organizations described in the previous seven items.

Agency/Department: Verizon Foundation

Summary: The Verizon Foundation targets our philanthropic investments to partners and programs that achieve meaningful outcomes and measurable results in specific areas within each of our Funding Priorities. Verizon helps people to: 1) Increase their literacy and educational achievement 2) Avoid being an abuser or a victim of domestic violence 3) Achieve and sustain their health and safety

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