

# MINI-GRANTS—

We believe in the power of teaching to help shape young people's lives. Please join us in fostering K-12 learning by contributing to the Rotary Club of Glendora's Mini-Grants. Help us support teachers as they fulfill student dreams!



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For over 25 years, the Rotary Club of Glendora has been committed to enhancing the educational experiences of K-12 students in the City of Glendora by sponsoring MINI-GRANTS FOR TEACHERS. These grants provide tangible tools for teachers in the classroom. Though the grants are relatively small (\$300 for a single grant, \$600 for multiple teachers utilizing the same grant theme) the impact has been direct and powerful –

- Since 1984 nearly \$350,000 has been raised and distributed to our K-12 teachers in the school districts of Glendora and Charter Oak
- 100% of the of the revenue collected has been distributed to teachers to fund their creative grant applications

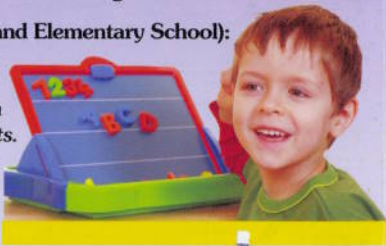
**From Deborah Hall & Sarah Bauer (La Fetra Elementary School):**

*THANK YOU for your generous support of our classrooms by offering the Mini-Grants Program. Funding any program is difficult with today's monies. However, students still deserve the very best when it comes to curriculum that fits as many needs as possible. The Versatiles program addresses standards so well that learners can meet expectations in Math and ELA while using them.*



**From Faith Grant (Sutherland Elementary School):**

*I am looking forward to outfitting my classroom with thesauruses, a much needed tool for the students. Thank you for your ongoing support of teachers and schools within our community.*



**From Christie Voors (Sellers Elementary School):**

*As a recipient of a Teacher Mini-Grant Award, I would like to thank Rotary for the opportunity to apply for this grant. With your financial support, I and many other teachers have new opportunities to implement core and extra curricular activities. I truly appreciate Glendora Rotary's role in education! You are making our City and its schools a better place.*



- The funded grants cover the widest range of student interests and disciplines
- All overhead and fundraising costs are paid by the Rotary Club of Glendora and its members
- Thousands of students and hundreds of teachers have benefited
- All grant applications are juried by a non-partisan committee made up of Rotarians and a school district representative
- Last year over \$18,000 was distributed to 43 successful grant applicants
- Some of the funded projects last year included: Ants, Bats, & Cactus Plants; Glorious Grammar; Geometry in Action; Bravo for Biographies!; Wii The People: A Physical Fitness Preamble; Singin' & Signin'; Rug Rats Can Sit Still.; Literacy is the Key; Reading A-Z; and It's a Mystery to Me!

**From Jeanine Robertson (Principal at Washington Elementary):**

*The mini-grants received by Washington teachers will make a significant difference in our classrooms. The impact will include our special education students, who will have two new net books to use in their classroom, and our fifth graders, who will be more actively involved in math lessons as they use new Airliners in combination with their classroom Smart Boards. At Washington Elementary, we are particularly grateful for your support of our students and teachers during these difficult economic times.*



**From Thomas E. Martinet (Glendora High School):**

*Thanks for awarding me and my students the mini-grant. I'm looking forward to purchasing the software to upgrade their projects. It will be fun and exciting!*



**MINI-GRANTS FOR TEACHERS DONATION FORM**

Yes, I'd like to become a part of the Mini-Grants project!  
I'd like to contribute:

- \$600 for a multiple grant for two or more teachers utilizing the same grant theme
- \$300 for a single teacher grant
- \$150 for a half-grant
- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Other. Any amount is very much appreciated

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(as you would like it to appear in the Award Presentation program in January, 2011,  
at the GUSD Board Room, Sellers School)

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