

ASTA Mini-Grant Application for Classroom Project

Due October 31, 2018

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**Mini-grants are awarded to ASTA members on a semi-annual basis. Applications will only be considered if they are post marked or e-mailed by the due date.**

***\*If awarded a project grant, an article about your project to be posted on the web site AND receipts need to be submitted to the ASTA Treasurer.***

***\*Must be an Alaska resident in addition to being a member of ASTA.***

***\*If awarded a grant, please submit an article to be published by ASTA.***

**This application is for a CLASSROOM PROJECT MINI-GRANT**

**Title of Proposed Project** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Teacher Name**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **School** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Address**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Requested ($500.00 maximum)**\_\_\_\_\_\_$500\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**You may use as much space as needed to complete the following questions.**

**Project Description**

1. Briefly describe your proposed project. Include in the description project goals, the number of students involved, the Alaska Science Standards or Next Generation Science Standards that are addressed, and proposed activities. **(5)**
2. Timeline for completion of your project. **(5)**

3. How will you evaluate the effectiveness of your project?

**Proposed Budget (5)**

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| **Budget Amount** |  **Materials or Services** |
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Expenditures are reimbursed from receipts mailed to the ASTA Treasurer.

**DEADLINE for Application is October 31, 2018. Application must be received by e-mail by that date.**

**Scoring Guide for Classroom Project Mini-Grant Proposal**

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|  | **Project Description** | **Timeline** | **Evaluation** | **Budget** |
| **5** | * Project description is complete, concise and includes all required elements (project goals, # of students involved, Standards addressed, proposed activities)
* Project activities involve active science learning for all students
* Project goals clearly promote scientific inquiry
 | * Timeline is realistic
* Goals are achievable in allotted time
 | * Evaluation plan is clear and well thought out
* Plan clearly evaluates effectiveness of project
 | * Budget is clear
* All expenditures are directly related to project activities
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| **3** | * Project description is clear, includes all required elements
* Project activities may involve some active science learning for all students
* Project goals promote scientific inquiry
 | * Timeline is realistic
* Goals may be achieved in allotted time
 | * Evaluation plan is clear
* Plan attempts to evaluate effectiveness of project
 | * Budget is clear
* Most expenditures are directly related to project activities
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| **1** | * Project description is unclear, may be missing required elements
* Project activities don't involve active science learning for all students
* Project goals don't promote scientific inquiry
 | * Timeline unrealistic
* Goals not achievable in allotted time
 | * Evaluation plan is not clear
* Plan does not evaluate effectiveness of project
 | * Budget is not clear
* Expenditures are not related to project activities
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