



HAWAII STATE

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Hawaii State FCU Investing in Education Teacher Grants

Frequently Asked Questions

Who is eligible to apply?

Applicants must be a member of Hawaii State FCU and be currently employed in the Department of Education as a classroom teacher.

How long does the program run?

Grant funds are available from September 1 through October 31. Submissions will be reviewed and awarded as they are received and continue until all programs funds have been disbursed or until October 31, whichever comes first.

Can a teacher apply for more than one grant?

Essay submissions are limited to one per teacher, per calendar year.

Where can teachers get more information or get an application form?

Program guidelines and the application form can be downloaded from our website in late August.

How will the grant recipients be selected?

Recipients will be selected based on their essay submissions.

How many grants will be awarded?

Approximately 80, however the number will be determined by the amounts requested on the essays and the number of applicants received.

How will teachers receive the awarded funds?

Grant award money will be sent via check and made payable in the name of the school where the teacher works.

What does the teacher need to do to apply?

Teachers will be required to submit essays of 500 words or less explaining what is the need in the classroom, how the grant money will assist in student learning and provide details on items to be purchased and their cost.

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