

Flocabulary.com

Classroom Grant

Billings Senior High

TerraBeth Jochems
425 Grand Avenue
Billings, 59102

holmesd@billingschools.org
O: 281-5400

TerraBeth Jochems

317 Quiet Water Ave
Billings, 59105

jochemst@billingschools.org
O: 4068551876

Application Form

Report Fields

Project Name*

Name of project

Flocabulary.copm

Amount Requested

Amount requested on application.

\$1,000.00

Grade Level

Please select grade level below.

High School (9-12)

Primary Subject Area

Please select the primary subject area of your grant.

Social Studies

School

Please select your school from the list below

Senior High School

Number of Students Served

Please enter the number of students that will be served by this grant.

2000

Project Cost

What is the total cost of your project?

1200

Statement of Need

Please describe the need for this project. For example, how will this project impact student learning?

This amazing site, aligned with Common Core for all subject areas, provides teachers and students informational text in a hip-hop, lyrical way which increases retention of facts, builds background knowledge, adds to vocabulary banks and more. In fact, during lunch I was playing a Flocabulary for the "Industrial Revolution" and the kids eating in my room commented, "Wow! I just learned more than I have by reading my

book!" We currently have a site-based license, thanks to Education Foundation grant, and it has been so instrumental in helping kids and teachers learn that we are asking to extend this license.

Primary Goal

Please describe the primary goal of the project and how it blends with School District 2 goals and curriculum.

The goal of the project is to ensure that students are exposed to and internalize as much informational text as possible, as this is the push for all standardized testing. Again, the site, Flocabulary.com, offers informational text on all high school topics in a way that students understand and enjoy. It is aligned with Common Core Standards and has lyrics for all concepts in math, science, social studies, language arts, SAT vocabulary and more.

Project Description

Briefly identify the major activities and materials involved in your project.

Flocabulary.com is projected from the site to our computers, to our projectors and on to a screen. There are no consumable items unless teachers print off the tests and work sheets for student use--which, too, are amazing!

Professional Development

If your project includes professional development how will it improve student performance?

Very little professional development is required. I have been the coordinator/trainer of the building for the past year.

Project Timeline

When will you implement your project?

We are paid in full to Flocabulary.com for the year 2013-2014. We will begin in the fall of 2014.

Plan for Evaluation

How will you evaluate student outcomes for your project?

We will do surveys, give pre and post formative assessments and track the use through the company's website.

Project Budget

Please explain how the funds from this grant will be spent to support your project goal. You can either type or upload a project budget to show how funds will be used. Please identify other funding sources if applicable.

A site license is \$1200 a year. This is unlimited use by students and teachers. The students will be provided a login code and we are off!

Supervisor Approval*

I have received approval from my supervisor to apply for this grant.

yes

Attachment 1

Please attach any photos, pages from catalogs, or other documents below. This is completely optional.

Attachment 2

Attachment 3

File Attachment Summary

Applicant File Uploads