

Grants Watch

Periodic alerts on funding opportunities for the College of Education
A friendly service provided by the Office of Collaborative Education

The following is a list of RFPs that have been announced within the last two weeks. If you are interested in submitting an application, please contact the Office of Collaborative Education, and we'll do our best to assist you.

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Title: Product Grants

Sponsor: Handspring Foundation

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor distributes products to qualified nonprofit organizations that can or propose to demonstrate an innovative use of our products and technology that will create solutions to critical local and global community concerns.

Deadline(s): 05/01/2003 or 11/01/2003

Contact: Handspring Foundation

E-mail: foundation@handspring.com

Program URL: http://www.handspring.com/company/foundation/productgrants_eligibility.jhtml

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Title: Minigrant Awards

Sponsor: Foundation for Exceptional Children

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor provides minigrant awards for innovative education-related projects which directly benefit gifted children or youth and/or children and youth with disabilities.

Deadline(s): 04/15/2003

Contact: Minigrant Committee

E-mail: yesican@cec.sped.org **Tel:** 800-224-6830x462

Program URL: http://yesican.cec.sped.org/minigrants/2003_minigrant_application.pdf

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Title: Grants Program

Sponsor: Coca-Cola Foundation

SYNOPSIS: Support is provided to public and private colleges and universities, elementary and secondary schools, teacher training programs and other educational programs. Applicants must be tax-exempt. The sponsor devotes much of its efforts to partnership in three main areas: higher education; classroom teaching and learning; and global education.

Deadline(s): Open

Contact: Coca-Cola Grants Administration

Tel: 404-676-2568

Program URL: http://www2.coca-cola.com/citizenship/foundation_guidelines.html

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Title: Maintenance of Long Term Behavioral Change

Sponsor: Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research /NIH/DHHS

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor, with the NIH's Office of Disease Prevention, provide support for research projects that examine biopsychosocial processes and test interventions designed to achieve long-term health behavior change and a resource center to provide coordination for this set of research projects.

Deadline(s): 03/11/2003 (letter of intent) & 04/11/2003

Contact: Linda Nebeling

E-mail: nebelinl@mail.nih.gov **Tel:** 301-451-9530

Program URL: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-OB-03-003.html>

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Title: Drug Abuse and HIV Prevention in Youth

Sponsor: National Institute on Drug Abuse/NIH/DHHS

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor provides support for the conduct of research on drug abuse and HIV prevention in youth.

Deadline(s): 03/14/2003 (letter of intent) & 04/14/2003

Contact: Eve E. Reider, Ph.D.

E-mail: ereider@mail.nih.gov **Tel:** 301-402-1719

Program URL: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-03-012.html>

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Title: ATE Centers
Sponsor: Directorate for Education and Human Resources/NSF

SYNOPSIS: The program utilizes comprehensive national or regional resources to provide models and leadership for other projects and acts as clearinghouses for educational materials and methods. It includes cooperative efforts involving two-year colleges, four-year colleges and universities, secondary schools, business, industry, and government. Proposals for centers must clearly articulate a vision of technological education for the future and must describe a workable plan for achieving that vision.

Deadline(s): 04/23/2003 (preliminary) & 10/15/2003
Contact: Dr. Elizabeth J. Teles, Lead Program Director
E-mail: ejteles@nsf.gov **Tel:** 703-292-4643
Program URL: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2003/nsf03523/nsf03523.htm>

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Title: Articulation Partnerships (EHR--DUE)
Sponsor: Directorate for Education and Human Resources/NSF

SYNOPSIS: Support is provided for partnerships between two and four-year colleges and universities to expand two educational pathways: teacher preparation in two-year colleges, and articulation between Associate's Degree and Bachelor's Degree programs. Awards ranging from \$50,000 to \$100,000 will be available, for a maximum of three years.

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Title: ATE Projects (EHR--DUE)
Sponsor: Directorate for Education and Human Resources/NSF

SYNOPSIS: This program promotes improvement in technological education at the undergraduate and secondary school levels by supporting curriculum development; the preparation and professional development of college faculty and secondary school teachers; internships and field experiences for faculty, teachers, and students; and other activities. With an emphasis on two-year colleges, the program focuses on the education of technicians for high-technology fields.

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Title: Centers for Teaching and Learning
Sponsor: Directorate for Education and Human Resources/NSF

SYNOPSIS: This program focuses on on the advanced preparation of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) educators, as well as the establishment of meaningful partnerships among education stakeholders, especially Ph.D. granting institutions, school systems, and informal education performers. \$2 million will be allocated per year per center. Awards will be made for an initial period of five years, and are renewable for an additional five.

Deadline(s): 4/24/2003

Contact: Dr. John Bradley, Section Head

E-mail: jbradley@nsf.gov **Tel:** 703-292-5091

Program URL: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2003/nsf03522/nsf03522.htm>

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Title: Grants Program

Sponsor: First Data Western Union Foundation

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor supports educational, health, and human service programs that improve and enhance the lives of individuals, families and communities most in need. The range of giving is between \$1,000 and \$25,000.

Deadline(s): 6/01/2003, 9/01/2003, & 12/01/2003

Contact: Luella Chavez D'Angelo, Executive Director

Tel: 303-967-6606

Program URL: <http://www.firstdatawesternunion.org/grants/>

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Title: MAMSA \$1,000 Grant

Sponsor: Michigan Association of Middle School Educators

SYNOPSIS: Private funds to promote the development and implementation of ideas and/or programs related to the eight major themes essential to middle schools.

Deadline(s): 6/1/2003

Contact: Dan Reattoir

E-mail: danr@eup.k12.mi.us

Tel: 906-635-6604

Program URL: www.mamse.org/grants.htm

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Title: Educating the Next Generation

Sponsor: Citigroup Foundation

SYNOPSIS: Private funds to improve educational opportunities in low-income communities that will better prepare the next generation for life-long learning and the workforce.

Deadline(s): Ongoing

Contact: Charles V. Raymond

E-mail: citigroupfoundation@citi.com

Tel: 212-780-2035

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Title: Enhancing Education through Technology

Sponsor: Michigan Department of Education Office of Budget, Contracts, and Grants

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to assist school districts in acquiring, maintaining, and effectively using technology to improve student achievement.

Deadline(s): TBA

Contact: Dwight Sinila

E-mail: sinilad@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-1806

Program URL: <http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/megs>

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Title: SMARTER Kids Foundation Technology Grants

Sponsor: SMARTER Kids Foundation

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to assist school districts in acquiring, maintaining, and effectively using technology to improve student achievement.

Deadline(s): 9/30/03

Contact: N/A **E-mail:** info@smarterkids.org

Program URL: www.smarterkids.org

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Title: Morris Hood, Jr., Education Development Program Grants

Sponsor: Michigan Department of Career Development

SYNOPSIS: State funds to target African American, Latino, and Native American students, especially males, who have been historically under-represented in K-12 teacher education programs.

Deadline(s): July 2003

Contact: Rudy Redmond

E-mail: redmondr@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-9700

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Title: Michigan College/University Partnership Grants
Sponsor: Michigan Department of Career Development

SYNOPSIS: State funds to develop a linkage program that increases the number of under-represented minority

students who would transfer from a community college into a baccalaureate program.

Deadline(s): July 2003
Contact: Rudy Redmond
E-mail: redmondr@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-9700

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Title: Individual with Disabilities Education Act
Sponsor: Office of Special Education & Early Intervention Services

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to provide regulatory oversight and/or enhancement of existing programs and services.

Deadline(s): 7/1/2003-6/30/2005
Contact: Linda Domine
E-mail: dominel@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-6309
Program URL: <http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/megs>

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Title: Individual with Disabilities Education Act – Capacity-Building & Improvement Initiatives
Sponsor: Office of Special Education & Early Intervention Services

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to assist the implementation of systems change to improve results for children with disabilities.

Deadline(s): 7/1/2003-6/30/2005
Contact: Linda Domine
E-mail: dominel@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-6309
Program URL: <http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/megs>

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Title: Individual with Disabilities Education Act – Flow-Through Formula Grants
Sponsor: Office of Special Education & Early Intervention Services

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to support instructional programs, services, and materials to students with disabilities who are 3 through 21 years of age.

Deadline(s): 7/1/2003-6/30/2005
Contact: Linda Domine
E-mail: dominel@michigan.gov **Tel:** 517-373-6309
Program URL: <http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/megs>

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Title: Individual with Disabilities Education Act – Preschool Grants
Sponsor: Office of Special Education & Early Intervention Services

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to provide instructional programs, services, and materials to students with disabilities who are 3 to 5 years of age.

Deadline(s): 7/1/2003-6/30/2005
Contact: Linda Domine
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Program URL: <http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/megs>

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Title: Individual with Disabilities Education Act – State Discretionary Program for TMT
Sponsor: Office of Special Education & Early Intervention Services

SYNOPSIS: Federal funds to provide technology, materials, and training for regular and special education teachers serving students with disabilities.

Deadline(s): 7/1/2003-6/30/2005
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