

# **Quakertown Community Education Foundation**

## **Mini-Grant Proposal**

The Quakertown Community Education Foundation is an independent, non-profit, community-based organization formed to build coalitions, mobilize resources, inspire learning, and encourage innovation to create life-long learners. In our community, we want to maximize the achievement of each student, to empower all students to become productive citizens, and enhance their overall learning experience in our Quakertown Community Schools.

QCEF is committed to programs that address the following foundations of education:

- 1) Reflect best teaching practice
- 2) Display creativity
- 3) Encourage participation with parents and the community
- 4) Provide opportunities not typically available to students such as guest speakers
- 5) Inspire students to increase their interest in a topic
- 6) Demonstrate novel use of materials beyond the curriculum
- 7) Use technology to enhance instruction
- 8) Provide students with leadership and competitive opportunities outside the classroom

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Building/Grade(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Info: email** \_\_\_\_\_ **phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Supervisor/Principal:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Requested (maximum of \$500):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Rational** (explain reasons for project/expense; how does it relate to the foundations outlined above?):

**Expected Outcome** (provide a list of goals):

**Target Audience** (include approximate number of students):

**Timeline:**

**What other funding sources have you explored?**

**How will you report back the results?**

**Procedure:** Please submit your proposal to Alice Bishop ([abishop@qcsd.org](mailto:abishop@qcsd.org)). The QCEF Board will vote on all submissions at its next regularly scheduled meeting. The submitter will be advised of the results of the Board's decision within one week of the meeting.

If approved, the submitter should contact QCEF Treasurer and QCSD Finance Director Lynn Routson [lroutson@qcsd.org](mailto:lroutson@qcsd.org) to access the funds.