

ARISE FOUNDATION

Grant Application

The Lee County Schools **ARISE** Foundation is a nonprofit organization designed to enhance the educational opportunities offered each child by the Lee County School System. The primary function of the Lee County **ARISE** Foundation is to raise money from corporations and individuals for the purpose of awarding mini-grant funds to staff members exhibiting excellence in education endeavors.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Grants will be awarded at the Teacher Institute prior to the school year. Each Grant must be used within the school year the grant is awarded. All grant recipients are required to complete a Grant Evaluation Form at the conclusion of the funded program. **The Grant Evaluation Form will be due by the first Friday in May of the school year the grant is awarded.**

Maximum funds for individual or group proposals are limited to **\$500**.

Any funds that cannot be used specifically for the applicant's request should be returned to the **ARISE** Foundation.

There is no limit to the number of proposals an individual can submit for review. However, the number of grants awarded per person, participating either as an individual or in a group, will be limited to a maximum of two (2).

The funds will be allocated for academically related projects. No funds will be allocated for:

- athletic banquets or events
- musical instruments for the band
- athletic or band uniforms
- school building repairs and maintenance
- school office supplies
- personal computers – desktops / laptops

➤ Hardware and / or software may be considered based on the classroom application described

If you have any questions regarding this application or the reviewing process, please contact the ARISE Foundation board at 706-888-6011.

All Grant Applications are due on the 1st Friday in May

Please forward the completed application to: ARISE@lee.k12.al.us

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Part One

Name (If multiple applicants, please identify project leader.)

Phone #

email

Name of School

Position

Project Title

Total Budget Request

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Part Two

One paragraph summary description of your proposed grant:

- 1. What are the educational objectives for this grant?**
- 2. Describe the process you would use in the classroom to achieve these objectives (example lesson plan, etc.).**
- 3. Describe who will participate? Please provide the number of students, their ages and grade levels.**

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Grant Evaluation Form

Completion of this document is required to be eligible for future grants.

Provide summary (one or two paragraph) of the project for which the grant was provided. In the recap of your project, please include following information (you may also send pictures):

- **How was the project successful? If not, why?**
- **Were the objectives met?**
- **How did you measure the projects achievement?**
- **How many students participated in or benefited from this project?**
- **Is this a project you would recommend to another teacher or school?**