



H.O.P.E. Grant Application Form 2014-2015

Completed applications should be submitted along with the H.O.P.E. Grant – Application Detail Form to the H.O.P.E. mailbox (heyworthhope@gmail.com) at least 2 weeks prior to the H.O.P.E. review meeting.

Applicant Name(s): Tony Griffin

Project/Proposal Title: Touchcast

Target Audience: Heyworth Elementary School Community along with 5th and 6th grade RTI and Social Studies students

Number of Students Benefitting:
150 students

School Year: 2016-2017

Total Dollar Amount of Request (note cap of \$750 for individual classroom needs, \$2,500 for grade level or school-wide programs): \$723.75

Applicant Signature(s) & Date:
Anthony R. Griffin

Principal Signature & Date:

B. D. Brown 10.3.16

Director of Technology Signature (if applicable) & Date:

[Signature] 10/4/16

****To Be Completed by H.O.P.E. Exec Board****

Date of H.O.P.E. Review Meeting:

Date Invoice Received:

Approved/Denied (Score):

Date Payment Provided:

Comments:



H.O.P.E. Grant – Application Detail

The goal of H.O.P.E.'s grant program is to enable supplementary financial support to Heyworth Elementary staff for the end benefit of student education/enrichment. The below questions should be completed to provide a more detailed description of the grant request. The application form should not exceed one typed page. Completed applications should be submitted along with the Grant Request Application Form to the H.O.P.E. mailbox (heyworthhope@gmail.com) at least 2 weeks prior to the H.O.P.E. review meeting. Completed applications will be made available to H.O.P.E. Membership prior to the review meeting and copies will be on hand at the meeting for additional review prior to voting.

1. Describe the proposed need/project/program and the objectives it would accomplish.

Every week, we, the students in 5th grade RTI, broadcast through the lobby television our weekly announcements and positive news from around the globe. We have been using the Smartboard and Google Cast when it works. There is new technology called Touchcast where students can bring to life some places that we travel.

Touchcast software is a free web based and downloadable to all students. As I sat at the technology conference that I attended, I could see using this in social studies where students could create progress for both 5th and 6th grade. Students in the 5th grade study American history. They could actually feel like they are a part of real scenes in history. The 6th grade students could actually travel other countries in real time and share their projects.

2. What is the estimated cost of the project/program? Please summarize and attach itemized list.

The major cost would be an IPAD Pro 32 GB \$599.00

Other expenses would be an IRIG Microphone \$58.99

Green screen \$15.88

IPAD Stand \$49.88

Total cost \$723.75

3. Who and how many would benefit from this project/program? What would be the impact on students/staff?

All 5th and 6th grade students would definitely benefit from this project. They would have access to the program and use in both RTI and Social Studies. Students would create the technology, writing, researching, and speaking skills.