



Grand Ridge Elementary

Year Awarded	Grants awarded to Grand Ridge since 2006
2022-23	Explore Our World Through the Lens of Others – Books for all grades to support an inclusive school community
2020-21	Ukuleles for music unit for upper elementary students
2019-20	Flexible Seating options in class to support engagement (i.e. wobble chairs) – three classrooms receiving grants
2018-19	First Grade ABCs: Adventurous Blue-Bot Coding
2017-18	Classroom Robotics: Merging Creativity, Coding, Design and Curriculum
2016-17	Flexible Seating for a Modern Classroom
2013-14	Marimbas for World Music
2012-13	iPads Igniting Math Learning, Engagement and Understanding
2011-12	Take Home Books for Struggling Readers
2010-11	Library Resources for Parents and Professionals
2009-10	Boosting Reading Achievement through Home/School Connection
2007-08	Grand Ridge Learning Garden
2006-07	Enhancing Reading & Language Skills through Playaways

Foundation Funding Provided to All Schools	
<p>Academic Support & Enrichment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Before & after school homework help and academic support at elementary, middle & high schools • Books for the school libraries • Career & Technical Education (CTE) certification support for teachers • Elementary Art: Grade-level lesson plans for Art Docent volunteers • Elementary Literacy: Decodable Books for Kindergarten & 1st Grade Classrooms • Fine Arts program support – Secondary • Great Careers Conference – High School • High School Club Funding – to support student exploration of future career paths • Impact Scholarships – High School • Learning Ally audio book program for any student reading below grade level • Middle School Robotics Club Funding • Special Services professional development funding in literacy decoding & encoding • Teacher Grants – Available to all district staff to fund exploration of new ideas in the classroom 	<p>Basic Needs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food support for hungry students • Nurses Fund – Assisting students with necessities • Testing Scholarships – For students needing financial assistance with Advanced Placement, PSAT, and other test fees • Tools4School – Backpacks filled with school supplies for students in need <p>Community Outreach</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural Bridges multi-language magazine & events - Supporting relationships between families and the School District <p>Social Emotional & Mental Health Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character Strong and WEB (We All Belong) curriculum – Middle Schools • Counselor Training at UW's Forefront Suicide Prevention Program • Equity Funding for staff training in culturally responsive education & communication • High School assemblies • ParentWiser – Support to PTSA Council for parent education speaker series • Sensory Toolkits for Elementary Schools • Youth Mental Health First Aid workshops open to all District staff