Grant FAQ’s

Do I have to be a member of California Coast Credit Union to apply for the Educator Grant?

➢ No. Being a member is definitely encouraged, but not a requirement to apply. Remember, becoming a member is as easy as opening a checking or savings account.

Is there a fee to apply for the Educator Grant?

➢ Nope! The application process is free and does not require a fee.

What type of documentation is required to verify that I am teaching in K-12, public and private schools, community or state college in San Diego or Riverside Counties?

➢ Here's what's required to verify legibility of teaching status:
  ➢ School I.D. card
  ➢ References from the school

Can I apply for multiple Educator Grants annually?

➢ Only one application per educator per year will be accepted. If your application is unsuccessful, you may reapply the following year.

Are support activities or projects outside the STREAM subject categories eligible for the grant?

➢ No. The Educator Grant is only for activities or projects that are STREAM-focused.

Would an improvement on an existing STREAM-related project be eligible to apply?

➢ Possibly! The improvement would need to met the eligibility requirements listed in the criteria for the grant.

When will applicants be notified?

➢ Typically, applicants are notified around late August to mid-September.

If I receive funding in December, when can I reapply?

➢ We ask that grant recipients reapply after one year from receipt of grant funds. Grant cycles typically begin in the first quarter of the calendar year.