

GIFTED STUDENT GRANTS

Purpose:

Gifted Student Grants are intended to assist you, as a gifted student, to excel in an area of interest or achievement.

Grants are typically awarded to help finance:

- an original project which holds promise for the advancement of learning or contributes to a field of endeavor, or
- an instructional opportunity not available in your school district.

Awards:

Individual grants will be awarded in amounts up to \$500. Awards will be announced according to the schedule below.

Eligibility:

You may be eligible by providing evidence of participation in a gifted and talented program and/or activity will continue to participate in it for the duration of the intended project or instructional opportunity. These awards will not be given for post-high schoolwork.

Selection:

The Utah Association for Gifted Education will evaluate your application considering equally your proposal, statement of proposed expenses, commitment, and recommendations. The organization reserves the right to validate evidence submitted by any applicant.

Application:

In addition to the application form below, you must submit:

1. A one-page description of the nature and purpose of the proposal written by the student
2. Budget statement showing proposed expenses
3. Evidence of commitment to purpose: student written autobiographical statements, which include examples of achievement and interest (1 page)
4. Recommendations or letters of support (up to 3).

Grant Deadlines:

October 31, 2010: Grant awarded by Nov. 30

Jan. 31, 2011: Grant awarded by Feb. 28

April 30, 2011: Grant awarded by May 15

Mail your complete application to:

Gifted Student Grants

UAGC

P.O. Box 9332

Salt Lake City, UT 84109-0332

(801) 635-5780

Student's Statement

Student's name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

I hereby apply for a grant to be awarded in March, 2010. In support of this application I am enclosing the required statements and certify them to be true and correct. I understand that if any information submitted is determined to be untrue or incorrect, the Committee may reject the application. I also understand and agree that if I am awarded a grant, I will submit an article describing the program/project for possible publication in a Utah Association for the Gifted or Foundation publication.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Teacher/Mentor's Statement

Name of School: _____ District: _____

Address: _____ Work phone: _____

Teacher's Name: _____ Home phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I agree to serve as a mentor for this student during the period of this project. I will be available to discuss progress with the student and to be contacted by Utah Association for Gifted Education regarding this award.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Statement

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

As this student's parent/guardian I support this application and approve of the proposal.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Check that you have included all necessary support items.

- Description of proposal
- Statement of proposed expenses
- Commitment to purpose
- Recommendation(s)

Questions? Email