



Lakeview Educators Receive Grants from LSEF

We are pleased to announce the recipients of the Fall 2021 grants from Lakeview Schools Educational Foundation. We thank our donors for their financial support to assist educators and students.

Mary Ellen Vanderveer Grant (Fall)

1. Stephanie Baron, Ashleigh Stauffer, and Kelsey Sinclair of Prairieview Elementary received \$376.42 to purchase a color printer to enhance visual learning for Autism Spectrum learners and special education students. The color printer will make materials more visually stimulating to students. Materials would be laminated and stored for later use and follow the students as they are integrated into regular classrooms.
2. Margaret Lincoln, Nick Eckstein, Justin Frantz, Jacob Korinek, and Steve Wichmann received \$600 for educational enrichment for 360 ELA students, focusing on implicit bias, dehumanization, and social justice. Students will read *Night* by Elie Wiesel and attend an interactive real-time virtual presentation by Judy Sima, a professional storyteller and second-generation Holocaust survivor. The project will culminate with the virtual presentation to English classes.

Jean Creech Shear Art Grant

Art teachers Breeze Wattie, Nicole Stanger, Bobbie Mathis, and Candace Knack received \$400 to improve Middle and High School involvement in art programs through participation in local and statewide art competitions. To do this students' work must be presented in a professional way. Student participation in public competitions will help further student success and deeper applications of the core art curriculum. The students will develop a broader understanding of individual cultures in the art world.

Kay and Karl Randels Grant for the Arts

Anne Bernard at Prairieview Elementary, teacher of Young 5/ 4 music students received \$240.27 to purchase a classroom set of buckets and drumsticks for students to use during a drumming unit in music classes. Reading rhythms is the first step to being a fluent music reader. Bucket drumming is an engaging way to teach rhythms and also is a great community building activity. Lessons will be adapted for each grade level according to their ability.