



Silicon Valley Section

Science Educators - Win a 2020 BUBBLE Grant! Up to \$1,000 will be Awarded

Submission Guidelines

For the past ten years, the Silicon Valley Section of the **American Chemical Society** has provided elementary and secondary school educators with the tools they need for science programs. The section is pleased to once again announce a call for proposals from K-12 science teachers to apply for a BUBBLE grant of up to \$1,000 for worthwhile science projects. Grants will be awarded for projects that enhance the teaching of physical, life or earth science. This grant program will consider funding of amounts requested in a proposal, but reserves the right to fund some proposals partially. The grant may not be used for teacher awards or compensation. Qualified uses of the funds are for purchases related to the proposed project such as scientific equipment, instructional materials and/or supplies.



Project Description

The proposals should total no more than two pages (700 words or less) and should include the following items:



- An explanation of the project and/or specific learning activities
- Targeted student population
- Expected outcomes
- Effective evaluation methods to measure achievement
- Grant amount requested (up to \$1,000)
- Specific use of the funds
- Brief description of the school and how this grant would be beneficial including information that demonstrates financial need (200 words or less).
- Contact person for proposal (name, school affiliation, phone, e-mail)

Time Schedule

The annual grant program is open for applications on **May 1**. The deadline for submission of all proposals is **October 31**. The winners will be announced and contacted by e-mail after **December 1**.



Proposal Evaluation

A panel of professional scientists who are members of the American Chemical Society will score all applications on the basis of innovative ideas, plans for implementation and financial need.

Grant Terms and Conditions

Schools must be state accredited and have 50 or more students. Only one application per school is allowed. The grant application must be submitted by an employee of the school who is 18 years of age or older. The winners are encouraged to submit a summary report for dissemination. **All applications must be submitted electronically in either a Word or Adobe PDF file and sent by e-mail to: BUBBLE_Grant@scvacs.org.**