



Notable Recent Grant Awards

Science Models and Equipment

Funding for biology, physics and anatomy and physiology classrooms, including new biology models and additional anatomical structures to assist with learning complex processes; new microscopes to allow fewer students per microscope; and new lab equipment for demonstrating scientific principles.

Band Trailer

Funding provided for an enclosed cargo trailer for the travel and storage of all SME Band instruments.

Columbia Brew Improvements

Funding for an ice machine, microwave, and espresso machine to expand the product offerings and increase efficiency in the student-run coffee shop.

Gym Locks

Funding provided for 300 locks for PE lockers after all existing locks were destroyed when school was shut down for the pandemic.

Business Technology Improvements

Funding to upgrade technology in business classroom including new HDTV and related equipment with the goal of introducing students to real-world conference room environment and collaboration opportunities.

Strength & Conditioning Improvements

Funding provided to the strength and conditioning program & weights classes for the purchase of EliteForm Power Tracker units to provide safe, effective & enhanced training opportunities.

Woodshop Tools

Funding provided for new tools to coincide with the new Woods Lab furniture upgrade, including cordless sanders, circular saws, drills, jigsaws, routers, wood file sets, vices and clamps.

Freelancer Printing

Funding provided to cover printing costs for 200 Freelancer magazines, a student-published magazine that showcases student artists, writers, and musicians.

SRO Office Improvements

Funding provided an Xbox and controllers for the SRO Office to put students at ease in the office and help officers bridge the gap between students and law enforcement.

Theater Improvements

Funding to assist with upgrading the sound system in the SME Auditorium by providing an M1 MacBook Air, iPad, and protective cases for the Theatre Department.

HBCU College Tour

Funding allowed three student clubs to visit Lincoln University, a Historically Black College/University (HBCU) in Jefferson City, by covering cost of bus and lunch for students.

Math Boards

Funding provided for jumbo magnetic dry-erase graphs and unit circles to enhance instruction in math by allowing for a more accurate and visual way to graph, analyze graphs, and deepen students' understanding.

2022 Senior Yard Signs

Funding provided yard signs for every graduating Senior in the Class of 2022.

In the 2021-2022 School Year, The East Fund approved

15 grants worth over **\$115k**