THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF BROOKLINE



INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

DR. JAMES MARINI

BROOKLINE, MASSACHUSETTS 02445

PHONE 617-730-2425

MARY ELLEN NORMEN DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Request for Gift Acceptance

March 11, 2021

The School Department requires specific authorization for acceptance of gifts.

Motion: School Committee Accepts the donations listed below for school department use:

<u>Donor</u>	Recipient	Amount	Reason	Account Number
Brookline High School PTO	Brookline High School	\$897.00	iPad Air with Apple Care & Apple Pencil for the Science Department	3300SEF9-482030 High School Gift Account
Brookline Community Foundation – Lauren Dunne Astley Fund	Brookline Early Education Program (BEEP)	\$750.00	2021 Calendar Year Disbursement	3300SEG2-482030 BEEP Gift Account
Fidelity Charitable	Brookline Adult & Community Education Program (BACE)	\$600.00	Brookline Center for Adult Education Future of You Workshop 2/3 – 3/10	3105SE22-482030 BACE Contributions- Donations
Brookline High School Innovation Fund	Brookline High School	\$161,426.83	Mid-year payment for the FY21 program awards	3221SE94-482010 FY21 Innovation Program

P.O. Box 770001 Cincinnati, OH 45277-0053

SP 01 000265 40981 H 1 ASNGLP BKNFCPBBBCMMN TOWN OF BROOKLINE 333 WASHINGTON ST BROOKLINE, MA 02445-6853

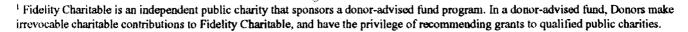
February 08, 2021

Dear Sir or Madam:

We are delighted to provide you with the attached check for \$600.00. This Fidelity Charitable Donor-Advised Fund SM grant was made at the recommendation of the state of th

This grant is made by Fidelity Charitable. Fidelity Charitable's donor recommends the grant be used for the following purpose (which does not constitute a restriction): Use for Brookline Center for Adult Education Future of You Workshop 2/3 - 3/10. This covers the cost of enrolled participants. This grant is to be used exclusively for charitable purposes, and is not made for the purpose of influencing legislation. This grant is also subject to the "Grant Terms" on the next page. If you are unable or unwilling to meet these grant conditions, you must return these funds to Fidelity Charitable.

Should you choose to send a thank-you letter, the donor has requested it be sent to the following address. You should not, however, issue a tax acknowledgement to either the recommending donor(s) or to Fidelity Charitable.



DCC _CEBKNFCPBBBCMMN_BBBBB 20210208

5700

OP=DCCK

Page 1 of 2



115 GREENOUGH ST, BROOKLINE, MA 02445 • T: 617.713.5201 • F: 617.713.5203 • BHSINNOVATIONFUND.ORG

Board of Directors Officers

Ellen Rizika, Chair Maureen Fallon, Vice Chair David Weisner, Treasurer & Clerk

Board Members

Irene Abrams
Ted Arnstein
Helen Cheng
Sara Berkson

Denise Jefferson Casper

Steven Davis Seth Finkelstein Masu Haque-Khan Steven Luby Shibani Sain Rao

Polly Ross Ribatt Lesley Solomon Benjamin Stern

Dawn Tringas

Ex-Officio Members

James Marini, Interim Superintendent Nicole Gittens, Deputy Superintendent Anthony Meyer, BHS Head of School Susan Wolf Ditkoff, School Committee Liaison

Mary Beth Landrum and Louise Shah, Co-Chairs, Board of Overseers Elizabeth Zachos, Director Emerita

Current Grants, School Year 2020-21

Advisory/Hub Brookline Lens Coding @ BHS

COVID-19 Teaching and Learning Response Grant

Experiential Physics (9th Grade)

Active Programs, School Year 2020-21

African American & Latino Scholars Program Arts Infusion Lab BHS Tutorial BHS Writes/Writing Center The Content Reading Initiative Drawing for Understanding in Field Science Engineering by Design

Engineering Innovation & Design EPIC for Seniors: Experiential, Project-based, Innovative Capstone Film as History/History as Film

Global Leadership Academy

Medical Interpretation and Translation

The Mindfulness Initiative

Perspective of a Mathematical Mind

Racial Awareness Seminar Social Justice Leadership

Teachers Mentoring Teachers

January 13, 2021

Mary Ellen Normen
Public Schools of Brookline
333 Washington Street, 5th Floor
Brookline, MA 02445

Dear Mary Ellen,

On behalf of the leadership of the Brookline High School Innovation Fund, I am pleased to remit mid-year payment for FY21 program awards.

Salary Replacement	\$102,954.00
Summer Work	\$58,472.83
Total Due for Sept. 2020 – Jan. 2021	\$161,426.83

This includes payment-in-full for summer work and the multi-department COVID Teaching & Learning Response Grant that helped prepare BHS for the unprecedented change in the educational environment due to the pandemic. The Fund is pleased what we were in a position to address this urgent need and commit to fully fund this request outside of our regular budget approval cycle. Thanks to you and your team for partnering with us and making this extra investment possible during these extraordinary times.

If you have any questions, please contact our office directly at 617-713-5201.

Sincerely,

Stacey Zelbow

Fund Director and Proud BHS Parent

C1455 of 20241



115 GREENOUGH ST, BROOKLINE, MA 02445 • 1 617.713.5201 • BHSINNOVATIONFUND.ORG

Board of Directors Officers

Ellen Rizika, Chair Jill Altshuler, Vice Chair Davìd Weisner, Treasurer & Clerk

Board Members

Irene Abrams
Ted Arnstein
Denise Jefferson Casper
Maureen Fallon
Seth Finkelstein
Masu Haque-Khan
Peter Jacobs
Steven Luby
Scott Mahoney
Faheem Rasool
Polly Ross Ribatt
Lesley Solomon
Benjamin Stern
Winifred Swan
Dawn Tringas

Ex-Officio Members

Ben Lummis, Interim Superintendent Nicole Gittens, Deputy Superintendent Anthony Meyer, BHS Head of School Susan Wolf Ditkoff, School Committee Liaison Stacey Downey and Louise Shah, Co-Chairs, Board of Overseers Elizabeth Zachos. Director Emerita

Current Grants, School Year 2019-20

Advisory/Hub Innovation Fellow Brookline Lens Experiential Physics (9th Grade) Finding Yourself in the Curriculum

Active Programs, School Year 2019-20 African American & Latino Scholars Program

Arts Infusion Lab **BHS Tutorial** BH\$ Writes/Writing Center The Content Reading Initiative Drawing for Understanding in Field Science Engineering by Design Engineering Innovation & Design EPIC for Seniors: Experiential, Project-based, Innovative Capstone Film as History/History as Film Global Leadership Academy Medical Interpretation and Translation The Mindfulness Initiative Perspective of a Mathematical Mind Racial Awareness Seminar Social Justice Leadership

Teachers Mentoring Teachers

June 18, 2020

Ben Lummis, Interim Superintendent Brookline Public Schools 333 Washington Street Brookline, MA 02445

Dear Ben,

On behalf of the leadership of the Brookline High School Innovation Fund, I am

pleased to share with you our FY21 program awards. They are:

1.	Experiential 9th Grade	To rework freshman Physics curriculum to project-based		
	Physics	learning Julia Mangan (.2 FTE)		
		Jennifer Spencer (.2 FTE)		
2. Brookline Lens To		To develop a student-run photo/video production business at		
		BHS Thato Mwosa (.2 FTE)		
		Lori Lynn (.2 FTE)		
3.	Advisory Hub	To restructure Advisory to build student connections and		
		integrate innovative school-wide initiatives		
		Emily McGinnis (.2 FTE)		
		Beau Morimando (.2 FTE)		
4.	Coding Curriculum	To create coding curriculum to be embedded in all math and		
		science classes Tyler Wooley-Brown (.2 FTE)		
		Adam Fried (.2 FTE)		
		Christine Shen (.2 FTE)		
5. Program Liaison To oversee the grant process, guide the exec		To oversee the grant process, guide the execution of pilot		
	programs, and serve as ambassador to the Fund for			
		administration, and the district Astrid Allen (.4 FTE)		

The total to be paid to Brookline Public Schools during school year FY21 is \$211,908. The breakdown of costs per program is as follows:

	1.Physics	2.Lens	3. Hub	4. Coding	5. Prog Liaison	TOTAL
FTE (@ \$93,594) Staffing - school year (salary	0.4	0.4	0.4	.0.6	0.4	2.2 FTEs
replacement)	\$37,438	\$37,438	\$37,438	\$56,157	\$37,438	\$205,908
Stipends (fixed)				\$6,000		\$6,000
Total						\$211,908

In addition, FY21 summer workshops will be funded up to \$67,590 to support the following program activities: Experiential 9th Grade Physics (\$2,079), Brookline Lens (\$462), Advisory Hub (\$4,785), Coding (\$2,079) and Program Liaison (\$3,735); and we will fund a summer COVID Teaching & Learning Response Grant (up to \$54,450).

We understand these are extraordinary times. If these awards require amendment, please contact us to discuss potential alteration of the planned approaches to achieve the best outcomes. Thank you for partnering with us to maximize new investments to keep BHS's academics constantly evolving.

Sincerely,

Stacey

Stacey Zelbow Fund Director and Proud Brookline Parent

		Teacher		
		Leader	Participant	Budget
Teacher name	Program or Grant	l	•	
reacher hame	Program or Grant	(\$38.50/hr)	(\$33/ hr)	Total
Josh Paris (MAT)	Grant- Covid TL Summer	18	25	
Julie Padgett	Grant- Covid TL Summer	42	36	
Craig Friendland	Grant- Covid TL Summer	42	57	
Christine Shen	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Hayley Wells	Grant Covid TL Summer			
Monica Camara	Grant- Covid TL Summer		61	
		× (5)	61	
John Andrews (EN)	Grant- Covid TL Summer	18	15	
Dave Mitchell	Grant- Covid TL Summer	42	48	
Zachary Broken Rope	Grant- Covid TL Summer		90	
Ali Zembruski	Grant- Covid TL Summer		30	
Gaelen Harrington	Grant- Covid TL Summer		18	
Nick Pero	Grant- Covid TL Summer		25	
Ed Wiser (SC)	Grant- Covid TL Summer	18	19	
Julia Mangan	Grant- Covid TL Summer	42	53	
Julia Speyer	Grant- Covid TL Summer		36	
Meaghan Cells	Grant- Covid TL Summer		46	
	C . C . I TI C			
Jen Martin (SS)	Grant- Covid TL Summer	42	48	
Jenny Longmire	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Noah Gronlund-Jacob	Grant- Covid TL Summer		50	
Matt DeGrace	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Elizabeth Buhl	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Agnes Alberola (WL)	Grant- Covid TL Summer	24		
Eli Williams			4.5	
	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Kristina Tobey	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Betsy Davis	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Alisa Conner	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	ļ
Elena Cruz-Lopez	Grant- Covid TL Summer		45	
Rachel Eio	Grant- Covid TL Summer	24	12	
		270	l	
Britt Stevens	Grant- Covid TL Summer		18	
Lisa Francescon	Grant- Covid TL Summer		17	
Jennifer Spencer	Grant- Covid TL Summer	ĺ	8	
	Grant- Covid TL Summer		1117	

10,395
36861
THE THE PARTY

Astrid Allen	Admin- Program Liaison	Admin per diem rate	\$3,7/35,45
Emily McGinnis	Hub Advisory	30	38
Beau Morimando	Hub Advisory	19	
Thato Mwosa	Brookline Lens	6	
Lori Lynn	Brookline Lens	6	
Julia Mangan	Experiential Physics	11.5	
Jennifer Spencer	Experiential Physics	9.5	
Stacy Kissel	Experiential Physics	5.5	
Tyler Brown		7	
Tyler Brown	Coding	17.25	
Adam Fried	Coding	15	
Christine Shen	Coding	20	
Kate Wooley	Coding	8	
Jason Tong	Coding	7	
		161.75	

Account: 3221SE94 -514046

6227.38

1254

7481.38

58,472.83