



**You Can Use
Funding Opportunities as of 10/22/09**

College of Education and Human Development

Program: Laura Bush Foundation for America's Libraries Accepting Applications From School Libraries

Deadline: December 31, 2009

In order to promote a love of reading, the [Laura Bush Foundation for America's Libraries](#) works to provide books to the school libraries and students that most need them. The foundation makes grants of up to \$6,000 each to update, extend, and diversify the book collections of school libraries. All LBF grants are made to individual schools rather than to school districts, county systems, private organizations, foundations, or other entities. LBF gives selection preference to schools in which 90 percent or more of the students receive free or reduced lunches and are likely to have the fewest books at home.

Foundation funds are available only for library books and magazine/serial copies and subscriptions. The Laura Bush Foundation is unable to honor requests for staffing, shelving, furniture, equipment, software, videos, classroom book sets or any kind of book guides, tests, or exams. Only one application per school is allowed per year. Libraries at public and private schools are eligible to apply.

Visit the LBF Web site for complete program information and application instructions. [Link to Complete RFP](#)

Program: Awards and Grants Program
Agency: International Reading Association

CFDA Number:

Next Deadline: Jan 01, 2010

The Association's awards program includes honors for teaching, service to the profession, research, media coverage of reading, and authorship of children's books. Grants support professional development, graduate studies, and research. IRA funds Children's Literature Awards; Professional Development Awards & Grants; Research Awards & Grants; Service Awards; Teachers Awards & Grants & Travel Grants. Various deadlines occur for the different programs offered through IRA.

See <http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx> for details.

Contact: Staff
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Program: AERA Grants Program
Agency: American Educational Research Association

CFDA Number:

Next Deadline: Jan 06, 2010

Supports the development of US education researchers using NCES & NSF data sets for basic, policy & applied research. Programs include: Research Grants (up to \$20,000 for one-year projects, or up to \$35,000 for two-year projects) & Dissertation Grants (up to \$20,000 for one-year projects). Applications accepted 3 times each year. Support is also available for education research conferences intended to break new ground in substantive areas of inquiry, stimulate new lines of study on largely unexplored issues, or develop innovative research methods.

See <http://www.aera.net/grantsprogram/index.html> for details.

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Program: Policy Fellowships

Agency: Society for Research in Child Development

CFDA Number: N/A

Next Deadline: Dec 15, 2009

Supports two fellowship programs for child development researchers. Congressional Fellowships (support for 1 year as an assistant to the staff of a congressional committee); & Executive Branch Fellowships (support in Washington to work directly with federal agencies regarding children & family policies). Fellows must have an interest in impacting the way child development research informs public policy. Eligibility is limited to SRCDD members with a doctoral degree.

See <http://tinyurl.com/59letx> for details.

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Program: National Gardening Association Announces Continuation of Youth Garden Grants Program

Deadline: November 2, 2009

The [National Gardening Association](http://www.nationalgardening.org) has announced that the [Home Depot](http://www.homedepot.com) is returning as the Youth Garden Grants sponsor for 2010. NGA annually awards Youth Garden Grants to schools and community organizations with child-centered garden programs across the United States. Schools, youth groups, community centers, camps, clubs, treatment facilities, and intergenerational groups throughout the United States are eligible. Applicants must plan to garden with at least 15 children between the ages of three and 18 years. Previous Youth Garden Grant winners who wish to reapply may do so, but must wait one year before applying again, and must have significantly expanded their garden programs. For the 2010 grant cycle, 100 grants are available. Five programs will each receive gift cards valued at \$1,000 (a \$500 gift card to the Home Depot and a \$500 gift card to the Gardening with Kids catalog and educational materials from NGA). Ninety-five programs will each receive a \$500 gift card to the Home Depot and educational materials from NGA.

Complete program guidelines are available at the NGA KidsGardening Web site.
See <http://www.kidsgardening.com/YGG.asp> for details.

Program Number: 01600

Title: PPG Industries Foundation Grants Program

Sponsor: PPG Industries Foundation

SYNOPSIS: The sponsor provides support in the areas of (in order of priority) education, human services, culture and arts, and civic and community affairs.

Deadline Open: Yes

Program URL: http://corporateportal.ppg.com/PPG/PPGIndustriesFoundation/Grant_Policies.htm

Award Type(s): Capital Construction/Renovation, General Operating Funds, General Project Outreach

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ELIGIBILITY - Priority is given to applications from organizations dedicated to enhancing the welfare of communities where the sponsor is a resident. An organization must hold a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service identifying it as a 501(c)(3) organization or must be a public school or governmental body.