Educational FOUNDATION
of Lake County

EFLC Grant
Request for Funding

Please complete all sections.

Requester:	Pamela J. Simmons
Project Title:	Stellar Scholars Soar with Technology
School Name:	Umatilla Elementary
Academic Subject:	All
Grade(s):	K-5
Number of Students:	10
Number of Participating Teachers:	1
Amount Requested:	$2143.00

Please provide a detailed budget of how funding will be expended for this project.

Expense Category:	Amount:	Reason:
Program Materials (Consumable)		
Program Materials (Non-Consumable):		
Transportation:		
Program Implementation (not to exceed 10%):		
Other (Please Specify Expense): 10 HP Chromebooks	$2143.00	Provide Chromebooks to students to implement audio textbooks, reading materials, Khan Academy, I Ready, Prodigy, Moby Max, Learning Ally, Generation Genius,, etc.
TOTALS	$2143.00	
In Kind Contributions that benefitted project:		
Project Detail		
Other Funding Sources:		

Program Rationale: (Why is this program important?

These students have limited access to functional technology and are all at least 2 grade levels behind their peers in all subject areas. These students lack the reading skills to demonstrate comprehension; however, they do have listening comprehension strategies and skills. If they were able to access their textbooks and reading material via audio supported websites, they would be able to work on closing the gap between themselves and their peers. If students had this technology at their desks it would ensure that students would be actively engaged as well as providing access to materials and texts to expand their vocabularies and offer alternate learning opportunities.

Program Impact: (How will the teachers and students benefit from this project?)

Students will be enrolled in several learning websites that offer audiobooks, online tutoring, and online lessons and assessments. Our problem is that we have limited access to functional technology. Students would be able to use this technology at their desks and follow along with the teacher in reading assignments, individual student needs, do research, view explanatory videos, experience online learning. In addition, students will have opportunities to type responses as several of our students have fine motor issues that are also hindering their successes.

Program Evaluation Method: (How will you measure teacher and student success?)

Students will be monitored daily on program usage, online quizzes, and lesson completion. Students will begin closing the gap as I Ready scores start meeting typical and stretch growth targets.

Program Timeline: (provide a project start date and completion date)

Stellar Scholars Soar with Technology will begin as soon as Chromebooks are purchased. The hardware will be used until the last week of school. Each student will be assigned a Chromebook and will use it for the academic school year.

Program Approved By: *Dianne Dwyer* or _____

Principal   Assistant Superintendent/Superintendent

(A signature is required for all requests over $2,000.00)

Requesting party has read and agrees with the funding policies of the Educational Foundation.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____ Email: _____

To be completed by foundation staff/board

Program meets Foundation Mission/Funding Policy: Yes   or   No

Director Recommendations: _____

Executive Board Recommendations: _____

_____ Approved   _____ Denied   _____

                                 President Signature   Date