TORRANCE EDUCATION FOUNDATION

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

	Applicant(s)	Grade Level	Est. students	Program/Event	Grant Award	Total to School
Arlington Elementary School	Leah Wolverton, Evalyn Wimberly, JenniferMaclean, Debbie Shintaku, Lisa Fukunaga	TK-5	500	Family STEM Night	$1,000	$1,000
Arnold Elementary School	Kathy Black	1	120	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Darcy Ogata	1	115	Hour of Code	$500	
	Lori Perez	K-5	400-500	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Jennifer Walsh	1	120	Hour of Code	$500	$3,000
Carr Elementary School	Jeanne Coe	K	27	Hour of Code	$500	
	Sherri Nelson	TK-5	300	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Tara O'Brien	3-5	100	Hour of Code	$500	
	Sarah Peterson	K	27	Hour of Code	$500	
	Danielle Uy	TK	24	Hour of Code	$500	$3,000
Edison Elementary School	Barbara Hughes, Hortensia Marquez	K-5	70	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Jayne Okazaki, Christina Pisapia	K-5	500	Hour of Code	$500	$1,500
Fern Elementary School	Susanne Ahola	K-5	400	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Susanne Ahola	K-5	400	Hour of Code	$500	$1,500
Hickory Elementary School	Gayle Bond	3	50	Engineering After-School Club: Recycled Racers - EIE	$500	
	Gayle Bond	3-5	24	Engineering After-School Club: Girls in Engineering Group	$500	
	Heather Fitzgerald	4-5	300	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Cheryl Halvorsen	4-5	20	Engineering After-School Club	$500	
	Leah Legaspi	4	60	Hour of Code	$500	$3,000
John Adams Elementary School	Nicole Dean	TK-5	430	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Nicole Dean	TK-5	430	Hour of Code	$500	$1,500
Lincoln Elementary School	Diane Konishi	4-5	10	Robotics	$1,000	$1,000

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Riviera Elementary School	Barbara Murphy, Keith Musick, Dusty Romeo, Allison Williamson	4	80	Family STEM Night	$1,000	$1,000
Towers Elementary School	Sandi Underwood, Sabrina Holdsworth	3-5	100	Family STEM Night	$1,000	$1,000
Victor Elementary School	Cheri Childers	K-5	375-450	Family STEM Night	$2,000	
	Steve Jennewein	5	156	Family STEM Night	$500	
	Tim Magnus	K-5	900	Family STEM Night	$500	
	April Pages	K-5	900	Family STEM Night	$500	
	Paula Paulson	4-5	200	Family STEM Night	$500	$4,000
Walteria Elementary School	Rebecca Masi	4-5	200	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Brittney Robinson-Porter	K-3	200	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Maria Ruth	4-5	30	Engineering After-School Club	$1,000	$3,000
Wood Elementary School	Zaria Tucker	3	65	Hour of Code	$500	$500
Yukon Elementary School	Jillian Hoffman	2-5	170	Hour of Code	$500	$500

SPECIAL EDUCATION

	Applicant(s)	Grade Level	Est. students	Program/Event	Grant Award	Total to School
TUSD Special ED	Michelle Amundson, Ally Bader	4-9	30	Engineering After-School Club	$500	$500

MIDDLE SCHOOLS

	Applicant(s)	Grade Level	Est. students	Program/Event	Grant Award	Total to School
Bert Lynn Middle School	Patrick Donahue	6-8	200	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Kevin Tambara	6-8	70	Hour of Code	$500	
	Kevin Tambara	7-8	80	Robotics	$1,000	$2,500
Casimir Middle School	Lynette Larson	6-8	400	Family STEM Night	$1,000	$1,000
Hull Middle School	Patty Girgis	6-8	100+	CombatBot competition	$1,500	
	Kristy Mar	6-8	100	Engineering After-school Club	$500	
	Kristy Mar	6-8	700	Family STEM Night	$1,000	$3,000
Jefferson Middle School	Tracy Abe	6-8	320	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Zobeida Merlos	6-8	20	Robotics	$1,000	$2,000

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Madrona Middle School	Sajjad Khan	6-8	20	Math Counts	$500	
	Heather Rocha	6-8	200	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Heather Rocha	6-8	30	Science Olympiad	$1,000	
	Nancy Ton	7-8	50	Engineering After-school Club	$500	
	Nancy Ton	7-8	50	Engineering Event	$500	
	Nancy Ton	7-8	50	Hour of Code	$500	$4,000
Magruder Middle School	Susan Johnson	6-8	120	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Susan Johnson	6-8	10	Math Counts	$500	$1,500
Richardson Middle School	Michael Fujii	6-8	40	Math Counts	$500	
	Joe Petito	6-8	25-30	Robotics	$1,000	
	Waynsford Sheu	6-8	27	Cyber Patriot	$500	$2,000

HIGH SCHOOLS

	Applicant(s)	Grade Level	Est. students	Program/Event	Grant Award	Total to School
North High School	Jay Estabrook	6-12	200	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Rosita Oey	9-12	10-20	Robotics	$1,000	$2,000
South High School	Carol Bonn	9-12	16-20	Stellar Explorers	$500	
	Luminita Denisiu	10-12	50	Family STEM Night	$1,000	
	Michael Rosenberg	9-12	65	Robotics	$1,000	
	Julie Wood	9-12	50	Hour of Code	$500	
	Julie Wood	9-12	65	Cyber Patriot	$500	$3,500
West High School	Jeff Collins	9-12	30	Science Olympiad	$1,000	
	Christy Evans	9-12	25-30	Robotics	$1,000	
	Pero Reyes, Jim Evans	9-12	8-12	Cyber Patriots	$500	$2,500
			10,500			$50,000

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