

The Bethlehem Garden Club's Annual \$1,000 Science Education Grant

The Bethlehem Garden Club has an exciting opportunity for educators, troop leaders, community members and students of grades K-12 in the Town of Bethlehem to apply for a grant of \$1,000. The grant is to be utilized to enhance the environmental science curriculum of the recipient(s). The winning project is expected to be completed by December 31, 2020.

It's not just about gardens! Proposals may include hiring speakers, buying science supplies, improving nature trails or other activities that promote environmental stewardship. More than one educator/troop leader/student/community member per location may apply. Partial grants may be offered based on fund availability.

Please write and submit your proposal using the following guidelines:

- Title Page including project name, educator/troop leader/student/community member submitting the proposal, school/troop/organization/business, grade level and contact information.
- State your goal(s) and objectives for this project.
- Include a budget for supplies and other expected expenditures.
- Include a timeline for receiving of funds. An initial check will be issued for up-front costs and the remainder upon receipt of first report.
- Describe who will benefit from your project and how, i.e. students, community, others.
- Describe how the project will integrate learning among different curriculum areas, i.e. science, geography, math, reading, writing, health, art and music.
- Submit a signed agreement that the recipient will write and supply progress reports and receipts at the half-way point of the project and upon completion of the project.
- Additional comments you would like us to know.
- We invite the recipient(s) to present a short report about their project upon completion. We meet on the first Wednesday of each month at the Bethlehem Public Library. Would you be willing to attend?

Application deadline (by mail or e-mail) is November 26, 2019:

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Grantee will be notified by December 17, 2019.

Questions? Please visit our website at www.bethlehemgardenclubny.org