



2026-27 Mini-Grant Competition for Schools
Deadline to Submit: Friday, May 29, 2026, at 4:30 p.m.
Email to: Ms. Maria Cervantes, District Supervisor, at
MCervantes@dadeschools.net or fax to 305-995-1514

Each school may submit one mini-grant application.

Indicate: North_____ Central_____ South_____
Name of Mini-Grant Project:
Name and Address of School:
Name of Project Manager: Title: Email Address: Telephone Number:
Amount Requested:
This mini-grant application has been reviewed and approved by the school principal to ensure that appropriate school-site support is provided for project implementation and reporting. _____
Principal's Signature _____ Date _____
Curriculum Area
<input type="checkbox"/> Language Arts <input type="checkbox"/> Reading <input type="checkbox"/> Art/Music <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies <input type="checkbox"/> Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Health/P.E. <input type="checkbox"/> Math <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Other_____

Mini-Grant project title and description. [One paragraph]
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Address all of the following items, which are worth a total of 100 points.

- 1. Problem Statement/Evidence of Need** [200 words maximum] **20 points**
Tell us about your students' grade level(s), socio-economic/demographic factors, and academic needs.

- 2. Objectives** [300 words maximum] **20 points**
Describe the project objective(s) and impact on student learning.
Objectives are outcomes that are quantifiable, measurable, and time-specific.

Example: To improve the reading and writing level of students in my third grade Language Arts class by direct access of a tablet as measured by their performance on the iReady Reading Diagnostic Assessment and the Reading and Writing Florida Standards Assessment by a 5% increase.

3. Project Activities [300 words maximum]

20 points

Describe **the activities** proposed to accomplish the objective(s).

The Project Period is July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.

4. Projected Outcomes/Evaluation [300 words maximum]

20 points

What will be the outcomes/changes created by the project?

How will success be measured?

Example: Pre-Test, Post-Test

5. Project Budget

20 points

The total award is \$3,000. Funds will be deposited into the schools bank account and placed by the school treasurer in a Trust Grant Account. Funds can be used for educational materials, equipment, field trips, entrance fees, bus rentals, and supplies. No funds can be used for personnel expenditures. All expenditures must be consistent with applicable Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) policies and procedures.

Name of Item	Qty	Unit Price		Total Amount	
				Mini-Grant	Match/In-kind
Explanation:					
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