

Hazards on the Homefront Mini-Grant Program

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as part of the **Local Hazardous
Waste Management Program
in King County**

Mini-grants up to \$500 are available from the King County Solid Waste Division as part of the Local Hazardous Waste Management Program. King County teachers of grades 4-12 who have completed the Hazards on the Homefront training and are teaching or planning to teach at least three lessons from the guide during the current school year are eligible to apply. Grants are intended to support classroom or school projects related to household hazardous waste.

Mini-Grant Guidelines

The King County Solid Waste Division will fund as many projects as its annual resources allow. Please read the following guidelines thoroughly if you would like to seek funding. All projects must comply with these guidelines.

- Grants of up to \$500 are available. If your proposed budget is more than the mini-grant maximum, indicate how you will obtain the remainder of the money.
- Grants may be used for teacher planning time for conducting an action project, for purchase of materials, for honorariums or speaker fees, for classroom activities or for field trips.
- Grants used for projects that educate others outside of the classroom will be given priority.
- Team teachers may submit individual applications or cooperate on a joint proposal. Only one proposal per person may be submitted.
- By submitting the application, you give permission to the county to share the proposal with others. The proposal will not be returned.
- Each award winner will be responsible for preparing a one-page summary on his/her project. King County may reproduce, compile, and make available these reports to educators on request.

All projects must

- focus on household hazardous products, their proper use and disposal, and/or safer substitutes.
- involve students.
- include adult supervision.
- be completed during the school year.

Selection of Recipients

- Applications will be reviewed on a competitive basis.
- Applications will be processed each month.
- Applicants must agree to submit project summaries by June 10.
- The King County Solid Waste Division reserves the right to approve, deny, or negotiate the scope of any project.

The Hazards on the Homefront Mini-Grant Program is administered by Triangle Associates, Inc. on behalf of the King County Solid Waste Division.

Questions?

Call Jennifer Howell, Triangle Associates, Inc. at 206-583-0655 (ext. 30 for voice mail) or e-mail: jhowell@triangleassociates.com

Please print clearly or type. Applications must be received no later than **May 13**. Only teachers participating in the Hazards on the Homefront program are eligible to apply. Funds must be applied toward an action project related to household hazardous waste.

Mail to: Jennifer Howell, Hazards on the Homefront, Triangle Associates, 811 First Avenue, #255, Seattle, Washington, 98104
OR Fax to: 206-382-0669

Name _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

School _____ District _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Grade Level _____ Subject _____

Grant Amount Requested _____

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Please respond to the following questions.

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What are the objectives of your project?

How will you accomplish your project? Describe key steps.

What product or outcome do you anticipate from this project?

How many students will be involved in this project and how will they be involved?

What other educators, services, resources, or personnel will be involved in the project?

What, if any, permission to conduct the project is necessary and how will you obtain this?

How will you evaluate your project?

Please itemize how funds will be used.

This material will be provided in alternate formats upon request by contacting the King County Solid Waste Division at: 206-296-4466, 1-800-325-6165, ext. 6-4466, TTY Relay: 711, www.metrokc.gov/dnrp/swd