



Mary Lou Anderson Reflections Arts Enhancement Grant

National PTA is happy to continue Mary Lou Anderson's vision of Reflections through the **2019 Mary Lou Anderson Reflections Arts Enhancement Grant!** The grant awards two Local PTAs \$1,000 in matching funds for student-centered programs that increase access to high quality arts learning experiences and new pathways for students to participate in National PTA's Reflections program. In line with Mary Lou Anderson's vision of access to the arts education, this grant opportunity places special emphasis on increasing access among at-risk and underserved students (i.e., children whose environmental, familial, and/or socioeconomic situation may affect their academic success or ability to learn).

A competitive application will demonstrate:

- A commitment to developing new pathways for participation in National PTA's Reflections program and access to high quality arts learning experiences among at-risk students
- An understanding of school community needs and ways to develop an arts education program that will serve at-risk students
- Plans for raising matching grant funds and for utilizing grant funding for arts in education activities

Apply by 11:59 PST on Sunday, June 30, 2019.

Questions? Contact Reflections@PTA.org.

Contact Information

PTA Name: *

PTA ID: *

First Name: *

Last Name: *

Role (PTA president, teacher, principal, Board position, etc.): *

Phone: *

Email: *

School Information

School Name: *

School Mailing Address: *

State

City:

Zip Code:

Total School Enrollment: *

School Level: *

- K-8
- Elementary
- Middle
- High

Title I School: *

- Yes
- No

Percent of Students Receiving Free/Reduced Priced Meals: *

Percent of Students Who Identify As:

American Indian/Alaska Native *

Asian *

Black/African American *

White/Caucasian *

Hispanic/Latino *

Other *

Has Your School Hosted a Reflections Program in the Past? *

- Yes
- No

Project Information

Beyond the demographics already provided, please describe your school community and its needs. Be sure to include information about at-risk students (e.g., academic, social and emotional factors, English Language Learners, students living below the federal poverty line, etc.). (20 pts, 200 word limit) *

Please provide a summary of your project including specific arts education activities and pathways for students to participate in National PTA's Reflections program. Be sure to include details such as: Who is involved and what they will be doing; What students will learn and how student needs will be met; Where the activities will take place; When or how often the activities will take place; How the project and school/community partners will be coordinated. (20 pts, 200 word limit) *

Total number of students expected to participate in activities: (Estimated Participation) *

Expected Project Date(s): (Month/Day/Year) *

Provide a list of project expenses including any in-kind contributions that have a monetary value (e.g. printing, refreshments, art supplies etc.). Indicate which expenses would be paid with grant funds, matching funds and/or in-kind donations. (10 pts, 200 word limit) *

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