

TechMD's Technology Funders 2009

Potential Grant Opportunities for Nonprofits

The following funders give provide funding for technology and computer equipment.

Funder	Type of Funding/Grant Summary	Previous Giving of Note	Contact Information/Deadlines
Alpha Grants	Equipment. Each year, AlphaSmart plans to give a complete classroom solution for one-to-one computing to four U.S. K-12 schools. The solution includes 30 devices in a compact cart for storage and management, along with course software and professional training tailored to meet each school's particular needs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally ▪ Average Grant: \$60,000 in equipment 	Renaissance Learning P.O. Box 8036 Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54495-8036 Attn: AlphaGrants http://www.alphasmart.com/k12/solutions/AlphaGrant.asp Application required (download from Website) DEADLINE: March 14th
Hewlett-Packard	Programs are updated yearly. 2009 Programs to be announced in December of 2008 at Website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Between 2004 and 2008, HP's Technology for Teaching Initiative gave to K-12 public schools nationally, including many schools in Southern California, but none in Orange County 	http://www.hp.com/hpinfo/grants/us/programs/tech_teaching/index.html
Corning Incorporated	Program Development. Offers support to all levels of public	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving primarily in and around communities 	Ms. Karen C. Martin Associate Director

Foundation	education for facility improvement and instructional technology projects for the classroom. In addition supports schools and non-profits in a variety of areas, including Education, Culture, and Community Service.	<p>where Corning has locations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Latest biennial report does not show grants awarded in California. 	<p>Corning Incorporated Foundation MP-BH-07 Corning, New York 14831 <i>E-mail:</i> martinkc@corning.com</p> <p>http://www.corning.com/about_us/corporate_citizenship/community/corning_foundation.aspx</p> <p>For application instructions: http://www.corning.com/about_us/corporate_citizenship/community/foundation_request.aspx</p> <p>Initial Approach: Letter of Inquiry</p>
GTECH After School Advantage	Equipment. Provides non-profits with state-of-the-art, Internet ready computer centers through the After School Advantage program. Also supports bringing technology into K-12 classrooms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally ▪ Have given in California (South San Francisco and Sacramento) 	<p><i>GTECH After School Advantage</i> Attn: Elena Lupinacci Community Relations 55 Technology Way West Greenwich, RI 02817 Via fax: 401.392.7585 Via email: elena.lupinacci@gtech.com http://www.gtech.com/about_gtech/after_school.asp</p> <p>For application instructions: http://www.gtech.com/about_gtech/proposal_guidelines.asp</p> <p>Initial Approach: Proposal</p>
Microsoft Unlimited Potential	Equipment and other technology-related efforts. Through this program Microsoft supports Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally ▪ Have given in Southern California 	<p>Microsoft Corporation Community Affairs c/o Community Affairs 1 Microsoft Way Redmond, WA 98052-6399</p>

	Technology Centers and Community Learning and Digital Learning Curriculums.		<p>Telephone: (425) 706-8185</p> <p>http://www.microsoft.com/About/CorporateCitizenship/US/CommunityInvestment/default.aspx</p> <p>For application instructions: http://www.microsoft.com/About/CorporateCitizenship/US/CommunityInvestment/ApplicationProcess.aspx</p>
National Cristina Foundation	<p>Equipment. The Foundation gives used computer equipment to schools and other organizations who will use it “for purposes related to training, job development, educational programs and other related projects that focus directly on improving the lives of people with disabilities, students at risk, and economically disadvantaged people.”</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>National Cristina Foundation 500 W. Putnam Ave. Greenwich, CT 06830 Telephone: (203) 863-9100</p> <p>http://www.cristina.org/recipient.html</p> <p>Online grant application available at Website</p>

<p>Gateway Computer Foundation</p>	<p>Equipment. Gateway invests in the communities where it is located by providing state-of-the-art technology and technical support to underserved children and schools.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving in two locations: Within a 50-mile radius of Irvine, California and North Sioux City, South Dakota. 	<p>Gateway, Inc. Corporate Giving Program 1403 Gateway Pl. Poway, CA 92064</p> <p>For general information and application instructions: http://www.gateway.com/about/corp_responsibility/giving.php</p>
<p>SCE (Edison International)</p>	<p>Equipment. Edison's Education Grant Program supports applied technology education from middle school through the university level.</p> <p>The program is closed for 2008. Check back in Spring of 2009 for an update or contact Edison.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving in California ▪ Have given in Orange County 	<p>Edison International Corporate Giving Program 2244 Walnut Grove Ave., Ste. 369 Rosemead, CA 91770 Telephone: (626) 302-1212</p> <p>http://www.edison.com/community/default.asp</p>
<p>IBM International Foundation</p>	<p>Program Development. Through various initiatives IBM supports education initiatives that are technologically based and/or inspired.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally ▪ Have given in California 	<p>For local contact information, go to:</p> <p>http://www.ibm.com/ibm/ibmgives/grant/us_addr.shtml</p> <p>http://www.ibm.com/ibm/ibmgives/grant/education/</p> <p>For application instructions: http://www.ibm.com/ibm/ibmgives/grant/grantapp.shtml</p>
<p>Nintendo of America Inc. Corporate</p>	<p>Equipment & General Operating Support. Nintendo</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Support is given on a national basis. 	<p>Nintendo of America Inc. Corporate Giving Program</p>

Giving Program	makes charitable contributions to nonprofit organizations involved with education, health, and human services.		P.O. Box 97035 Redmond, WA 98073 <i>Telephone:</i> (425) 882-2040 http://www.nintendo.com Application not required. Mail a full proposal to company headquarters
Computers for Learning Program	Equipment. A function of the U.S. General Services Administration, the CFL Program transfers excess federal computer equipment to schools and educational non-profits across the country, focusing on those with the greatest need.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	More information and registration and application instructions: https://computersforlearning.gov/cflsys/cflsys/
The William C. Bannerman Foundation	Equipment & Program Development. Focus areas are education, women and children, and the environment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving limited to Los Angeles, California ▪ Average grant is \$10,000 	The William C. Bannerman Foundation 9255 Sunset Blvd., Ste. 400 West Hollywood, CA 90069 Telephone: (310) 273-9933 Contact: Elliot Ponchick, Pres. DEADLINE: October 31st Application form not required. Applicants should submit the following: 1) results expected from proposed grant 2) statement of problem project will address 3) copy of IRS Determination Letter 4) brief history of organization and description of its mission

			5) copy of current year's organizational budget and/or project budget Initial approach: 2-page Letter of Inquiry
The Carol & James Collins Foundation	Equipment, Program Development & General Operating Support. Supports enrichment for children, youth, and families with a focus on the underserved. Education is a focused, particularly after-school programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Giving limited to Southern California Average grant is \$5,000 	<p>The Carol & James Collins Foundation 6101 W. Centinela Ave., Ste. 100 Culver City, CA 90230-6337 <i>Contact:</i> Cathy Hession, Exec. Dir. <i>E-mail:</i> cathy@jamesacollins.com</p> <p>DEADLINES: Mar. 1, Sept. 1, and Dec. 1</p> <p>Initial approach: Letter of Inquiry to above address</p>
Crail-Johnson Foundation	Program Development, Equipment and General Operating Support. Education is a major focus area of the Foundation with giving in numerous areas, including after-school programs, math and science curriculum, and literacy programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Giving solely to organizations in Los Angeles or can show a clear impact for the people of Los Angeles Average grant is \$25,000 	<p>Crail-Johnson Foundation 222 W. 6th St., Ste. 1010 San Pedro, CA 90731-3374 <i>Telephone:</i> (310) 519-7413 <i>Contact:</i> Pat Christopher, Prog. Off. <i>FAX:</i> (310) 519-7221 <i>E-mail:</i> Pat-Christopher@crail-johnson.org</p> <p>DEADLINE: Letters of inquiry are accepted October through December each year for the following year's grant cycle</p> <p>Initial approach: Letter of Inquiry, no more than three pages with organization and project summary, project purpose, needs it meets, amount of request, methods to be employed, and anticipated outcomes. Include a detailed project budget and verification of federal tax-exempt status.</p>

Premier Assistive Technology, Inc.	Equipment & Services. Offers its full suite of accessibility software products to educational and non-profit organizations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>More information and registration and application instructions:</p> <p>http://www.readingmadeez.com/education/grant.html</p>
CyberLearning Matching Grants	Equipment & Services. Provides 95% matching grants to all eligible organizations including schools, colleges, non-profits, workforce development programs, banks, government agencies and corporations. Matching grants may be used to access our 3,000 plus high-quality online courses in IT. In addition, we provide follow up cash grants to the grantees to assist them in implementing holistic CyberLearning or TTCM (Teacher/Mentor-Technology-Courseware-Motivation) solutions that make a difference in the lives of their target populations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>http://www.cyberlearning.org/links/grants.asp</p> <p>Online application form:</p> <p>http://www.cyberlearning.org/links/partner_info_request.asp</p>
Cisco Product Grant Program	Equipment. Cisco makes technology grants bringing their networking solutions to qualifying non-profit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>http://www.cisco.com/web/about/ac48/pgp_home.html</p> <p>Application instructions:</p>

	organizations to help them run more productive and cost-efficient operations.		http://www.cisco.com/web/about/ac48/pg_application.html
Intel Corporation Contributions Program	Program Development, Equipment and General Operating Support. Supports education with a focus on technology. Also provides donations of used computers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally with a focus on areas where Intel has business locations 	<p>Application instructions for used computer donations:</p> <p>http://www.intel.com/community/used_pc.htm</p> <p>General application instructions:</p> <p>http://www.intel.com/community/grant.htm?iid=community_lhn+grant</p>
Union Bank of California	Equipment & Program Development. Supports several areas including community development and education, with one focus being computer education.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving primarily in Southern and Northern California 	<p>https://www.uboc.com/company_information/company_information/community_reinvestment/charitable_contributions/foundation_grants/index.jsp</p> <p>Application instructions:</p> <p>https://www.uboc.com/Images/foundation_guidelines-6-2-08_tcm9-16015.pdf</p>
Acclinet Corporation	Equipment. Provides industry-best Sun servers and workstation equipment to qualifying college students, teachers, and non-profit organizations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>http://www.acclinet.com/tech_grant.asp</p> <p>Online application form:</p> <p>http://www.acclinet.com/tech_grant_app.asp</p>
NEC Foundation of America	Equipment, Services, & Program Development. Under several programs – Universal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>http://www.necfoundation.org/programs/</p> <p>Application instructions:</p>

	Design, Instructional Technology, Raising Awareness, Innovation, and Science and Technology Education, NEC provides grants to support technology related endeavors.		http://www.necfoundation.org/guidelines/guidelines.htm
Magic Johnson Foundation	Equipment & Program Development. Provides grant money to open “empowerment centers” in urban communities with numerous goals of the program related to closing the “digital divide” by providing access to state of the art technology.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	<p>http://www.magicjohnson.com/index.php?foundation/programs/empowerment/centers/</p> <p>Send letters of inquiry to:</p> <p>Magic Johnson Foundation, Inc. 9100 Wilshire Blvd., E. Twr., Ste. 700 Beverly Hills, CA 90212-3401 Telephone: (310) 246-4400 Fax: (310) 246-1106</p>

Adobe Foundation	Equipment & Program Development. Attempts to provide technology resources to underserved individuals and communities through several programs, including software donation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	http://www.adobe.com/aboutadobe/philanthropy/foundation/ Application instructions for Software Donations (see above link for general information): http://www.adobe.com/aboutadobe/philanthropy/software.html
EDS Foundation	Equipment & Program Development. Several programs available including donation of equipment. All programs seek to bridge the digital divide between rich and poor.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	http://www.eds.com/about/community/foundation/ Application instructions: http://www.eds.com/about/community/foundation/applications.aspx
ESA Foundation	Program Development. Supports programs that introduce youth to or develop youth skills in multimedia and technology related endeavors.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	Application instructions: http://www.theesa.com/foundation/application.asp
Flextronics Foundation	Program Development. Supports technical learning through computer based training with a focus on disadvantaged students.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	http://www.flextronics.com/en/Host/Foundation/tabid/120/Default.aspx Application instructions: http://www.flextronics.com/en/Default.aspx?tabid=126
WD Foundation	Program Development. Supports educational programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving primarily in Fremont, Lake Forest, 	http://www.wdc.com/en/company/WDFoundation.asp

	with an emphasis on computing literacy and science discovery.	and San Jose, California	Application instructions: http://www.wdc.com/en/company/grantrquest.asp?language=en
Riordan Foundation	Equipment & Program Development. Through several programs, the foundation provides equipment and technology-related resources to schools and other organizations serving children and youth.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving primarily in Los Angeles, California 	Program and application instructions: http://www.riordanfoundation.org/appsum.html
Rosie's For All Kids Foundation	Program Development. Through several grant programs, the foundation seeks to improve access to education in urban areas. One focus is on equipment upgrades, including computers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	http://www.forallkids.org/site1bd6.html?module=article&pageid=48&identifier=Ovreview For application information, email: grants@forallkids.org
Foundation for Rural Education and Development (FRED)	Equipment & Program Development. Major emphasis placed on providing computers and technology in classrooms of public school located in rural areas.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally in rural areas 	Program and application information: http://www.fred.org/programs.html
Campbell's Soup Labels of Education Program	Equipment. Provides computer equipment to schools in exchange for proofs of purchase from Campbell's products.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Giving Nationally 	http://www.labelsforeducation.com/