



Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund

Grant Application

The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund creates opportunities to make our community a better place to live. The Fund supports educational opportunities that promote health, wellness, and lifelong learning for its residents.

With funding priorities that emphasize educational opportunities and lifelong learning, the Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund aims to distribute \$50,000 per year in grants for the public benefit of the residents of Goodnight Ranch.

Geographical Restriction: Goodnight Ranch Residents

Due date: October 31 annually

If October 31st falls on the weekend, the due date is the Friday before the weekend of October 31st. Late applications will not be reviewed or retained.

Our Grant-making Priorities Include:

Educational Opportunities can be broken into the following categories or can be inclusive of multiple categories:

Lifelong Learning: The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund aims to provide meaningful opportunities for all residents to succeed in life. As such, the Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund offers organizations dedicated to life-long, multigenerational, and adult educational opportunities the chance to apply.

Early Childhood Education: The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund is committed to ensuring its youngest residents are ready to succeed in kindergarten. The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund aims to create a future for young residents who are healthy, happy, and ready to succeed in school and life. The fund accepts applications for innovative early childhood education programs dedicated to success by six.

Youth Enrichment (K through 12): The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund is dedicated to providing comprehensive educational experiences that challenge and inspire young residents of all ages throughout their educational journey. The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund aims to create a long-term pipeline of innovative thinkers that solve some of Austin's most pressing problems. The fund accepts applications for youth enrichment programs with particular emphasis on STEM education and/or service learning.

College Readiness & Mentoring: The Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund is committed to ensuring its high school residents have access to quality college and career preparation programs as well as near-peer mentoring services. The US Department of Education states that young people with access to college readiness and mentoring programs are 2.5 times more likely to succeed in college than their unsupported peers. The fund accepts applications for innovative programs that prepare teen residents for college and career and/or provides mentoring services.



Eligibility Requirements

Organizations Not Eligible for Support

- Organizations that do not serve Goodnight Ranch residents
- Individuals
- Government agencies
- Churches, for religion-based programs
- Fraternal and political organizations
- Athletic institutions

Request Information

Project/Program Name: _____

What is the PRIMARY focus of this request?

- Lifelong Learning
- Early Childhood Education
- Youth Enrichment (K through 12)
- College Readiness & Mentoring

Total Organization Annual Budget: _____

Has the Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund donated to your organization in the past? _____

If yes, what was the amount and date of donation? _____

Do any Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund committee members serve on your board, staff or as advisors to your work? _____



If yes, please list their role and what capacity in which they serve.

If you were referred by a Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund committee member, please enter their name. _____

Proposal Intent

Project Description. Provide a brief description of the program or project for which you seek support, including its overall goal.

Request Amount: _____

What is the total grant amount (in USD) you are requesting from Goodnight Ranch Educational Impact Fund? _____

Total Project Budget: _____

Please attach project budget documents



Please describe your project budget: _____

Goals

What are your goals and objectives of the project and how will these funds make a difference? _____

Where and how is your program administered? _____

Is it delivered through a school/university, after school, at a school, or a work program? _____



Volunteer Opportunities

Please explain your organization's volunteer opportunities. Include any mentoring, skills-based opportunities or annual events where you would like volunteers.

How would you promote this partnership (website, social, press release, etc.)?

Additional Information

Does your organization have any programs focused on improving the environment?

If so, please describe.

Does your project involve partnering with other nonprofits?

If so, please explain and include the names of the other organizations



Supporting Documentation

Final Comments

Demographic Information

Is your organization led by an individual who identifies as BIPOC and/or LGBTQ?

% Of your Board/Leadership/Advisors who identifies as Non-white

% Of Staff Leadership who identifies as Non-White
