



Mary Pope Osborne's Gift of Books

In-Kind Book Donations to USA Title 1 Schools, Teachers, and After-School Programs with Low-Income Students

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Agency Type: Foundation / Corporation

Funding Source: Mary Pope Osborne

Deadline: Ongoing

Conf. Date: 00/00/00

Description: In-kind book donations to USA Title 1 schools and Title 1 school teachers, as well as other schools and after-school programs with low-income students. Through this program, schools are awarded children's books and related educational resources that help get encourage underserved children across the country to read.

This program is designed to use kids' love of Magic Tree House adventures and their identification with Jack and Annie to spark interest in learning across the curriculum and accomplish classroom requirements in creative, meaningful and long-lasting ways.

Magic Tree House books and Fact Trackers are effective teaching tools for Kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th grade levels as well as Special Education classrooms. Keep in mind, books may be shared among the classrooms within your school.

Proposals will be evaluated by a committee of educators, and grants will be awarded to the schools with the most creative and meaningful initiatives. The funding source especially loves to hear how Magic Tree House books and Fact Trackers will be used across the curriculum in your classroom.

Full Description:

Eligibility:

- See RFP and/or Grant Guidelines for full eligibility

Additional Eligibility Criteria:

In order to qualify for a Gift of Books, your school must meet a few simple requirements:

- Applicant should be a Title 1 school or writing on behalf of a Title 1 school. If not a Title 1 school, applicant must give an explanation of the school's need for the books, citing percentage of free and reduced lunches or other qualification for low income status.
- After-school programs may submit proposals. Please include a description of the program and statement of low-income status.
- Schools will be eligible to receive books once every two years. Schools may request books for multiple classrooms within the school. Also, more than one teacher per Title 1 school may apply for a grant.

Grants will be awarded to Title 1 eligible school teachers only.

Pre-Application Information: Proposals will be accepted between September 15th, 2019 and April 30th, 2020.

Please allow 3-5 weeks for a reply.

Winning schools will be notified via e-mail by a Gift of Books representative with their grant amount and instructions on how to register and obtain their Magic Tree House books through First Book, a non-profit organization providing access to new books for children in need.

Contact Information: Before starting your grant application, please review the funding source's website listed below for updates/changes/addendums/conferences/LOIs.

Apply online: <https://www.mthclassroomadventures.org/gift-books/gift-books-proposal-form>

Porchworthy Productions
PO Box 51875
Indian Orchard, MA 01151
Attn: MPO Classroom Adventures

URL for Full Text (RFP): <https://www.mthclassroomadventures.org/gift-books>

Geographic Focus:

USA: Alabama; Alaska; Arizona; Arkansas; California; Colorado; Connecticut; Delaware; Florida; Georgia; Hawaii; Idaho; Illinois; Indiana; Iowa; Kansas; Kentucky; Louisiana; Maine; Maryland; Massachusetts; Michigan; Minnesota; Mississippi; Missouri; Montana; Nebraska; Nevada; New Hampshire; New Jersey; New Mexico; New York City; New York; North Carolina; North Dakota; Ohio; Oklahoma; Oregon; Pennsylvania; Rhode Island; South Carolina; South Dakota; Tennessee; Texas; Utah; Vermont; Virginia; Washington, DC; Washington; West Virginia; Wisconsin; Wyoming;

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