

## District 88 Foundation mini-grant/grant recipients

### 2013-14:

#### Addison Trail:

- Itzel Carranza, Chris Grice, Matt Bauers and Jason Bugajsky: “Bridging the Gap”
- Terri Grams and John Turner: “Rain Garden”
- Hannah Sutton and Don Miller: “Loaner Personal Devices for Interactive Formative Assessments”
- Laura Grunschel and Alex Holod: “Building Futures in Theatre ... an app for that!”
- Andrea Stawieri: “Hydroponics”
- Rose Janusz: “Kindle You Can!”

#### Willowbrook:

- Barbara Willson, Colleen Smith, Kathy Lipowski and Megan Derricott: “Kindle for the Classroom”
- Jamie Gourley and Tiffany Lamberty: “Using iPods, audio books and literacy strategies to improve reading skills”
- Jan Bobek: “Bow Hold Buddies”
- Erik Engel and Lourdes Pina: “Motivating Latino Males to Graduate High School”
- Rose Janusz: “Kindle You Can!”

### 2014-15:

#### Addison Trail:

- Amy Murphy, Jennifer Kowalski and Lija Marzec: All Eyes on Cooking
- Andrea Stawieri: Greenhouse irrigation
- Kirsten Olson: Math supplement online support
- Sheila Wojcik: Math supplement online support
- Theresa Wilson: Math supplement online support
- Keith Santini: Auto 3 Students EPA 609 Certification
- Theresa Marzullo: Medical Careers Vital Signs and Assessment
- Rose Janusz: Books Without Borders

#### Willowbrook:

- Amy Peppi: Accelerating Foundational Math
- Jan Bobek and Karyn Wolcott: Turn the Beat Around
- Jan Bobek: Name that Tone
- Barb Willson, Kathy Lipowski and Colleen Smith: Kindle for the Classroom for ELLs
- Barb Willson, Jamie Gourley, Kathy Lipowski and Colleen Smith: Kindle for the Classroom 2
- Jamie Gourley and Tiffany Lamberty: Inquiry-based Reading Instruction
- Joshua Zwart: A Raspberry Pi-based Photo Booth
- Rose Janusz: Books Without Borders
- Erik Engel: MENTORS Lunch Groups
- Erik Engel: iPad, iMovie, iRead and iWrite

## **2015-16:**

### **Addison Trail:**

- Megan Salgado: Shakespeare Alive!
- Anna Jakubka and Alex Holod: Putting Tech in Technical Theatre!
- Kira Bonk: AP Physics Cardboard Regatta
- Chris Grice: Pear Deck – Interactive Classroom
- Nadia Gomez-Moran: ACHIEVE – Chicago Voyagers
- Itzel Carranza: Graphing calculators for ESL math
- Keith Santini: EPA 609 license

### **Willowbrook:**

- Chris Dunk: iPad use for automotive technology
- Amy Nowak: The Art of Plating: Be Our Guest
- Erik Engel: MENTORS Lunch Groups Food Lure
- Joshua Zwart: Printing a Prosthetic Hand Through E-Nable
- Sara Courington: Ladies Lunch Groups Food/Activities

## **2016-17:**

### **Addison Trail:**

- Christopher Grice: Remarkable and Paper Tablet
- Sheila Wojcik: Classroom Set of Calculators
- Ashley Lupo: Classroom Set of Calculators
- Math Department: Graphing calculators
- Keith Santini: EPA 609 Certification
- Rose Janusz: Inspiration Station
- Kirsten Olson: Breakout/escape room problem solving

### **Willowbrook:**

- Amy Nowak, Staci Scapardine and Mary Barney: Let's Change It Up!
- Chris Dunk and Mary Barney: EPA 609 certification
- Jamie Gourley: Fidgets for Focus
- Mike Warren, John Fouser, Ben Fenske and Yvonne Tsagalis: WB Science Olympiad and Department Robotics Mini-Grant
- Josh Zwart: Applying the Engineering Design Process to Build Better Fidgets
- Rose Janusz: Inspiration Station
- Nick Hildreth: Willy's Sensory Villa

### **District Office:**

- Christine DiRienzo, Marilia DiSilva, Dana South, Gia Petrilli, Julie Mahnke and Sarah Savaiano: Students Transitioning and Reaching Success (S.T.A.R.S. 88)

## **2017-18:**

### **Addison Trail:**

- Jack Andrews, Lauren Ross and Nadia Gomez-Moran: BRC Chicago Voyagers 18-19

- LeVonne Cescolini-Boyer: Close Up Scholarship
- Christopher A. Grice: Rocketbook Everlast Notebook – SPED
- Math Department: Graphing calculators
- Rose Janusz: Insta\*Library

**Willowbrook:**

- Courtney Vala: GoPro HERO5 Black
- Eastman Tiu: Technology updates in physics
- Rose Janusz: Insta\*Library
- Courtney Vala, Mary Barney, Kevin Quinn, Josh Zwart: iPad Pro
- Math Department: Graphing calculators

**2018-19:**

**Addison Trail:**

- Christopher Grice: Bridges Physics Concepts – Lab Activities
- Anthony Beltrano: Scientific Periodic Table Showboard
- Jack Andrews and Nadia Gomez-Moran: BRC Chicago Voyagers 19-20
- Keith Santini: Snap Circuits
- Kira Bonk: 5th Annual Cardboard Regatta

**Willowbrook:**

- Yvonne Tsagalis: Scientific Periodic Table Showboard
- Courtney Vala and Mary Barney: Instant Printer
- Courtney Vala, Kevin Quinn and Mary Barney: Imprinter
- John Epple and Eleni Sianis: Art Department Camera
- Scott Forcash and Lourdes Pina: Mentimeter: Interactive Presentation Software

**2022-23:**

**Addison Trail:**

- Addison Trail English Department: Amplifying Voices
- Dena Zarou and Alexandra Parker: PCR Amplification of DNA
- Kira Bonk: 3-D printer for Engineering class
- Rose Janusz: Your Future: Exploring the Possibilities

**Willowbrook:**

- Kimberly Mikesell: Inclusion 3-D prints
- Erik Engel: Warrior Award iPad
- Rose Janusz: Your Future: Exploring the Possibilities

**2023-24:**

**Addison Trail:**

- Jeff Nellessen: Audio Interfaces for Music Production
- Amanda Robles, Enza Spilotro, Laura Calo, Nilay Woodbury, Tom Bendicson, Sergio Nunez, Osvaldo Rodriguez: Cultural Comparisons: Enriching Language Learning Through Hands-On Experiences

### **Willowbrook:**

- Charlie Hoehn, Ed Sullivan and Nick Beausoleil: Media Production Team
- Jan Bobek: Strung Out for Mariachi
- Jan Bobek, Allan Rendak, Linda Radtke: Studio 1250 at the Brook

### **2024-25:**

#### **Addison Trail:**

- Alex Stombres: Laying the foundation for mariachi musicians
- Amanda Robles, Enza Spilotro, Laura Calo, Macy Sherwood: Cultural Comparisons: A Taste of Culture Through Language and Authentic Experiences
- Anna McSweeney, Maria Ramon, Alex Holod: Enriching Theatrical Production Through Advanced 3D Printing Technology
- Janin Huerta: Making Connections Through Cultural Enrichment
- Patrick Glazik: Podcast Palooza
- Eleni Sianis, Maria Ramon: Ipads for Art
- Veronica Noyola and Esther Delgado: ATHS Ballet Folklorico-Costumes
- Jessica Clark: Camera Upgrade and Accessibility
- William Jones: 2025 JROTC Robotics Summer Camp and 2025-26 SY Robotics

### **Willowbrook:**

- Mary Barney, Courtney Vala: GoPro Hero13
- Katie Strand-Carroll: Cultural field trips: Providing first-hand immersion experience to language learners
- Ryan Bazon and Brian Chelmecki: Mathematics in Construction
- Belford Hernandez: Choir Folders
- Belford Hernandez: Replacing outdated digital pianos for the Piano Lab