



**2022-2023 EPSF Classroom Grant Program- Westridge Elementary School Grants**

| School  | Grant Name  | Description   | Requestor       | Grade | Amount          |
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| Westridge Elementary                                      | <u>Leveled Literacy Intervention Program Green</u>  | The Fountas & Pinnell Leveled Literacy Intervention Is a powerful, short-term intervention, that provides daily, intensive, small-group instruction, which supplements classroom literacy teaching. LLI turns struggling readers into successful readers with engaging leveled books and fast-paced, systematically designed lessons. The LLI system can be used by classroom teachers, Reading Specialists, Special Education teachers and ELL teachers who are looking for a systematic approach to reading outside of the reading curriculum. The LLI Green kit provides a range of high-quality, high-interest books (levels A-K) for students to read while receiving explicit, direct instruction to help develop and strengthen reading strategies that can then be carried over into the classroom in all subject areas. This grant will benefit students by developing engaged, enthusiastic readers while growing in the areas of reading and comprehension strategies. The LLI systems are designed to: Advance the literacy learning of students not meeting grade-level expectations in reading Deepen and expand comprehension with close reading Elevate the expertise of teachers Increase reading volume by engaging students in large amounts of successful daily reading Increase student engagement with books that build knowledge Intervene with small groups of struggling readers to maximize growth Meet the needs of struggling readers Monitor student progress. | Laura Davidson  | K-2nd | \$ 3,979        |
| Westridge Elementary                                      | <u>2 set each of Levels 6-36 (40 Readers, 90 stories) Bob Books BIG Complete Learning Set   9 Book Sets + 3 Workbooks</u> | Purchasing Sondag and Bob books (Sound Partners Intervention) will help develop students basic reading knowledge. Both intervention resources will be used for the reading specialist and resources teachers at Westridge. These resources will also be shared as needed to support students in their foundational reading skills. Sondag is an important intervention used at the elementary and middle school level. Students from grades K-5th grade are using this intervention to help support basic reading foundations. These books would help these students make connections from the Sondag intervention to transferring their practice to real-life applications. The Sondag System 1 readers were created to align with the scope and sequence of Sondag System 1. Illustrated stories cover reading levels 6 through 10 and help students practice comprehension, leading to accurate, fluent decoding. Reading levels 11-36 feature 3 controlled-text, chapter-format stories that build fluency, vocabulary and comprehension. Each Reader Includes teacher tips and strategies to check for comprehension. These books are critical for better student academic success in the area of basic reading, reading fluency, and comprehension skills. These are the best books to teach children to read by sounding out the letters. In addition, purchasing sound partners (Bob books), each story is very short so they can feel like they accomplished reading.              | Charlee Bierman | K-5th | \$ 1,016        |
| <b>TOTAL WESTRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CLASSROOM GRANTS</b> |   |   |                 |       | <b>\$ 4,995</b> |