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# SMYA YOUTH GRANT

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The SMYA supports and encourages special projects, initiatives and student conferences. Because of this, SMYA has established a grant fund, which will allow our organization to support such ventures. Money will be awarded in two installments. Fifty percent of the grant will be paid up front while the remaining fifty percent will be awarded on submission of a written report that can be published in *In the Middle*, the SMYA journal. Applications should show how the project, initiative, or conference would enhance the education of the middle level students involved. Priority will be given to those applicants which are organized by students, for students, or that go beyond regular classroom excursions/trips.

1. Applications for funds must be made BEFORE the project, initiative, or conference takes place AND before an SMYA executive meeting. The deadlines for consideration at an executive meeting are:
  - a. April 30
  - b. June 30
  - c. December 30
2. Applicants must fill in the following form and include a half to one-page summary or outline of the project, initiative, or conference on a separate piece of paper.
3. Applicants must be SMYA members.
4. Funds for grants will be set aside by the executive in the annual budget.
5. The maximum amount available for grants is \$1000 per year. Amounts awarded are at the discretion of the SMYA executive.
6. All special projects receiving the initial SMYA financial support will be required to provide SMYA with a written report suitable for publication in the SMYA journal in order to receive their second installment.

# Application for Financial Assistance for SMYA Youth Grant



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**Deadlines for applications are June 30, December 30, and April 30**

<b>School Name/Group Name</b>	
<b>School Address</b>	
<b>School Phone Number</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>
<b>Teacher Contact</b>	
<b>Type of Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Location</b>	
<b>Number of Participants</b>	<b>For Students and/or Teachers</b>
<b>Anticipated Costs</b>	<b>Source of Funding</b>
Food	Amount
Speakers	Source
Accommodation	
Travel	
Other (specify)	
Total	
<b>Outline of Event</b> Please include a brief description of the project including rationale for the project, format and anticipated activities.	
Do you have an active SMYA membership? Have you received SMYA funding before? Are you willing to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Provide a report suitable for publication in the SMYA journal?</li> <li>b) Make a presentation at our Annual Conference?</li> </ul> Please provide any additional information that will assist us in processing your request and attach it to the form.	