

Federal Programs and Grants Administration
John Johnson II, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE PILLSBURY COMPANY FOUNDATION FOR FUNDING THE "HANDS-ON TEAMS IN SCIENCE" PROJECT AT ERNEST R GRAHAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, APRIL 5, 1999 – APRIL 9, 2000

**STRATEGIC PLANNING GOALS: II - STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT/PREPARATION FOR POST-SECONDARY EXPERIENCES
III - READING/LANGUAGE ARTS**

Ernest R Graham Elementary School has been awarded a grant from The Pillsbury Company Foundation. The "Hands-on Teams" in Science" (HOTS) Project is designed to increase scientific knowledge, writing fluency and reading comprehension skills. Participation in this project will provide at-risk students with the opportunity to practice extensive hands-on experiences in science and mathematics. Students from Barbara Goleman Senior High School will serve as mentors and facilitate the hands-on science activities.

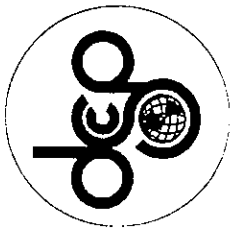
All schools were invited to apply for this grant opportunity via the Federal Programs and Grants Administration web page.

Funds in the amount of \$6,000 will provide supplies, equipment, professional development, and educational field trips.

No local funds are required.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to:

1. accept a grant award from The Pillsbury Company Foundation, in the amount of \$6,000, for funding the "Hands-on Teams In Science" Project at Ernest R Graham Elementary School, April 5, 1999 – April 9, 2000; and
2. Financial Affairs to establish appropriations in the amounts approved by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.



THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BUDGET SUMMARY FORM

Yes No Are there any in-kind or matching funds required?
 Entitlement Grant Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT/PROGRAM NAME: Hands-On Teams In Science

Grant Period Beginning April 5, 1999 Ending April 9, 2000
 (Date) (Date)

FUNCTION	Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expense (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES	6,000	900	88	2,800		1,462	750	
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
Pupil Personnel Services								
Instructional Media Services								
Instruction & Curriculum Development								
Instructional Staff Training.....								
Board of Education.....								
General Administration.....	*							*
School Administration								
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction								
Fiscal Services.....								
Food Services								
Central Services.....								
Transportation Services.....								
Operation of Plant.....								
Maintenance of Plant.....								
Community Services								
Debt.....								
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	6,000	900	88	2,800		1,462	750	

* Includes Federal Indirect Costs of

Reviewed By [Signature]
 Division of Budget

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Agenda Item F-3 Board Meeting of June 23, 1999
 (Number) (Date)