

Federal Programs and Grants Administration
John Johnson II, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT TWO GRANT AWARDS FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR FUNDING THE NEW MILLENNIUM HIGH SCHOOLS PROJECTS; PROJECT CYCLE: OCTOBER 2, 2000 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2001

In 1999, the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) issued a Request for Proposals to promote the implementation of the Florida Tech Prep Pathway (FTPP) Certificate Program in ten high schools in the state. William H. Turner Technical Arts High School was one of the centers chosen through a competitive process to receive the New Millennium High Schools grant.

In 2000, the FDOE issued two Requests for Proposals to continue to promote the implementation of the FTPP. The first of the proposals was to promote the implementation of FTPP in ten additional high schools in the state, and the second proposal was to promote continued implementation of FTPP in the initial pilot sites that were selected in 1999. Miami Lakes Educational Center has been selected through a competitive process to receive the New Millennium High Schools grant and William H. Turner Technical Arts High School has been selected to receive the New Millennium High Schools continuation grant.

Graduates who earn the FTPP certificate are well-prepared to continue their education in post secondary institutions, while also possessing skills, knowledge, and attitudes which ensure success in today's technologically competitive workforce. Issuance of the certificate requires attainment of high academic standards in conjunction with career preparation. The latter requisites involve completing an industry-certified technical program and core technology course of study, taking part in a four-year career guidance program, participating in a work-based learning experience, and articulating with post secondary institutions of learning.

Funds granted to Miami Lakes Educational Center, in the amount of \$150,000, will be used for salaries, travel, professional development, instructional materials, supplies, printing, and software. Funds granted to William H. Turner Technical Arts High School, in the amount of \$50,000, will be used for salaries, textbooks, supplies, software, and travel.

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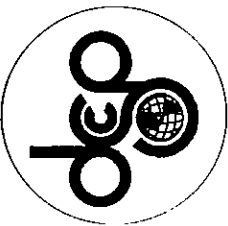
Official notification relative to this grant award was received on January 3, 2001. The budget period for this award allows for the reimbursement of expenditures from October 2, 2000.

No local funds are required.

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

1. accept two grant awards from the Florida Department of Education, in the total amount of \$200,000, for funding the New Millennium High Schools Projects; Project Cycle: October 2, 2000 through June 30, 2001;
2. extend this grant award, at no additional cost, for up to one year, as authorized through official notification from the granting agency, if deemed necessary in order to fully expend the grant award and thus complete the scope of the project; and
3. Financial Affairs to establish appropriations in the amounts approved by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.

RPY:hd



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: New Millennium High Schools

Grant Period Beginning October 2, 2000 Ending June 30, 2001
 (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	5000							
SUPPORT SERVICES:	6100							
Pupil Personnel Services	6200							
Instructional Media Services	6300	73,646	14,096	44,500		5,408	22,350	40,000
Instruction & Curriculum Development	6400							
Instructional Staff Training	7100							
Board of Education	7200	*						*
General Administration	7300							
School Administration	7400							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction	7500							
Fiscal Services	7600							
Food Services	7700							
Central Services	7800							
Transportation Services	7900							
Operation of Plant	8100							
Maintenance of Plant	9100							
Community Services	9200							
Debt								
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	200,000	73,646	14,096	44,500		5,408	22,350	40,000

* Includes Federal Indirect Costs of _____

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Reviewed By *[Signature]*
 Division of Budget

Agenda Item F-2 Board Meeting of January 17, 2001
 (Number) (Date)