

Federal Programs and Grants Administration
John Johnson II, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION EXTENSION SERVICE, FOR FUNDING AN AGRISCIENCE AWARENESS PROGRAM IN PARTNERSHIP WITH FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2000 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2001

Coral Reef Senior High School and William H. Turner Technical Arts High School have been awarded a grant, in the amount of \$30,000, from the United States Department of Agriculture. The purpose of this project is to increase the awareness of Agriscience in eighth through twelfth grade students in the Miami area through educational activities, while strengthening the partnership between the collaborating high school and Florida A&M University.

The project will include an Agricultural Saturday Academy for up to 40 students which will be conducted to increase their knowledge in the fields of agriscience and agribusiness and in the many interdisciplinary careers involved.

Funds in the amount of \$30,000 will be used to provide supplies, equipment, educational field trips, stipends and travel.

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 United States Department of Agriculture under the Cooperative State Research, Educational Extension Service, in the amount of \$30,000, for funding an Agriscience Awareness Program in partnership with Florida A&M University, effective September 1, 2000 through August 31, 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 it is deemed necessary in order to 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.

DK: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: Agriscience Awareness Program

Grant Period Beginning September 1, 2000 Ending August 31, 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	14,773	2,828	7,000			4,469	
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
Pupil Personnel Services	6100							
Instructional Media Services	6200							
Instruction & Curriculum Development	6300							
Instructional Staff Training	6400							
Board of Education	7100							
General Administration	7200	930*						930*
School Administration	7300							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction	7400							
Fiscal Services	7500							
Food Services	7600							
Central Services	7700							
Transportation Services	7800							
Operation of Plant	7900							
Maintenance of Plant	8100							
Community Services	9100							
Debt	9200							
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	30,000	14,773	2,828	7,000			4,469	930

*Includes Federal Indirect Costs of 930

Reviewed By *M. S. [Signature]*
Division of Budget

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Agenda Item F-8 Board Meeting of August 23, 2000
(Number) (Date)