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Hamilton Educational Foundation (HEF) Awards $8,000 in Grants to HTSD

Hamilton, NJ. Teachers in the Hamilton Township School District (HTSD) have been awarded $8,000 in educational grants from the Hamilton Educational Foundation (HEF). Each year, the HEF supports classroom projects through grant funding. Their mission is to assist and provide supplemental assets to HTSD administrators, teachers, and students to enhance their educational experience.

“Congratulations to all of the HEF Grant winners! The HEF Grants are an annual event, and we encourage every teacher to apply. HEF Grant applications can be found on our website at www.hamiltonedfoundation.org,” expressed Debra Von Gonten, HEF President.

The HEF proudly celebrates 26 years of service to the district, having donated more than $430,000 to HTSD through grants, scholarships, and special projects. The HEF recognizes the need to establish mutually beneficial relationships amongst our local business community, political leaders, private citizens, school administrators, teachers, staff, parents, and students. As an independent entity, the HEF is a conduit for public education funding.

“The Hamilton Educational Foundation has always been generous with their teacher grant program. Over the last 26 years, they have donated $430,000 in grants to our faculty and staff. This year was no different. We appreciate them awarding nine grants for a total of $7,995 to faculty across six schools,” stated Dr. Scott Rocco, HTSD Superintendent.

The following HTSD teachers have received grants for the 2022-2023 school year: Wendy Balent, Erin Thein, Mark Pienciak, Matthew Koppenhaver, Stephanie Giunta, Jessica Willever, William Leonardo, Jennifer Barker, and L. Giulia Vallucci.

For more information about the HEF and how you can support their mission, contact: HEF Grant Committee Chair, Angie Belmont via email HamiltonEdFoundation@htsdnj.org.



Photo Attachment:
(pictured left to right) Mark Pienciak, Erin Thein, Giulia Vallucci, Diana Zita, Jennifer Barker, Jessica Willever, Stephanie Giunta, & William Leonardo.

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