

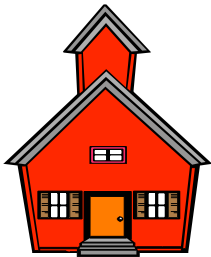
## 2009 FUNDING BULLETIN

# Pinpoint funding opportunities\* to provide your students with high-quality Scholastic Classroom Magazines!

**There is money out there.** You just need to know where to look. Check out the Internet links below so that you can learn what to ask and where to look. **It pays to investigate!**

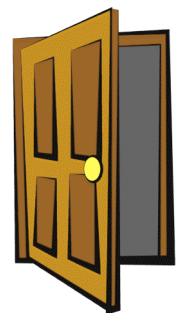


- **Start with The Scholastic Funding Connection:** At [www.scholastic.com/grants](http://www.scholastic.com/grants), you will discover many grant and funding opportunities for K-12 schools matched to **Scholastic Classroom Magazines**, as well as receive support and guidance for all stages of the grant writing process.
- **Learn About Federal Programs:** These sites will help you become familiar with the programs and requirements of federal funding legislation.



- **No Child Left Behind Act of 2001** – Learn about Reading First, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers, and other NCLB grant programs: <http://www.nochildleftbehind.gov/>
- **Discretionary Grant Application Packages** – Evaluate currently open competitions: <http://www.ed.gov/GrantApps/>
- **Grants.gov** – Find and apply for federal government grants: <http://www.grants.gov>
- **Federal Register** – Read about program announcements and application notices: <http://www.ed.gov/news/fedregister/announce/index.html?src=ln>

- **Identify State Programs:** All State Departments of Education make grants available with federal-flow-through funds or state-legislated programs. Learn about these through your state department's Web site, which you can access using the map at this link: <http://teacher.scholastic.com/products/grants/state.htm>
- **Establish a Business Partnership:** Going directly to businesses to form partnerships can be an effective method to gain funds. Learn how to create, implement, and sustain a school-business partnership from **The Council for Corporate & School Partnerships** at [http://www.corpschoolpartners.org/pdf/coke\\_how\\_to\\_guide.pdf](http://www.corpschoolpartners.org/pdf/coke_how_to_guide.pdf).
- **Conduct Fundraising Activities:** While it's important to know about the different grant programs, they are not a means to "fast money." Individual class or school fundraisers may help you accomplish your goals more quickly. Check out **Fund-Raising.com** for a variety of information and ideas: <http://www.fund-raising.com/>.
- **Draw Upon Online Resources:**
  - **Fundsnet Services Online** – Access information about government, corporate, foundation, and other funding for schools: <http://www.fundsnetervices.com/educ01.htm>
  - **GrantsAlert.com** – Access a list of federal, state, corporate, and other grants currently available; a fundraising kit; and a grant writer directory: <http://www.grantsAlert.com/>



For more information about Scholastic Classroom Magazines and how they align to funding opportunities, please call 800-387-1437 or email: [magazineinfo@scholastic.com](mailto:magazineinfo@scholastic.com).

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