**Ohio Collaborative for Educating Remotely & Transforming Education Application**

This fund is to **help achieve equitable high-quality learning remotely**(not through traditional face-to-face/in school). Applications should be clear about of the school’s plan/work for providing this result. It should also specify how our funds will be used as a component to complement the scope of work.

Grants will support work that:

* immediately and effectively addresses inequitable circumstances related to ensuring quality remote learning during the COVID-19 crisis.
* contributes to addressing long-term challenges beyond the pandemic and new, enduring innovations needed to advance our education,

**Only public districts, community schools, networks, consortiums of schools & ESCs are eligible.**

**General Information Section**

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Project title (no more than 35 characters)\*

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Amount requested from OCER\* Typical range expected $50,000-$125,000

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Provide a brief overview of your organization\* 1500 characters

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Ohio County Where Your Organization is Located\*

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Ohio county/counties where students and/or teachers will be served by the Project\*
Check off the county/counties where students and/or teachers will **specifically and directly** be served by the Project.

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Grant use (check one)\*

Multiple classrooms within the school  School-wide Across multiple schools within district
District-wide Across multiple districts Other (if other please describe belowBottom of Form

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If you checked "Other" above, briefly describe 350 characters

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Number of students to be served\*

In order to understand need please list % of total student population in your entire (school, schools, district, districts, or networks) for the following groups:
● Minority students/students of color
● Low-income students
● Medically fragile students and those with low-incidence special needs
● Limited English language proficiency students
● Transient students
● Incarcerated youth
● Homeless students, foster care students, and students in residential treatment programs
Other populations emerging with needs as the crisis unfolds can be described in the need section

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Number of staff to be served\*

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Subject area(s) / Area(s) of focus (check all that apply)\*

Language Arts  Math  Science  Social Studies  Visual / Performing Arts
Technology  World Language  Other

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Other explanation
If you checked "Other" for the response above, briefly describe (i.e. SEL)Bottom of Form

Grade level(s) (check all that apply)\*
**\*\*\*Important information regarding proposals for preschools.**
Funding must be for preschools under the direct responsibility and oversight of the public school district to be eligible for funding.

Public Pre-School\*\*\*  Primary (K-3)  Intermediate (4-5)
Middle School (6-8)  High School (9-12) Bottom of Form

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Complete the contact section below for the project administrator **ONLY IF**the program administrator is different than the contact person listed on your organizational log in page.**If the contact person is the program administrator, skip to the next section.**

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Person administering the project (if different than contact person Position Phone Email

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**Detailed Proposal Section**

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Executive summary\*

Briefly and directly use numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 to specifically describe the following:

1. the problem being solved and/or issue being addressed

2. what will happen in the project/ what will specifically take place

3. the intended result of this specific project / what you will accomplish

4. what you hope to learn from this work that may transform education

5. what you are requesting from the Ohio Collaborative

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Need\*
Explain why the project is important. Include information about the target population(s), why assistance from the Ohio Collaborative is important, and any pertinent information/statistics to demonstrate need.

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Plan of action\*
Provide a clear, detailed description of what will take place.
Use numbers 1, 2, 3, to specifically address how the project will ensure ALL students will:
1. be able to **access equitable learning experiences.**
2. **participate and effectively use** materials, devices and platforms.
3. be **engaged in meaningful learning.**
Projects must take place during the 2020-21 school year. Be sure to provide benchmark dates/deadlines for key project activities. 10000 characters

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Purposeful and targeted partnerships\*
Explain how you have engaged and will continue to engage:
1. parents, teachers, and students
2. other stakeholders in the community 3000 characters

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Address long-term needs beyond the pandemic\*
Explain how the project work will address long-term needs that have been magnified, such as inequities, targeted supports, a whole child approach, learning for mastery, developing voice & agency, etc. How will this work help transform education? 3000 characters

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**Outcomes and Evaluation Section**

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Project outcomes - Changes expected\*
Outcomes may account for access, participation, but MUST account for changed learning outcomes as a result of the project work. What do you want students and/or teachers to learn and do differently?

What do you hope to learn that may transform teaching and learning?

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Evaluation\*
Your evaluation should be structured to evaluate whether you have met the outcomes you described above. How will you evaluate/know if students and/or teachers have learned and used what they've learned to do things differently? How will you assess the work’s contribution to transforming education? 3000 characters

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**Budget and Important Dates Section**

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Total project budget\*
Provide the dollar amount for the entire project budget, all costs combined (not just the amount being requested from the Ohio Collaborative).

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Detailed budget\*
**Please use**  the [**Grant Budget Template**](http://www.mhjf.org/attachments/)by Downloading the Template III form. Once a detailed form is completed, save and use the button below to upload. **Please make sure any upload is in PORTRAIT (vertical) format and on one page widthwise.**

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Project Start Date\*

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Project End Date\*

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**Letters of Endorsement Section**

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Superintendent's letter of endorsement (required for all projects)\*
An endorsement signature from a superintendent on district letterhead must be secured for you to submit your proposal. Upload the letter of endorsement on school district letterhead using the file upload button below.

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Other letters of support endorsement
May upload up to three (not required)

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Applicant's Electronic Signature Top of Form

Authorized Signature\*
By typing in your name below you are indicating that you are either the Head of the Organization or authorized by the Head of the Organization to sign off. The signature indicates the proposal is accurate. It also indicates your organization's understanding and agreement of the Terms of Grant conditions. Name\*

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Title\*

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Date\*