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## NLC Science and Environmental Awareness Project Grants

Since 1993, the Nantucket Land Council has awarded environmental awareness and science project grants to local students and teachers.

The NLC is pleased to announce its eighteenth year of financial assistance to students and teachers in grades K-12 to conduct science and environmental projects. Our goal is to encourage students' understanding of their local environment through direct involvement in project-related activities. Project proposals may be submitted by an individual or team of teachers. High school students, in cooperation with a teacher-mentor who will supervise the project, may also submit proposals. Applications from other educational programs or initiatives will also be considered.

Proposals should be submitted to the office by **Friday October 29, 2010**. Application forms can be found online at [www.nantucketlandcouncil.org](http://www.nantucketlandcouncil.org) under the "Educational Grants" section, or by contact Emily MacKinnon at 508-228-2818.

The Nantucket Land Council has a long history as a supporter of science and environmental awareness in the local community, with this being the 18<sup>th</sup> year of grant distribution. We are especially pleased to be able to offer these grants at a time when school and education budgets are at their tightest. It is our belief that cultivating an appreciation of nature at an early age ensures the legacy of an environmentally-minded community in the future.

Below is a list of past grant recipients and amounts. To date, the NLC has committed over \$50,000.00 to various educational projects.

### FY 2010

**1.Nantucket Lighthouse School (Lizbet Fuller) - \$1,285.00**  
Compact Greenhouse

**2.Nantucket High School (Steve Estabrooks) - \$1,000.00**  
Scallop Science Fair project

**3.Nantucket Homeschool Group (Sunny Daily) - \$139.90**  
Science Curriculum Materials

**4.Small Friends on Nantucket (Thayer Laffey) - \$440.00**  
Science Curriculum Materials

**5.Strong Wings (Chris Getoor) - \$486.26**  
Garden Hoop House and Supplies

**6.Montessori Children's House (Michele Perry) - \$1,178.95**  
Educational Garden

**7.Nantucket Elementary School (Kara Carlson) - \$2,500.00**  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Nature's Classroom Trip

**FY 2009**

**1.Nantucket New School (Matthew Liddle) - \$324.35**  
Wetland Ecology Equipment

**2. Nantucket High School (Steve Estabrooks) - \$1,550.00**  
Scallop Science Fair project

**3.Nantucket Lighthouse School (Lizbet Fuller) – \$2,000.00**  
Science Materials and Supplies

**4. Nantucket New School (Jo Slavitz) - \$236.00**  
Owl Pellet Kit, Landfill Kit

**5.Nantucket Homeschool Group (Sunny Daily) - \$434.00**  
Garden Composting Materials

**6. Small Friends (Bethany Oliver) - \$1,500.00**  
Educational Garden

**7.Strong Wings (Chris Getoor) - \$889.00**  
Educational Garden

**8.Nantucket Elementary School (Janet Brannigan) - \$645.00**  
Ground Water Model

**9.Cyrus Peirce Middle School (Irene Egan) – \$825.55**  
Seiman’s Challenge-Water Quality Testing in Madaket

**10.Cyrus Peirce/Nantucket High School (Suzanne Fronzuto) – \$1,000.00**  
Science Fair

**FY 2008**

**1.Nantucket New School (Matthew Liddle) - \$1,308**  
Six stereo-microscopes

**2.Nantucket High School (Steve Estabrooks) - \$1,150**  
Scallop Science Fair project

**3.Nantucket Elementary School (Michael Girvin) - \$1,200**  
Waders/materials for marine ecology unit

**4.Nantucket Lighthouse School (Lizbet Fuller) - \$1,650**  
Educational organic garden

**5.Nantucket High School (John Bennet) - \$1,000**  
Microtome/histology supplies and equipment

**FY 2007**

**1.Nantucket High School (Matthew Liddle) - \$662**

Water quality test kits

**2.Nantucket High School (Steve Estabrooks) - \$500**

Scallop Science Fair project

**3.Nantucket Elementary School (Mike Girvin) - \$150**

Construction of stream/erosion table

**4.Strong Wings (John Simms) - \$750**

Field equipment

**5.Nantucket New School (Chris Getoor) - \$1,055.46**

Ecology course support

**6.Nantucket Lighthouse School (Lizbet Fuller) - \$1,500**

Marine mammal study and book production