



Lindbergh Elementary School Endowment Makes Grants Possible

The Foundation for Madison's Public Schools' School Endowments provide each school with annual income that is used to fund creative and innovative programs and projects that are not funded within the core school budget. Recently 49 schools were awarded grants totaling \$78,290.

This year Lindbergh Elementary School had \$906.00 in endowment income available to use to make grants for imaginative programs and projects that propel student learning which can't currently be funded through the core school budget.

Our grants committee decided to fund the following projects using the available endowment income:

As a component of our universal support for the PBS program, we will be using the funds to provide items for our students to purchase at our School Store. All Lindbergh students in grades K-5 have a daily opportunity to earn "Lindbergh Bucks" for appropriate behaviors but the items that we currently have in the school store are often not attractive. We will be able to use the grant funds to provide items that are of high interest for specific students rather than just selling whatever we can access.

If you have any questions about the School Endowments, please contact Mary Bartzen at 237-7723 or mbartzen@fmps.org. To donate to our school's endowment, visit the Foundation for Madison's Public Schools' website at www.fmps.org.