



THE GREG JENNINGS FOUNDATION

BE GREAT After School Program Grant Guidelines

2015-2016 Academic Year

BE GREAT After School Program Grant Goal:

The goal of this grant program is to empower and equip youth for greatness by raising the capacity of youth development programs that deliver high quality, learning-centered, after school programming. As a result of our efforts, The Greg Jennings Foundation has invested:

- \$50,000 through the BE GREAT After School Program Grant in the Greater Kalamazoo and Wisconsin communities for the 2012-2013 academic year
- \$50,000 through the BE GREAT After School Program Grant in the Greater Kalamazoo and Minneapolis communities for the 2013-14
- \$50,000 through the BE GREAT After School Program Grant in the Greater Kalamazoo and Minneapolis communities for the 2014-15

We are pleased to continue to extend this opportunity for the fourth year to the Greater Kalamazoo and Minneapolis communities for the 2015-2016 academic year.

Application Process:

The Greg Jennings Foundation is now accepting *online* and *hard-copy* applications for the BE GREAT After School Program Grant.

- **Qualifying Organizations Defined:** Nonprofit youth serving organizations with established After School Programs focused on youth education located in the Greater Kalamazoo and Minneapolis communities.
- **Grant Submission Deadline:** *Friday, August 28, 2015 by 5:00 pm*
- **Grant Committee Review Deadline:** *Friday, September 18, 2015 by 5:00 pm*
- **Grant Notification Deadline:** *Friday, October 2, 2015 by 5:00 pm*



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BE GREAT After School Program Grant Guiding Principles:

For the YOUTH:

Academic Achievement
Maintaining a Healthy Lifestyle
College Readiness
Good Citizenship

For the PROGRAM:

Excellence
Collaboration
Equity & Diversity
Evaluation

PLEASE NOTE: Organizations seeking program funding must submit an *online* or *hard-copy* proposal and complete all five (5) sections that include:

**If additional space is needed, answers to questions must be submitted on official organization letterhead.*

- Section 1:** General Grant Information
- Section 2:** Grant Budget Information
- Section 3:** Grant Narrative Information
- Section 4:** Grant Application Attachments
- Section 5:** Grant Submission Agreement

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