



Oregon Association for the Education of Young Children

Chapter Request For Funds

Summary: Oregon Association for the Education of Young Children (ORAEYC) is seeking innovative ideas to promote its mission. Funded projects will include new and creative approaches to address both the challenges and opportunities outlined in the ORAEYC strategic plan. The goal is to provide funding to support innovative strategies, support and solutions to attract and maintain members. Chapters are considered to be in a unique and influential position to recommend new strategies to address the needs of members and potential members in their community and interest groups.

Innovation implies risk, breaks conventions and has some chance of dramatically changing member expectations. Many innovations come from a deeper level of member understanding.

To be considered for funding, please answer all questions outlined below

Section 1: The Idea and The Issue

- What is your idea?
- What issues or problem does your idea seek to address?
- Does your idea connect with any early childhood state or local initiative?
- How does your project enhance the member experience?

Section 2: Organizational Impact

- What are the strategic implications of this idea? How does it connect with the ORAEYC strategic plan?
- Can your Chapter leverage its network and resources to move this idea forward?
- How might this idea spark passion and engage everyone in the organization in some manner?

Section 3: Funding Request

- How much are you requesting from ORAEYC?
- How much is your Chapter contributing to this project?
- Do you have outside contributors or collaborators?

Section 4: Your Measure of Success

How will you know if your project is successful?

Section 5: Time Line

All projects must be completed within six months from receipt of funding, unless prior approval is given.

Please provide us with a time plan for your project

Section 6: Contact Information

Chapter Name: _____

Project Coordinator: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Comments: