




## IPEI Announces Red and Gold Grants

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The Ithaca Public Education Initiative (IPEI) has awarded the first round of its quarterly Red and Gold Grants for the 2013-14 school year, including one awarded to Beverly J. Martin Elementary School for recess equipment thanks to an application written by a fifth grade student.

Teachers, staff, students and community members may apply for these one-time grants to assist with projects that strengthen and enrich the Ithaca City School District (ICSD) curriculum, have a positive impact on students, and actively engage students.

Twenty-four grants totaling \$10,355 were awarded for projects and programs that will serve more than 1,900 ICSD students.

### **Belle Sherman Elementary:**

Robotics in Kindergarten. Peggy Dolan

### **Beverly J. Martin Elementary:**

Group Recess Equipment. Caitlyn Anderson

Community Enrichment. Kimberly Shank

Response to Intervention Articulation Therapy. Melissa Burns

### **Caroline Elementary:**

1-2-3, What Do I See? Deanna Crossgrove

Bird Study. Daphne Shululu

Ukulele Project. Kathryn Hall

Safe Engaging, Literacy-Rich Classroom Environment. Aileen Grainger

Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports Implementation. Patty Foster

Love Those Letters: Alphabet Museum Boxes. Kathleen Downes

### **Cayuga Heights Elementary and Fall Creek Elementary:**

Alternative Seating Options. Kelda McGurk

### **Enfield Elementary:**

School Art Night. Christine Finnigan

### **Fall Creek Elementary:**

Cornell Synchrotron Transportation Grant. Angela Yantorno and Chris Bell

### **Northeast Elementary:**

Children's Books with Asian American Protagonists. Duane Diviney

Discovering the Iroquois. Terri Stoff

### **Boynton Middle Schools:**

Guest Speaker Ayuen Ajok: a "lost boy of Sudan". Harry Nichols

### **DeWitt Middle School:**

Environmental Awareness Activities Day for 8th graders. Lauren C. VanVleet

Ping Pong: Connecting Kids to College, One Game at a Time. Carol Hoffman

**Ithaca High School:**

Experiencing Composer Brian Balmages. Arthur Carichner

Students Succeed with Science Olympiad. Arti Jewett and Meghan Jordan

Integrated Bike Lock (Locked by VSBA). Vincent Ferrara, Bonnie Powell, Amy Su, and Stephen Feeney

Electric Motorcycle. Anton Volkmann, Wade Engelhart, Marcus Tapia and Noah Benzer-Shuman

Image Searcher. Matt Kehoe, Devon Loehr, Connor Simpson and Eli Young

IceCycle. J. Hamilton, J. Bradburn, J. Whitehead and S. Stromswold

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