

Be a Winner! A Science Teacher's Guide to Writing Successful Grant Proposals

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Summary

In today's cash-strapped schools, more educators find it necessary to master the art of proposal writing to fund innovative initiatives inside and outside the classroom. This grant-writing guide specializes in advice and resources gathered *by* science educators *for* science educators.

Be a Winner! is a handy workbook that walks you step-by-step through the secrets of the grant proposal writing process. You'll learn

- the top 10 reasons to write a grant proposal,
- how to identify and refine ideas for a proposal,
- basic components of every proposal,
- the ins and outs of submitting a proposal, and
- how to manage a funded project.

One chapter even addresses how to use your grant-writing skills to pursue development opportunities, apply for awards, and help your students participate in competitions and pursue internships.

Eight appendixes provide you with writing templates, a grant proposal rubric, science-related grant listings and teaching awards, and more. By the time you complete the book's practice exercises, you'll have just about compiled a complete proposal—and you'll be well on your way to winning the grant-writing game.

Other Resources

- *Professional Learning Communities for Science Teaching: Lessons from Research and Practice* (NST0959)
- *Getting District Results: A Case Study in Implementing PLCs at Work* (SOT3078)
- *Making Teamwork Meaningful: Leading Progress-Driven Collaboration in a PLC at Work* (SOT5287)
- *Becoming a Responsive Science Teacher: Focusing on Student Thinking in Secondary Science* (NST0799)