

2009-2010 Student Scholarship & Classroom Assistance Grant Recipients

Recipients of the 2009-10 Student Scholarships:

Jenny Latham

Kathleen McClure

Kristine Janes

Landon Sparks

Melissa Price

Mitzi Hughey

Phillip Gonzales:



Shelby Richardson
Katherine Stewart

Kelsey Duncan:



Student scholarship winner Kelsey Duncan.

Recipients of the 2009-10 Classroom Assistance Grants:

Sara McCurry is a 4th grade teacher at Burnet Elementary School in Galveston, Texas. Ms. McCurry's school was flooded during Hurricane Ike, resulting in the school losing all of its listening stations. Her grant will go toward purchasing books and CDs for listening stations, which are used to improve students' reading comprehension and fluency.



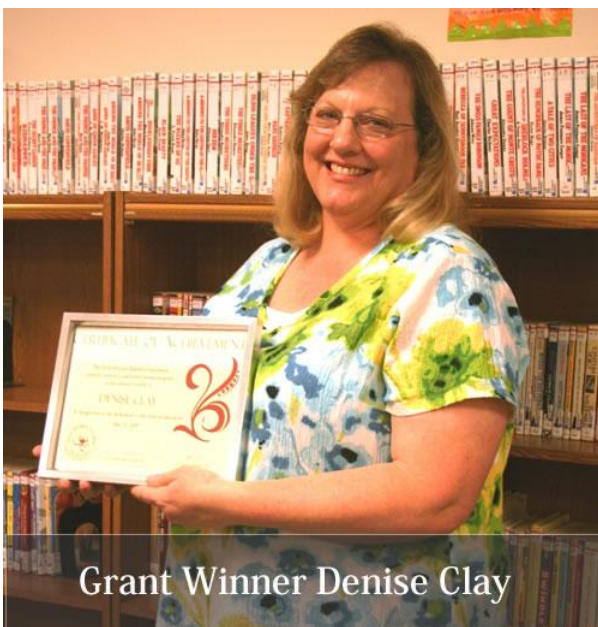
Grant Winner Sara McCurry



Sara McCurry and her
Parker Elementary 4th grade class

Kristi Curtis is a 1st grade teacher at Wheatley Elementary School in Lubbock, Texas. Ms. Curtis is part of a team of teachers including Lesli Boger, Debbie Baudouin, and Sylvia Reina. The team will be using their grant money to purchase copies of the magazines *Scholastic News* and *National Geographic Young Explorer* for every first grade student. These 55 students will expand their learning in areas such as social studies, science, and writing.

Denise Clay is an ESL teacher at Brabham Middle School in Willis, Texas. To help her students master the English language, she will be creating a high interest, multi-reading level library in her classroom. The grant provided by TRTF will help her purchase the books she needs to boost her students' independent reading levels.



Grant Winner Denise Clay

Genevieve Moore works for Norma Krueger Elementary School in Marion, Texas, teaching pre-kindergarteners through second graders. The grant being awarded to Ms. Moore will purchase a mobile science cart, which will contain items such as goggles, hand lenses, rulers, prisms, petri dishes, and thermometers. The materials will enable students to experience science through hands-on activities and ultimately, improve their science TAKS scores.



Congratulations to all award recipients and thank you to everyone who participated by submitting an application. Your dedication and commitment to education is inspiring and greatly valued!