



Jewish Foundation *of* Greater Dayton

THE RESILIENCE SCHOLARSHIP FUND - GRANT APPLICATION

Known for his impeccably monogrammed shirt cuffs (DWK) and his outstanding leadership, **Dan Weckstein** served the **Cincinnati/Dayton** community for 20+ years until he took a medical leave due to a rare form of brain cancer. Dan was a teacher and administrator in the Kings Local SD, Lakota Local SD and most recently served as principal of Oakwood Junior High School in Dayton, Ohio. The resilience and bravery he showed in the face of his cancer inspired the OJH Student Council to fund a scholarship in 2018 to acknowledge students facing similar challenges and to motivate them to live every day with courage. The \$1,000 scholarship, which was awarded in May 2018 was the inspiration for development of **The Resilience Scholarship Fund**.

The Resilience Scholarship Fund was established in 2019 as a legacy initiative in memory of Dan Weckstein. As part of this fund, a **Grant Program** has been established. The purpose of the **Grant Program** is to support the development of grades 7 - 12 student-centered programs that **inspire and promote resilience**. The Fund will award up to **\$1,000/year** per participating school district.

Criteria:

- Programming must support students grades 7-12 in Ohio school districts: Oakwood City School District, Lakota Local School District, or Kings Local School District
- Grant funding may be requested by **JH/SH students or JH/SH staff** grades 7-12.
- Email application to: **theresiliencefund@gmail.com**
- For consideration, complete the electronic form by midnight **October 1** for Fall Grant deadline or midnight **February 1** for Spring Grant deadline.

I have read the above directions and I understand that the application will be evaluated by leadership of The Resilience Scholarship Fund.

Please indicate your school district (check one):

Oakwood City School District

Lakota Local School District

Kings Local School District

Grant Funds Requested:

I. Grant Applicant Information

A. Student Applicant Information

Name:

E-mail:

Phone:

School:

Grade:

B. Staff Applicant Information

Name:

E-mail:

Phone:

School:



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III. Grant Proposal (500 word limit)

Briefly describe your idea and demonstrate how it meets the criteria of a grades 7 - 12 student-centered program that inspires and promotes resilience. Please include details on how the requested funds will be used.



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IV. Optional Information (250 word limit)

Optional: If you would like to provide any additional information you think important to your qualification for the grant please add up to 250 words.

V. Assurances

By checking this box, I, _____ declare that the
information provided on this application is true and accurate.