Britton Deerfield Education Foundation Teacher Mini Grants for 2021/22

This year the Britton Deerfield Education Foundation awarded special teacher mini grants. Four Britton Deerfield teachers were recipients of these grants determined in April. The mini grants are used for extra supplies for the teachers where the school funding is not available. The teachers applied for the grants to the foundation board in March. After review of each application, the teachers were awarded this year's grants totaling $1,800.

This year's teachers and their awards were:

Stephanie Koziol to purchase an IPad to strengthen students Math and Language Arts in an exciting environment. Using age appropriate tools allow the student's opportunities for reflection that can create deeper learning and more meaningful experiences for them.

Glory Nighswander to incorporate flexible seating into the classroom allowing students to rock, lean, bounce or do whatever they feel their bodies need to help focus best. This would include floor cushions, wiggle seats, end tables, fidget bands, wobble chair, and a balance ball chair.

Heidi Fether to purchase buckets and balls for elementary and music appreciation classes to do cardio drumming with Boomwhackers. This is great to get the students moving and improving their social-emotional well being. The list would include curriculum from Drum.fit.

Carol Knoblauch to purchase App Inq-IT for fifty students. The goal is to offer labs using tectonics, forces & motion, and phase changes on virtual simulations to design and conduct their own investigations.