



## Science Grant Scheme Update

Welcome back! We hope you all enjoyed your half term and Jubilee celebrations.

There's now only half a term until the closing date for this year's science grant (although it's always worth contacting us if you have any extenuating circumstances). Applications this year have reached a record number of 176 but there's still time for the rest of you to receive your £550 grant.

For exciting project ideas, resources and help on what to do with your school's grant, try visiting the Edina Trust website, [www.edinatrust.org.uk](http://www.edinatrust.org.uk). This includes:

- More information on projects that schools have planned with their Edina Trust Grant, and
- Other resources for planning your own science event.
- [Request an application form](#) (or any other queries)

I hope to hear from you soon!

Lots of schools this year have been using their grant to carry out exciting science weeks on the theme of the Olympics. These science weeks have included a wide variety of activities, from Carleton Green Primary School's investigations of cycling helmets by looking at the best way to protect an egg from breaking, to Whitechapel Primary School's study of the science of nutrition and the effects of exercise on the body. Science visits have also been used to help back up Olympic-themed work, with visits about healthy bodies and exercise, and even trips to the Olympic stadium!



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All we need to process your application is:

- a detailed cost breakdown of how you will spend the money
- the date of your project—especially for science visits or science weeks
- a project description including what you hope to achieve and how you will embed the experience into the pupils' learning.

### Remember:

- You have until the end of the academic year to submit your application,
- No retrospective applications can be accepted.
- Each primary school in Lancashire will be invited to apply for a science grant each year for three years (with lucky pilot schools receiving the chance of a grant for 4 years).

For any further help applying please contact:

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