

2022-23 Innovative Grants Cycle 1

School	Grant Title	Recipient	Number Impacted	Funding Amount	Description
Colonial Trail Elementary	What's Cooking?	Lee Owen, Michael Price	715	\$2,266	A traveling classroom kitchen will provide authentic learning experiences to improve K-5 math, science, and reading competencies and increase cultural awareness as students make foods from different countries.
Crestview Elementary	Mathporium	Kevin Napier	361	\$6,300	The Crestview Mathporium will create a collaborative space for students to engage in innovative math activities, SOL review, morning math club, and competitions.
Seven Pines Elementary	The Music Lab - Science of Sound Exploration	Mary Catherine Campbell, Chris Moseley	1,069	\$1,300	A 5th grade marimba project will increase hands-on scientific experiences and cross-curricular connections and promote growth in science SOL scores.
Henrico County Gifted Program	Rubik's Cube Lending Library	Shannon Wakefield	16,588	\$12,250	A lending library of Rubik's Cube resources for K-8 HCPS educators will foster student engagement, provide professional development and support

					an equitable and inclusive countywide tournament.
John Rolfe Middle	Reclaiming a Positive School Climate	Jasmine Shepphard, Silvanus Thrower	888	\$10,000	The project directly addresses improved attendance and a positive school climate by utilizing unique incentives that reward students and faculty for displaying quality character and global citizenship.
Tuckahoe Middle	The Power of Moments: Creating Defining Moments to Elevate the Teacher Experience	Amanda Kinsler, Jon Gregori	3,120	\$6,365	Using elements from <i>The Power of</i> <i>Moments</i> , Tuckahoe Middle will create a teacher recognition program that creates "peak moments" to improve teacher retention, improving the student experience as well.
Brookland Middle, Fairfield Middle, Tuckahoe Middle	Middle School eSports Connection	Jon Gregori, Patty Hassan, Nick Lapres, Amanda Kinsler	460	\$8,920	eSports clubs at three middle schools will increase student connection within their school community, improve attendance, wellbeing, and academic performance in math and science, while reducing negative behaviors.
Freeman High	Maverick Scholars	Katie Striker, Kyle McCollum	300	\$16,085	Providing wrap-around support tools for historically underrepresented students enrolled in AP and Dual Enrollment classes, the project will help students navigate post- secondary processes, build a sense of belonging and increase home- school partnerships.

2022-2023 Total Cycle 1 Innovative Grant Funding: \$63,486

Total Number Impacted: 23,501 Students, Teachers and Parents