



2009-2010 GRANT APPLICATION

Wake Forest Area Chamber of Commerce and the Trentini Foundation are proud to once again provide a teacher grants program supporting our local schools. The Trentini Foundation awards up to \$10,000. Chamber awards are determined by fund-raising at the Annual Spelling Bee.

Teachers from the following schools are eligible: Forest Pines, Heritage, Jones Dairy, Rolesville, Sanford Creek, Wake Forest and Wakefield Elementary; Heritage, Wake Forest-Rolesville and Wakefield Middle; Heritage, Wake Forest-Rolesville and Wakefield High; and Franklin Academy. Not all schools are eligible for the Trentini grant, but all teachers need only to fill out this one application.

A joint Chamber-Trentini Grant Committee will determine the winners. Announcement of the winning grants will be made by the end of November and grant winners will be invited to a reception to receive their award. Funding will be awarded immediately.

Grant applications should be completed and mailed by Monday, **November 9th** to:
Wake Forest Area Chamber of Commerce
350 South White Street • Wake Forest, NC 27587

For more information, contact Carolyn Furr: 556-1519 carolyn@wakeforestchamber.org.

This application can also be downloaded from www.wakeforestchamber.org – click on the Teacher Grants page.

Please attach a one-page description of your proposed project to this application. Your proposal must include an itemized list of costs associated with the project, as well as the date(s) it will be enacted. The grant committee will favorably consider the following (it would be helpful to allude to these criteria in your proposal):

- Projects that affect a large number of students
- Enduring projects - material or results used in future years
- Character-building projects
- Creative projects that inspire students
- Projects that enforce basic skills in a fun/creative/imaginative way

The committee will not consider the following proposals:

- Request for payment of teacher/administrative seminars
- Request for basic facility improvements/renovations

Wake Forest Area Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to oversee any grants that are awarded, recognizing such oversight must be compatible with WCPSS policies and procedures. Grant recipients will be required to submit a final review of their project, including summary and financial documentation. Reports are due Friday, April 23rd. As an alternative, Chamber grant winners may, and are encouraged, to do a grant project display at the Annual Banquet in May or June 2010. Trentini grant winners are also requested to do a project display at the group's Annual Banquet in April 2010.

NAME: _____ SCHOOL: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

GRADE: _____ AMOUNT REQUESTED: _____