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Tabled by Chair
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2018-19 SCLF Projects

Grant awarded to community based organizations to provide family and/or community literacy programs in their communities that respond to identified community literacy needs.

Treaty 4 Education Alliance-\$46,650

The objective of the *White Bear Education Complex Intergenerational Initiative* project is to strengthen intergenerational and home-school connections to increase positive outcomes of students; create opportunities for intergenerational learning; build capacity within communities; increase understanding of the important of literacy and provide opportunity to increase literacy levels through participation in programming. (Monthly book club meetings during school year, Mom and Tot reading programs (Oct-June), Story Sack evenings (Oct-June)

Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools-\$50,000

The objectives of the *Family Literacy* project is to increase family engagement in literacy outcomes and improve literacy outcomes for K-3 Indigenous students at St. Frances Cree Bilingual School, and provide a pre-service teacher learning experience focused on community literacy engagement. (Development of culturally appropriate family literacy resources for indigenous families, family literacy events)

Moose Jaw Home Daycare Association-\$4300

The objectives of the *Fun with Stories Together* project are to bring children from home child care centers together 35-40 times per year to enjoy books, rhymes, and stories, support children's literacy and language development through books, songs, rhymes, movement, arts and crafts and conversation, encourage children to develop a love of books, rhymes, songs and stories, and enhance parents and caregivers abilities to support their children's learning and literacy development.

SCEP Centre Society-\$7380

The objective of the *Cultural Literacy Project* is to create opportunities for parents and children to engage in family literacy, encourage the development of lifelong learning, provide opportunities for staff and families to become more culturally aware and encourage children to gain more experience with their first language. (Public Library visits, cultural book bags, culturally themed book blocks, Elder to tell stories at story time sessions, create a Starblanket, purchase books to enhance cultural library, parent information night)

Canoe Lake Cree First Nation-\$50,000

The objective of the Canoe Lake Cree Nation Community Literacy Project is to promote and increase literacy in the Canoe Lake Community. (Celebrate International Literacy day, Establish a magazine rack where the community can sign out and donate magazines, Fall Family Literacy Night, Come Read with

Me event, Create Story Sacks, Open the library 2x per week to increase community member access, Literacy Cultural Camp, two Literacy Carnivals)

Whitecap Dakota First Nation-\$23,000

The objectives of the *CRHES Family Literacy Program* project are to provide families with tools and opportunity to strengthen and support literacy skills, provide some Dakota linguistic and cultural literacy through programming with local elders and increase engagement between parents and the school. (two family literacy camps-August 2018)

Northern Lights School Division #113-Valley View School-\$45,000

The objective of the *Early Years Literacy Support Program* project is to strengthen intergenerational and home-school connections to increase positive outcomes of students; create opportunities for parents to build capacity as their child's first educator by providing them with tools to foster emergent literacy within the home, and increase positive attitudes toward learning and school (Create literacy plans and educational projects to support children who would benefit from additional support; conduct visits in the home to support parents and provide resources , Monthly literacy days,)

Muskoday First Nation Community School-\$16,000

The objective of the *MFNCS Family Literacy Nights* project is to facilitate an interactive approach to partnering with parents and other adult family members to inspire the love of reading in children and enhance community literacy. (Ten family literacy nights for children and families of Muskoday First Nations Community School, Activities to increase family literacy home libraries established)

Radius Community Center for Education and Employment Training-\$28,156

The objective of the *Keys to Cooking* project is to improve the general literacy and numeracy of participants and their families through specific literacy, numeracy and nutritional activities around food literacy.

Moose Jaw and District Chamber of Commerce: Moose Jaw Literacy Network-\$5700

The objective of the *Newcomer Family Literacy Nights* project is to enrich the family literacy experiences of newcomer families by bringing families together to experience activities which will promote language development, foster engagement in the school environment and encourage continued interaction in the home through a take home game and book.

Peepeekisis First Nation-\$45,000

The objective of the *Traditional Mental Health and Wellness Family Literacy* project is to instill the importance of literacy through storytelling, books, language, healthy eating and crafts.

STR8-UP Inc.-\$50,000

The objective of the Family Literacy Project phase 2 is to advance educational and professional development, improve literacy and literacy concepts, increase involvement in ongoing educational opportunities, enhance ability to support participant's children's learning, access literacy based activities for children to improve attitudes toward learning and foster a culture of literacy within the family.

Board of Education of the Northwest School Division #203-Goodsoil Central School-\$3500

The objective of the *Family Literacy Nights for GCS & Community* is for school staff to share strategic reading and writing activities with parents and caregivers. Books will be purchased to send home with students attending to encourage reading and assist with building at home libraries.

Saskatoon Open Door Society-\$9125

The objective of the *SODS Childcare Unit Book and Bagel* project is to provide opportunity to promote literacy for newcomer parents/caregivers and their pre-school children. The project will encourage newcomer parents to read to their child and encourage strong family relationships through story time.