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From: Faculty Research Development Office, Office of the Vice President for Research

Subject: Dollar General Literacy Foundation - Youth Literacy Grants

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The Office of the Vice President for Research is requesting statements of interest for the Dollar General Literacy Foundation Youth Literacy Grant funding opportunity.

Schools, public libraries, and nonprofit organizations who help students that are below grade level, or having trouble reading, are eligible to apply. Grant funding is provided to assist in the following areas:

- Implementing new or expanding existing literacy programs
- Purchasing new technology or equipment to support literacy initiatives
- Purchasing books, materials or software for literacy programs

The maximum amount of each grant is \$4,000. The deadline to apply is May 20, 2021.

Complete details and links to the application portal can be found at:

<https://www.dgliteracy.org/#youth-literacy-grants>.

FAQ's can be found at: <https://www.dgliteracy.org/faqs/>.

This is a limited competition. Each institution is limited to one proposal.

If you are interested in submitting a proposal, please send a statement of interest that includes your name, department, and a brief description (250 words or less) of your proposed project idea, how students will be recruited and selected, and which of the three areas your project will focus on via e-mail to limited@unm.edu by **noon, Friday, April 2, 2021**. Based on the e-mail responses received, the Limited Competition Management Team may announce a call for pre-proposals.

Please distribute this notice to departments and individuals whom you believe would be interested. Information can also be found at http://frdo.unm.edu/limited_competition.

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