

# WHAT DOES A TEACHER MENTOR FOR A SERF STUDENT GRANT APPLICATION NEED TO KNOW?

- ★ We're looking for **students'** ideas in **students'** words to contribute innovation and enrichment to their school communities.
- ★ Students are welcome to submit multiple applications; one application per idea and can either collaborate with others or submit ideas individually.
- ★ One grant per school will be awarded up to \$1,000. Proposed ideas must fit within the budget.
- ★ Applicants may need guidance to identify additional costs to their main idea (e.g. contracts, installation costs, storage, shipping costs for materials, replacement materials, etc.).
- ★ Applicants may need guidance to identify the tasks of the project from start to completion.
- ★ SERF does not fund capital purchases, salaries, travel, lodging, presenter/consultant meals, technology for technology's sake.
- ★ Your school's SERF liaison is just an email or call away when you have questions.
- ★ Applicants are to obtain a teacher mentor's signature, AND their principal's signature.
- ★ Teacher Mentors should encourage students to submit ideas, however, should refrain from making this a mandatory assignment.

**Applications are due October 29th.**