School Garden Grant Opportunities

**Annie’s: Grants for Gardens**
https://www.annies.com/giving-back/grants-for-gardens
The Grants for Gardens application is open to any k-12 public, private, or charter school in the United States planning or expanding an edible school garden. If at least 75 students are involved with the garden, please apply for this $3000 grant. Applications are due **November 1, 2018**.

**SeedMoney: Garden Grants**
https://seedmoney.org/
SeedMoney offers grants and a fundraiser opportunity open to all non-profit causes who are seeking resources to start or sustain a garden project. Fill out an application to create a campaign page for your project to collect online donations, enter your project for a $400 Challenge Grant, and enter your project into consideration for a $200 Merit Grant. Applications are due **November 12, 2018**.

**Environmental Council of RI: Loraine Tisdale Environmental Education Awards**
https://www.environmentcouncilri.org/content/tisdale-awards
Named after Rhode Island educator and environmental activist, Loraine Tisdale, this award honors her work by providing resources to schools combining education with improvements in environmental quality in the community. The ECRI Education Fund encourages any Rhode Island schools and school-based after-school programs to apply for one of the three grants of up to $250 for support of their project. Applications are due **November 21, 2018**.

**Kids Gardening: Youth Garden Grant**
https://kidsgardening.org/2019-youth-garden-grant/
The Youth Garden Grant is open to any nonprofit organization, public or private school, or youth program in the United States or US Territories planning a new garden program or expanding an established one. If your program serves at least 15 youth between the ages of 3 and 18, we encourage you to apply. A total of 25 programs will be awarded, with the top 5 programs receiving award packages worth $2100 in cash and gardening gear, and 20 programs receiving packages worth $500. Applications are due **December 17, 2018**.

**Walmart Foundation: Community Grant Program**
http://giving.walmart.com/apply-for-grants/local-giving
The Community Grant Program is open to all K-12 public or private schools, charter schools, and colleges or university in the United States planning or expanding their school garden. This program will offer up to $5000 to support your project. Applications are due **December 31, 2018**.
New England Grassroots Environmental Fund: Seed Grants
https://grassrootsfund.org/dollars/seed-grants
Intended to support community groups who are engaged in the environmental movement, the Seed Grants application is open to any groups planning or evolving their local school garden in CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, or VT. There is a rolling deadline to apply for this $1000 grant.

BirdSleuth K-12: School Garden Grants
http://www.birdsleuth.org/garden-grants/
The Cornell Lab of Ornithology offers grants that are open to all K-12 public and private schools within the United States. Providing support to teachers planning a new school garden or the revitalization an existing one, the organization will award twenty $500 - $2000 grants, gardening supplies, and BirdSleuth’s Habitat Connections kit. Visit the grant’s website for next year’s application.

Fiskars: Project Orange Thumb
http://www2.fiskars.com/Community/Project-Orange-Thumb
Project Orange Thumb Garden Grants help set students up for success by supplying educators with tools they need to provide a positive learning environment. Open to non-profit organizations in North America, 50 teachers will be awarded $500 and tools for their classroom. Check out the program’s website for next year’s application.

The Nature Conservancy
https://www.natureworkseverywhere.org/grants/
The Nature Conservancy supports schools to amend or revitalize their school garden projects. Grants of $2000 will be awarded to 50 public or charter schools across the United States. Visit the program’s website for next year’s application.

Lowe’s: Toolbox for Education
https://toolboxforeducation.com/
Created to provide the tools to help educators, Toolbox for Education offers grants up to $5000 for any public/ charter K-12 school for their school gardens or STEM projects. Check out the program’s website for next spring’s application.

Whole Kids Foundation: Garden Grant Program
https://www.wholekidsfoundation.org/landing-pages/school-gardens-landing
Created in partnership with FoodCorps, the Garden Grant Program provides support to a new or existing edible garden at either a k-12 school, non-profit working in partnership with a k-12 school, or a non-profit organization. Apply for a $2000 school garden grant or a salad bar for your school cafeteria! Check out the foundation’s website for next fall’s application.