

CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

135 BERKSHIRE STREET, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02141



August 3, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

GRANT AWARD:

FY22 Biogen Foundation STAR Data Grant (SC22159)

RECOMMENDATION:

That the School Committee accept and approve the grant award below in

the amount and for the period indicated.

Amount:

\$28,875.00

Period:

10/1/2021 to 6/30/2022

Source: Foundation

Administrator:

Steve Smith

Expense Category	FY21 Budget	FY21 FTE	FY22 Budget	FY22 FTE
Permanent Salaries & Benefits	\$35,000.00	0.50	\$26,250.00	0.47
Temporary Salaries	-		-	
Other Expenses	-		\$2,625.00	
Total	\$35,000.00	0.50	\$28,875.00	0.47

Description:

These funds will support a .47 FTE data manager position (9 months) to develop an evaluation plan to assess the impact of Biogen's STAR program on STEAM education in the Cambridge schools and community. For this grant, CPS is the sub-awardee of the Cambridge Community Foundation (CCF), which serves as the non-profit fiscal agent for a 10% administrative fee.

SUPPORTING DATA:

RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 19, <u>Acceptance of Grants for Expenditure</u>. Pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L.c.44 & 53A, the Superintendent or his/her designee may submit applications for grants or gifts from federal, state, charitable foundation, private corporation or individual. Grant or gift awards for educational purposes must be submitted to the School Committee for acceptance and approval prior to expenditure.

Respectfully submitted,

Victoria L. Greer, Ph.D.

Interim Superintendent of Schools