

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

February 26, 2019

SUBJECT:

Submission of the Distinguished Arts Program (DAP) 2019-20 Arts Curricular Innovation Grant (ACIG) Application by New Ellenton Middle STEAM Magnet School – FY20

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

New Ellenton Middle STEAM Magnet School would like to submit an application to the SC State Department of Education for the Distinguished Arts Programs (DAP) Arts Curricular Innovation grant in the amount of \$18,000. This grant will assist in developing and implementing arts initiatives that support quality arts education programs and significantly improve student achievement in the arts. Distinguished Arts Program (DAP) grants provide funds for one-year projects. If awarded, grant funds will be used to fund artist-in-residencies, professional development, art-based field trips, instructional supplies and equipment maintenance for each course.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The Division of Instruction has evaluated the goals and objectives and finds them to be consistent with district goals.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the submission of the Distinguished Arts Program (DAP) 2019-20 Arts Curricular Innovation Grant (ACIG) application and the receipt of funds, if awarded.

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