

Carol Berry Memorial Literacy Grant

Again this year, MID-State Reading Council will award the Carol Berry Memorial Literacy Grant for up to \$500. Grants are awarded based on the worthiness of the project described in the application and the completeness of the information provided. The grants chosen will be awarded at our Summer Conference on June 16, 2010. Applications are due no later than June 1, 2010.

Recent grant winners have chosen to use their money in a variety of creative ways. MID-State has funded projects to develop multi-cultural literature collections, for the use of literature in hands-on science, family literacy programs, integrating technology and books, and resources for interdisciplinary units.

Fire up those creative juices that are constantly flowing in your classroom, put them down on paper, and try for the funding this grant provides! Don't miss this opportunity to help fund your classroom or group. We look forward to awarding these grants and finding out what this year's recipients will be doing with their funding. If you have any questions, call Trisha Warner, MID-State Grant Chairperson, at 309.287.3804.

**MID-State Reading Council's
Carol Berry Memorial Literacy Grant Application
Award Amount: Up to \$500**

Your application should include the following items:

- Program/Project Title:
- Date of Project:
- Place:
- I. Statement of Purpose
- II. Needs Statement
- III. Description of Population Served
- IV. Description of Project
- V. Itemized Budget
- VI. Plan for Publicity
- VII. Plan for Evaluation
- Contact Person:
- Phone:
- Street Address, City, Zip code:
- Date of Application:

Return your application to:
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