

CONFERENCE GRANT

- SPONSOR:** Louisiana Association of School Librarians
- FREQUENCY:** Annually
- PURPOSE:** To increase interest and membership in the Louisiana Library Association and the Louisiana Association of School Librarians organizations by providing a financial incentive to a new member who is a school librarian in order to attend and participate in the annual conference.
- DESCRIPTION:** A grant that will pay conference registration and conference sponsored meals
- DEADLINE:** January 3 of the conference year
- GUIDELINES:**
1. A grant to cover conference registration (whole or part) and meals (LASL author lunch and LLA book dinner) will be awarded to a new member of LLA whose main section is LASL.
 2. Grant applicants must be persons who have not previously been a member of LLA.
 3. The grant will be awarded to one who bears the expenses personally, as noted on the application form.
 4. Application forms for the grant will be posted on the LASL web site and/or the LASL wiki.
 5. Applications will be due in the LLA office by January 3 of the conference year.
 6. The grant will be awarded at the winter meeting of the executive board of LASL with the winner being selected in a drawing by the LASL president.
 7. The selected applicant will be notified prior to the conference by the LASL president or a designated representative and the applicant will be reimbursed at the conference.
 8. The selected applicant will be introduced at the author luncheon.
 9. In the event the recipient of the grant does not attend the conference a new name will be selected from the original applicants at the author lunch by a drawing. A reimbursement check will be mailed to the new winner.

**LASL CONFERENCE GRANT
APPLICATION**

Applicant Name: _____

Place of Employment (School): _____

Work Address: _____

Home Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Please indicate which events you will attend:

_____ Full Conference

_____ Author Lunch

_____ One Day

_____ Book Dinner

I certify that I am not receiving monetary assistance from any source other than LASL to attend the events indicated above.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Applications must be postmarked by January 3.

Return to:

Louisiana Library Association
Attn: LASL Conference Grant
8550 United Plaza Blvd. Suite 1001
Baton Rouge, LA 70809