

2016-17 TANF Grant for SAMHS JETS Competition

Grant Overview: Sheffield Area Middle/High School is seeking permission to apply for \$600 in Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) funding. Grant monies must be used for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) projects.

SAMHS proposes using the grant funding to fund its JETS (Junior Engineering Technical Society) team. The team will work on engineering projects that will be judged at a local, state, and national level. JETS students practice before and after school to develop the skills necessary to complete their projects.

Amount of Award: \$600.00

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due September 1, 2016. Notification in October.

Alternatives if not Awarded: Students and their families will have to pay to participate if the grant is not awarded.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit an application to the Greater Erie Community Action Committee (GECAC) for a 2016-17 TANF Youth Program Grant in the amount of \$600 to support the JETS team at Sheffield Area Middle/High School.