

## **2009-10 Sprint Character Education Grant**

Grant Overview: The Sprint Character Education Grant Program awards grants to school districts and individual schools to fund the purchase of resource materials, supplies, equipment and software that facilitates and encourages character education among K-12 students. Valid project funding includes: character education curriculum and character education teacher training; direct project-related costs for community service/service learning programs; and leadership/mentor training. Several district buildings have indicated interest in submitting an application.

Amount of Award: Up to \$5,000.00

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due February 5, 2010. Notification date is May 14, 2010.

Alternatives if not Awarded: School proposals will not be implemented without the funding.

WCSD Resources Required: No matching costs. Grant proposals developed by the schools should not require additional resources outside of grant funding.

Administrative Recommendation: The Board of Directors instructs the district administration to apply for Sprint Character Education Grants of up to \$5,000 in funding to deliver character education curriculum and/or training in interested district schools.