



## PTO GIFTS PROGRAM

### Requests for PTO Funding 2021-2022

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Any teacher, parent, or student who has a request for funds from the PTO must fill out this form. Please answer these questions as thoroughly as possible, providing supporting detail and information.

Please email the completed form to the PTO President-Elect ([president\\_elect@district29pto.org](mailto:president_elect@district29pto.org)) by **Monday, November 15, 2021**.

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**Name:** Jennifer Kiedaisch

**Role (Teacher/Parent/Community Member):**

**Benefitting School:** Middlefork

#### 1. Define your request:

I would like to purchase a variety of stencils to paint onto our blacktop to encourage more physical activity at recess, to promote conflict resolution and to provide our students with more choices on "Blacktop Only" recess days when the field is too wet. Here are some of my top choices in stencils:

Peace Path sold by Fit and Fun Playscapes <https://fitandfunplayscapes.com/collections/reusable-stencils/products/reusable-stencils-peace-path> (\$455) and Paint (\$448.58)= \$903.58 for total

Fitness Agility Ladder sold by Fit and Fun Playscapes <https://fitandfunplayscapes.com/collections/reusable-stencils/products/reusable-stencils-fitness-agility-ladder> (\$235) and Paint (\$342.62)=\$577.62

Nature Activity Circuit sold by Fit and Fun Playscapes <https://fitandfunplayscapes.com/collections/reusable-stencils/products/reusable-stencils-nature-activity-circuit> (\$780) and Paint (\$924.58)=\$1704.58

#### 2. Amount requested:

Depends on how many stencils are approved and how much paint we buy

\$3185.78 for all three stencils with paint sold by same company

#### 3. Can this project be funded in stages? If yes, what timetable is involved? If no, please explain your due date for funds.

Yes, we can purchase a few stencils at a time instead of all at once.

#### 4. Has this request been reviewed by the school administration? What was their response as to its merit and priority?

**5. Number of Students that will be impacted or benefit from your request:**

All students who use the blacktop for recess and other children who use our playground in the evenings and weekends

**6. Is this a one-time request or do you envision needing additional PTO funds in the future or long range? If you will require additional PTO funds, please explain why this cannot be added into your annual budget.**

**7. What is the intended goal of your request? Would it have any other uses or applications? Is this a start up program or is it enhancing an existing program? Use additional paper if needed.**

This is enhancing our existing recess playground area and might be a fun PTO event if we have a "Paint the Blacktop" party.

**8. What are the long range benefits of your request?**

Increased physical movement for students, greater friendships and higher self-esteem as students feel more included at recess

**9. If you are requesting a capital asset/investment, please provide a minimum of two options/pricing quotes on the item and attach to this form. Please identify your first choice and why.**

**10. Have you exhausted all other funding options before coming to the PTO Gifts Program?**

We could use our school budget to purchase a stencil here and there, but it would be really wonderful to purchase more than one stencil this year and that is cost prohibitive.