



**G.I.F.T.S – Grant Initiatives For Today’s Students  
Rubric for Grant Program Projects**

<b>Focus Area:</b>				
	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Score and Applicable Notes</b>
<b>Project Design</b>	Proposal articulates procedures and activities that are well defined, fully explained, and linked to project goals.	Proposal articulates procedures and activities aligned to project goals.	Proposal does not adequately explain project procedures and activities.	
<b>Project Goals</b>	Goals for the project are clearly described and thoroughly documented; proposal aligns with the NSBECS.	Goals are clearly described but lack documentation.	Project goals are not described and documented.	
<b>Plans for Project Evaluation and Participant Assessment</b>	Proposal includes a variety of methods to assess participants and evaluate the project.	Proposal includes one method to assess participants and evaluate the project.	There is no process in place to evaluate the project.	
<b>Sustainability</b>	Project goals, staffing and management can be sustained when grant funding ends.	Issues related to sustainability are addressed but require clarification or modification.	Proposal does not address issues related to sustainability.	
<b>Budget</b>	Budget is complete and contains required information. Budget is cost effective and linked to activities and outcomes.	Budget contains the required information but is not clearly aligned with project activities and outcomes.	Budget does not contain required information.	
<b>Total Points</b>				

- Recommended for funding
- Funding denied

**Reviewer Comments:**