Indiana Department of Education (IDOE), Office of Teaching and Learning
STEM Acceleration Grant - Cohort 5

Statement of Assurances

By submitting this application the school corporation assures:

1. The school corporation’s submitted application is complete and accurate.
2. The school corporation will investigate providers included in the Virtual STEM and Computer Science Curriculum Showcase to inform the grant application.
3. The school corporation will identify at least three elementary teachers, at least two middle school teachers, and at least one high school teacher from each of the buildings participating in this grant, to complete the free Computer Science training provided by IDOE’s Office of Teaching and Learning selected vendors.
4. The school corporation will identify a staff member and support his/her participation in the Ford Next Generation Learning (NGL) PBL Train-the-Trainer program, including:
   a. The initial three-day Ford NGL PBL training in the Summer of 2021;
   b. Up to two in-person professional learning days during the school year;
   c. Up to three online, interactive training sessions per semester with subject-matter experts held outside of the instructional day during the 2021-2022 school year; and
   d. The school corporation will provide a detailed outline of the cohort member’s coaching plan to ensure the training of district staff members in PBL. The plan should target maximum training by the 2024-2025 school year.
5. The Superintendent or designee will complete all grant reports requested by IDOE.
6. All travel for this agreement is done on behalf of IDOE and Indiana State travel policy will be adhered to.