

*Classroom grant opportunities too good to pass up!  
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**UPCOMING DEADLINE REMINDERS:**

**Dream it. Code it. Win it. Programming Competition Deadline to enter: 3/31/15**

<http://www.tradingscreen.com/index.php/careers/mit-stem-ny-creative-code-competition>

**Legacy Project Deadline: March 31**

<http://www.legacyproject.org/contests/ltal.html>

**The McCarthy Dressman Education Foundation—Deadline April 15**

<http://mccarthydressman.org/academic-enrichment-grants/>

**Dorothy Stout PD Grants Deadline: 4/15/15**

<http://nagt.org/nagt/awards/stout.html>

**Voya Unsung Heroes Award—Deadline: April 30, 2015**

<https://unsungheroes.scholarshipamerica.org/>

**Dollar General Literacy Foundation, Deadline May 21, 2015 (11:00 p.m. CST)**

[http://www2.dollargeneral.com/dgliteracy/Pages/grant\\_programs.aspx](http://www2.dollargeneral.com/dgliteracy/Pages/grant_programs.aspx)

**More opportunities:**

**Discovery Education 3M Young Scientist Challenge Deadline: 4/21**

Students who enter must be interested in finding a problem, creating an innovative solution, and shooting a 1-2 minute video explaining their idea. See website for more details.

<http://www.youngscientistchallenge.com/getting-started>

**New Opportunities:**

**From Failure to Promise Deadline: July 31st**

Your school/organization has the opportunity to receive a \$500 grant to create new and innovative ways to use the tenets of "From Failure to Promise: An Uncommon Path to Professoriate", to motivate, energize, and catapult your K-12 students/youth to reach their full promise in literacy, math, science, or technology.

<http://www.fromfailuretopromise.com/K-12--Educator-s-Literacy-Grant.html>



**Newsletter Spotlight**

**When Your Grant Application Fails**

Life is never perfect. You applied for a grant. You thought this was a slam dunk. Your budget was realistic. You included objectives aligned with the new standards. But you received a "no". What more could you have done? Once the disappointment wears off, you need to come up with a follow up plan. Will you just drop it? Will you postpone the project? Sit down with your team. Brainstorm a list of activities you can pursue to get parts of the project off the ground with no money. Try again next time. What you will not do is give up!