

2018 Great Ideas Initiative Awards Summary

	Applicant Name	Project Name	Geographic Area To Be Served	\$ Requested	\$ Awarded (includes 15%)	Idea Summary
1.	Auroras Voice Inc.	Mindfulness Clubs for Title I High Schools Students	PBC Title 1 High Schools	\$40,000.00	\$46,000.00	Mindfulness Club - high school students will learn how to train their minds through regulation of attention, emotions, thoughts and compassion.
2.	Bella's Angels, Inc.	Medical Assistance Fund	PBC Boca Raton, Jupiter, WPB	\$25,000.00	\$28,750.00	Provide families (children ages 0-18 w/ lifelong disabilities) with financial assistance for medical-related expenses not covered by insurance companies (medical co-pays, therapy appointments, equipment, supplies).
3.	Delray Beach Chorale	Delray Beach Chorale Choral Academy	PBC	\$34,800.00	\$40,020.00	After-school music and choral education outreach in partnership with the Boys & Girls Club of PBC and FAU Boca, commencing with a concert.
4.	Digital VibeZ, Inc.	Digital Expressions Program	PBC Schools	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	12-week program that helps youth develop positive decision-making skills through creative and artistic expression (song, writing, performance and digital media).
5.	Dress For Success Palm Beaches	The Next Step for BRIDGES	PBC	\$14,000.00	\$16,100.00	10-week program targeting young women on career planning, job preparation, goal setting, time management and professional and personal etiquette. Program will target 11th and 12th graders aging out of Foster Care.
6.	El Sol Jupiter's Neighborhood Resource Center	Youth Literacy Coordinator	PBC	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Hire a full-time Bilingual Youth Literacy Specialist.
7.	Emanuel Jackson Senior Project (EJS Project)	EJS Project Expansion	"The Set" in Delray Beach	\$42,960.00	\$49,404.00	Provide staffing and transportation for a satellite location at Village Academy for 14-18 year-old African American and Haitian students. Program promotes academic success, prosocial behavior using restorative practices, community connectedness, understanding and challenging racial discrimination.
8.	E-Roadmap Corporation	Peaceful Practices Project 360	PBC	\$42,450.00	\$48,817.50	Program teaches coping skills for social, emotional and physical health to Black/African American and LGBTQ youth ages 12-18.
9.	Federation of Families of Florida, Inc	Open Table Convening Table	The Glades	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Program that uses intellectual and social capital to community church members called Tables, to help transform the lives of families from social and economic poverty to self-sufficiency.
10.	First Presbyterian Church	Art for the Soul	Lake Worth	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Migrant and Immigrant children through 18 will be offered a free visual arts and music immersion program to enhance self-esteem, promote self-discovery and support intellectual development, particularly in math and science.
11.	Jack The Bike Man, Inc.	Gotta Get a Bike	Conniston Middle School, WPB	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Students learn how to assemble their very own refurbished bicycle, learn bicycle safety, participate in informal mentoring and community service project.
12.	KOP Mentoring Network	STREAMgineer Project	East PBC	\$41,240.00	\$47,426.00	Youth 7-17 participate in oratorical, financial literacy and STREAM (Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering & Entrepreneurship, Arts, Math and Medicine) after school program.

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14.	Northwest Community Consortium, Inc.	Ties that Bind	WPB, Riviera Beach, Lake Worth, Delray Beach	\$25,070.00	\$28,830.50	Weekend youth leadership development program targeting Middle/High School Black Boys in WPB; focusing on communication skills, goal setting, entrepreneurship, responsible decision making, community engagement and law enforcement encounters...and tying a tie!
15.	Palm Beach Children's Chorus, Inc.	Youth Performing Arts Workshop	Riviera Beach, Lake Park and Mangonia Park	\$40,500.00	\$46,575.00	Children's community theatre program that engages students 5-18 in theatrical performing arts, physical health and nutrition education, community engagement and fostering good citizenship.
16.	Samaritans365 Foundation D/B/A Kindness Matters365	Kindness on the Move	PBC	\$42,000.00	\$48,300.00	Through participation in Kindness on the Move Clubs, facilitated by a Winnebago motorhome, 1,750 PreK-12 students will learn the power of kindness and what it means to be a compassionate person who unselfishly helps others.
17.	Speak Up for Kids of Palm Beach County	Centralized Recruiter for Foster Homes	PBC	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Creation of a centralized recruiter position, working in partnership with ChildNet and other agencies, to secure new foster homes and bring awareness to the need for more foster parents throughout PBC.
18.	Street Beat, Inc.	Yes We Can	Glades	\$43,000.00	\$49,450.00	Middle School AVID students will participate in an arts and mentoring program that includes step, dance, vocal, instrumental music and drama.
19.	Suits for Seniors	Suits for Success	PBC	\$10,000.00	\$11,500.00	Through the development of an evidence-based curriculum, 300 high school seniors will receive a workbook for the 8 week youth development/mentoring program that focuses on job preparedness.
20.	The Giving Closet Project, Inc.	The Giving Closet Project	PBC Schools	\$42,800.00	\$49,220.00	Creation of central hubs (staged as children's clothing stores) for inventory management of unclaimed lost and found items in the schools. Gently used and new clothing, hygiene products, school supplies and essentials are given to students in need.
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