Classroom project crowdfunding

DonorsChoose

Eligible public-school teachers can invite donors to support a classroom project, including qualifying digital resources.

Funding and timing

Based on the approved project budget

Projects can be created throughout the year; donations are not guaranteed.

Check your eligibility

• Full-time teacher at an eligible public school, charter school, district-run Pre-K or Head Start center.

• Private schools, homeschools, libraries and independent afterschool programs are excluded.

Check the purchase

Digital subscriptions have ordering rules. Ask DonorsChoose whether Glow can be sourced before submitting a project.

Confirm the specific Glow product, learner count, license period and purchasing method with the funder before buying. Category eligibility is not product approval.

Sources reviewed Oct 29, 2026. Confirm current rules before applying.

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Funding application worksheet

Use this worksheet to prepare an accurate request. Complete private financial or student information only through the funder's secure application process.

1. Describe the learning

Grade range, number of learners, reading or math focus, and the skills you will teach:

2. Plan the practice

Teaching routine, session length, project dates and how you will support learners:

3. Review progress

Starting check, independent practice and a later check of taught skills:

4. Confirm the budget

Product, approved quote, learner allocation, license dates, fees and renewal coverage:

Open the source guide and current program links

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Where and how to submit

Who receives the request

DonorsChoose · project review team, followed by public donors

The eligible teacher creates a classroom project in DonorsChoose. It reviews the project and handles ordering after funding.

Submission steps

1. Create or sign in to your teacher account and identify the eligible school.

2. Confirm that DonorsChoose can source the Glow subscription before adding it. Use its available vendors and digital-resource ordering process.

3. Adapt the public project description, select the resources and review the platform's full budget. Submit for review and save the project link.

Start a DonorsChoose teacher project

https://www.donorschoose.org/teachers

Prepare your proposal online

Choose your project details and edit the prefilled Glow proposal. The tool includes a budget and the document checklist for this program.

Open the Glow grant writer

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Documents and official sources

Documents to prepare

- Teacher and eligible-school information
- Public project description without student identities
- Resources available through the approved purchasing channel
- Platform-calculated total and any matching-offer conditions

Official program sources

Eligible schools and teachers

Full-time teachers at eligible U.S. public and charter schools, district-run Pre-K, Head Start and Bureau of Indian Education schools can create projects. Homeschools, private schools, libraries and independent afterschool programs are excluded. Confirm your school is listed before preparing a project.

help.donorschoose.org

Digital resource and subscription ordering

For fully funded projects, most digital-resource vendors send activation instructions to the teacher's DonorsChoose account email within two weeks of project confirmation. This page explains access after funding; it does not list Glow as an available resource. Ask DonorsChoose to confirm the ordering route before including a Glow subscription.

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Teacher project process

Teachers describe a classroom need and select resources, then submit the project for review. Donors contribute toward the project; DonorsChoose handles purchasing after it is funded. Create the teacher account here and confirm that the requested Glow resource can be sourced before submitting the budget.

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Request an itemized Glow quote

Ask for the product, learner count, license start/end dates, any fees and renewal terms. Scholarship purchases may need individual-student pricing or an allocation of a shared subscription. A grant does not automatically fund renewals.

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Before you submit

- Check the current deadline and all eligibility rules on the official site.
- Use accurate project details and obtain any school or organization approvals.
- Confirm software allowability and required purchasing channels before payment.
- Review the full application. The funder makes the award decision.

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