



Contact: Kelli Seshiki  
A+ Education Foundation  
512.533.4390  
[educationfoundation@aplusfcu.org](mailto:educationfoundation@aplusfcu.org)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

February 21, 2019

## **A+ Education Foundation Grant Application Now Available Educators Can Receive Up to \$1,000 to Fund Innovative Programs**

Austin, TX – A+ Education Foundation, a philanthropic arm of A+ Federal Credit Union, invites Central Texas educators to apply for a 2019 A+ Education Foundation Grant of up to \$1,000 to fund innovative programs for their students. Grant applications must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, June 2, 2019. Visit [aplusfcu.org/grants](http://aplusfcu.org/grants) to get started.

Since its inception in 2005, the A+ Education Foundation has awarded over \$834,000 to over 900 grant recipients in schools and districts across Central Texas.

“The A+ Education Foundation is honored to provide grants to educators to enhance their teaching and the students’ learning experiences,” Kerry A. S. Parker, A+ Education Foundation President, said. “Throughout the years, the goal of the educators remains the same — to encourage student learning through hands-on, interactive experiences. Their programs are always so inspiring and The A+ Education Foundation looks forward to supporting them year after year.”

Professionally certified educators (grades Pre-K through 12) in schools in A+ Federal Credit Union’s field of membership may apply. The A+ Education Foundation Board selects members of the educational community to review applications. Grant winners will be notified July 17, 2019.

###

The **A+ Education Foundation**, a 501(c)(3) organization, was established and developed by A+ Federal Credit Union in 2005 to provide grants to full-time Pre-K through grade 12 educators in reaching their educational goals. Since its inception, the Foundation has given over \$834,000 in grants. These grants help fund programs and training for educators in the communities served by A+ Federal Credit Union. To find out more information, including how to support teachers in Central Texas, visit [aplusfcu.org/grants](http://aplusfcu.org/grants).

**A+ Federal Credit Union** was founded in 1949 by 50 Austin, Texas teachers. Seventy years later, A+FCU has over 150,000 members throughout the community, over \$1.5 billion in assets, and 22 branches. A+FCU continues to have close relationships with local schools and provides free financial education curricula for educators, engaging financial education presentations for students, real-life money management simulations for youth, high school branch locations, and unique financial products designed for teachers. A+FCU is proud to be celebrating their 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2019. Learn more at [aplusfcu.org](http://aplusfcu.org).