

ABC-CLIO Leadership Grant

Sponsored by the American Association of School Librarians (AASL) a division of the American Library Association (ALA) and ABC-CLIO.

Overview

The ABC-CLIO Leadership Grant is given to school library associations that are AASL Chapters for planning and implementing leadership programs at the state, regional, or local levels.

Possibilities include programs that:

1. Involve new members.
2. Train on-going leaders.
3. Prepare school librarians to be building or district level leaders.
4. Encourage collaboration among organizations.
5. New ideas and approaches to leadership are encouraged.

Eligibility

Applicant must be a current member of the AASL Chapter Assembly.

Criteria & Rating

All applications for the grant will be judged against the following criteria:

1. Program objectives are clear **(5 points)**
2. Nature and importance of desired leadership qualities are specified **(5 points)**
3. Intended participant group is well defined **(5 points)**
4. Plan of action and calendar are included **(5 points)**
5. Budget is well planned **(5 points)**
6. Evaluation plan is valid and follow-up activities are appropriate **(5 points)**
7. Program has merit for replication by other chapters **(5 points)**

TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS: 35