



**FOUNDATION FOR
PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

MAINE AUDUBON GRANTS FOR PPS TEACHERS PROGRAM Grant Guidelines and Information

The Maine Audubon Grants for PPS Teachers Program offers funding up to \$1,000 per grant to Portland Public Schools teachers who seek to engage students with Maine Audubon programming during the 2019-2020 school year.

The partnership between Maine Audubon and Portland Public Schools has spanned over two decades and has benefited thousands of students. The establishment of this grants program administered by the Foundation for Portland Public Schools deepens the collaboration between Maine Audubon and PPS.

Maine Audubon engages students in grades Pre-K through adult education in studying, conserving, and restoring Maine's wildlife and wildlife habitat. Past FFPPS grants have been used to cover costs such as contracting Maine Audubon educators, purchasing books and/or supplies, coordinating service projects, and funding buses for field trips.

Applications Available: Tuesday, May 28, 2019

Applications Due: Friday, June 14, 2019

Decisions Posted: June 21, 2019

Please complete the online grant application at www.foundationforpps.org no later than Friday, June 14, 2019 at midnight. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

Grant guidance:

- 1) Grant funds can be used anytime during the 2019-2020 school year;
- 2) Grant applications that plan for the use of funds in September, October and November 2017 will be prioritized;
- 3) Principal support is required;
- 4) A brief final report to FPPS will be due after use of funds, and/or by the end of the 2019-2020 school year.

Questions? Please contact FPPS Executive Director Kate Snyder at ksnyder@foundationforpps.org or at 207-842-4658.