Peace, Love & Planet and our partners are proud to offer **$50-400 Mini Grants** to student lead, environmental initiatives! Education and awareness campaigns are essential to preserving nature and conserving resources. Student efforts make a BIG IMPACT!

We are happy to support meaningful projects developed by students that encompass the core values of “reduce, reuse, recycle and respect” for nature. See page 3 for criteria. Thank you for your dedication to promoting environmental awareness!

**Deadline to apply: Nov. 26th, 2017**

Questions? Feel free to contact Gina Adams-Levy, Peace, Love & Planet at

248-840-0248 or via email PLP\_Gina@me.com

**Details**: Please complete application using Word.doc and email to PLP\_Gina@me.com by Nov. 26th, 2017.

 *\*Tip* **-** We recommend scheduling an appointment with your principal ASAP to secure “buy-in”. This allows time for revisions and/or additional research.

 *\*\*Special thanks to our PLP donors and board members for supporting our nonprofit and making this possible.*

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

**Project Name:**

**School:**

**School / Address:**

**Name of Student Group:**

**Grades:** *What is the grade range of participating students?*

**Student Name:**

*Who is the contact person responsible for submitting grant and subsequent follow-up information if project is funded?*

**Age:**

*This application must be filled out by a young person. An adult may assist only)*

**Contact email:**

**Contact Phone:**

**Adult Sponsor:**

*The adult contact(s) at your school who will mentor you through completion of project.*

**Contact email:**

**Contact Phone:**

**GRANT APPLICATION**

1. What is the environmental problem you are trying to solve? How have you worked with this issue in the past?
2. Why are you passionate about this particular issue? Why is it a problem?
3. What actions will you take to solve problem?
4. Who are your partners? *Other student groups, politicians, community organizations, etc.*
5. Where and when will you implement project? Date and time or is it ongoing?
6. When will you start project?
7. Who do you need to communicate to target audience? How will you communicate? How often?
8. What impact do you hope to create? How many people to you anticipate reaching? *Your group, a class, an entire school or the community at large?*
9. How will you measure success? How will you report results?
10. When will project be completed? How will you celebrate?
11. Please list all expenses and cost. This is important an important detail so be specific.
12. Are any other organizations supporting your project financially?

**Peace, Love & Planet’s Mission:**

*To nurture appreciation for our natural environment and its precious resources,*

*resulting in meaningful behavior changes to achieve a healthy,*

*sustainable planet for future generations.*

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF GRANT**

♻The grant must be completed by young people. This is valuable learning process for project development and teamwork. If the applicants are under the age of 10, an adult *may assist* in completing application with students.

♻This award may not be used for parties, dinners, awards and recognition (i.e. t-shirts, medals). Never should this grant be used for professional services (i.e. lawyers, salaries.) Special exceptions should be requested in application with rational reasoning.

♻ Utilize Peace, Love & Planet resources such as “Be the Solution” to celebrate America Recycles Day (November 15), Earth Hour (March 24th 2017, 8:30 PM – 9:30PM) and Earth Day (April 22nd) at the discretion of school principal. ***Multiple earth-centric celebrations throughout the year help nurture eco-friendly school cultures.***

♻ Nominate at least one student representative to present at a Peace, Love & Planet Board meeting.

♻ Peace, Love & Planet will offer between **$50-400 Seed Grants** for projects that demonstrate measurable outcomes. Projects must be approved by school principal. They can sign and fax or send me an email confirming their approval. PLP\_Gina@me.com

*\*We will award up to $2,000 in grants based on qualifying proposals.*

*Student Project Leader:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

*Principal Approval:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

*\*\*\*Please print and sign for your principal to have a copy on file.*

*\*\*\*\*Type in names and submit grant by email to* *PLP\_Gina@me.com**.*

*Thank you for being part of the solution!*

*Your eco-friendly choices make a difference. This project will inspire friends and*

*families to protect nature and promote fresh air and clean water to lead healthy, sustainable lives. Thank you*!