

VERSACARE STEM GRANT PROGRAM 2019-2020

FACT SHEET

Who may apply?

Any SDA primary or secondary school that is recognized by the local conference

What grants are available?

\$5,000 for schools with three or less classrooms \$10,000 for schools with four or more classrooms \$10,000 for senior academies

When is the application deadline?

December 31, 2019

Where does one apply?

Via the online application at www.versacare.org

What documentation is required with the application?

- 1. A list of your current school board members
- 2. A copy of last year's financial statement
- 3. A copy of your school board approved technology plan

How do I provide Versacare with the application documentation?

You will be prompted to attached the documents while filling out the application

How are the grants awarded?

Using the random number generator embedded in Microsoft Excel

Are the funds truly awarded without restriction?

Yes, the only restriction is that they be used for STEM in the classroom

When are the funds awarded?

At Versacare's annual board meeting in March

How are the funds disbursed?

A check is sent directly to your school from the Versafund within 30 days of the award

Can my school apply for a regular process grant from Versacare?

No, Versacare is only awarding STEM grants to schools at this time

How will Versacare communicate with me when the grants awarded are announced?

All correspondence except for the mailed check is via email; please ensure that you notify Versacare if your email address changes or your contact person is replaced by someone else