The Lumpkin Family Foundation is now accepting grant applications of up to $2,500 from organizations in the geographic areas listed below whose mission is education enrichment. Specifically, The Foundation seeks interest from programs that build meaningful, personal relationships with children through mentoring and/or tutoring programs at the elementary and middle school levels in high-need areas.

The grant is offered by The Next Generation Education Fund of The Lumpkin Family Foundation, a group of 6th Generation family members, ages 16-21. Preference will be given to programs that are innovative, exciting, collaborative, and sustainable.

Eligibility: This is an open process and any organization or program providing the services above is eligible to apply. Fund members will also invite eligible organizations they are aware of in their communities which include:

- Boston, MA
- Philadelphia, PA
- Fairfield County, CT
- Palm Beach County, FL

Program Timetable:
Applications will be accepted from October 1-November 25, 2011.

Fund members will be in touch with questions regarding the applications in early December 2011. Grant finalist(s) will be notified by January 6, 2012 and a potential site visit will be scheduled with the members of the Committee for sometime over the January 14-16, 2012 weekend. Grant decisions will be made by February 1, 2012.

Application and Contact Information:
Organizations may submit applications for the Next Generation Education Fund at: http://www.lumpkinfoundation.org/bHOWbtoapply/ApplyOnline.aspx

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