



RUTH MCGREGOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Ruth McGregor Elementary would like to announce three grant recipients for the 2016/2017 School Year.

Mrs. Benko, Elementary Art Teacher

Mrs. Benko was awarded a grant in the amount of \$200 from Michigan Youth Arts for the elementary art program. With the funds received, she has purchased larger and more durable scissors for the upper elementary, unique paper for collages, and quality mixed media paper.

Mrs. Benge, Literacy Coach



Mrs. Benge was awarded a grant in the amount of \$ 753.54 from the LCEF Teacher Mini-Grant through the Lenawee County Education Foundation. The money will be used to purchase “We Can Read” books that are designed to invite parents and children in grade K-3 to interact as they take turns reading together. We would also purchase the “We Read Phonics” book set that has decodable stories that include four pages of phonics and sight word games for parents and students to play together. The final product would be the “Parent Workshop Package” that will be presented at parent meetings on why it is important to read together, best practices in reading together, and skills to use when reading to their child.

Miss Griswold, First Grade Teacher



Miss Griswold was awarded a grant in the amount of \$ 643.96 from the LCEF Teacher Mini Grant through the Lenawee County Education Foundation. The money will be used to purchase STEM activities for the first grade students. The real world STEM activities will provide great hands on involvement in learning, creative thinking, and problem solving.