The Galena Park I.S.D. Prize Posse on a Mission to Deliver Grants

Houston, Texas: On October 29, the Galena Park I.S.D. (GPISD) Education Foundation Prize Posse boarded a GPISD school bus on a mission to deliver innovative teaching grants to unsuspecting educators at various campuses throughout the district.

Earlier in the year, educators throughout the district had the opportunity to apply for grants to fund innovative instruction for their classrooms, departments or campuses. The Education Foundation Grants Selection Committee carefully considered each application and selected this year’s recipients.

Ten grants totaling over $27,800 were awarded at six GPISD campuses. The grants will be used to fund educational resources ranging from 3D models to helping students with cursive writing to the Early Act First Knight Character Education program. This year’s grants were all increased by $1,100, thanks to partnerships with Chevron, DonorsChoose and Acorn.

Congratulations to Gunjan Gupta, Veronica Stell, Julie Glover and Vaughn Belcher from North Shore Senior High School; Michael Tenaglio from North Shore Middle School; Imelda Hernandez and Veronica Garza from Cimarron Elementary School; Kendra Walker, Carmen Guereque, Beverly Conner, Stacy Costley, Eva Ojeda, Britani Simon and Brandi Couch from Galena Park High School; Kaneice Washington and Teresa Brown Perez from Galena Park Elementary School; and German Espinoza, Crystal Castillo, Eleana Vasquez and Candace Campbell from Pyburn Elementary School.