

Tufts University Green Fund Application

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Project Title:

One Sentence Description (This is how your project will be described on the Green Fund website):

Tomorrow's Earth Stewards: Supporting Children and Youth and Their Development as Earth Stewards

General Application Questions:

1. What project would you like to fund with the Green Fund? The Third (annual) Edition of the Tomorrow's Earth Stewards online magazine (https://sites.tufts.edu/earthstewards/)

2. Who would you work with on this project? Who would need to be involved? (For example: are there departments you would need to reach out to? If you are hosting an event, you might need someone to help you set up and to help clean up afterwards. Do you need permission from anyone to complete your project?) Include their role (collaborator, advisor, vender, resource). Have they been confirmed?

| Name and Title | Role | Status |
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| Eva Heaps | Collaborator | Confirmed |

| Ashley Lin | Collaborator | Confirmed |
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| Nick Woolf | Collaborator | Confirmed |
| Ellen Dubrueil | Collaborator | Confirmed |
| Freedom Baird | Collaborator | Confirmed |
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3. What costs would be involved in your proposal? Please provide a rough budget. \$4500 for the year-long, hourly wages to support the work of Eva Heaps, Ashley Lin, Nick Woolf, and Ellen Dubrueil plus \$500 to pay for additional art work, social media supports, and supports for search engine optimization.

4. What steps would you take to accomplish this project? Right after the second edition goes out sometime in the fall, the core team will get to work putting together the third edition – a yearlong process that entails recruiting scholars, Tufts students, and Tufts faculty to contribute to the third edition, plus work to increase the arts presence on TES plus work to keep the

| accompanying social media (Twitter, Facebook, Instagram) up-to-date and reaching the intended audience. |
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| How would your project help the Tufts community? TES is becoming known in the world of |
| environmental education and among those dedicated to fostering the child-nature connection. As such, TES helps connect educators and others from around the world to Tufts University. Furthermore, a good number of TES articles and resources are provided by Tufts students – including students in a course on Children, Nature, and the Development of Earth Stewards (CSHD 34/ENV34/CVS 32), and VERSE students (two so far and hopefully another next summer). |
| Finally, Peter Levine has mentioned the possibility of TES becoming part of the new Civic Green project and website. |
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What can I expect next?

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The Green Fund Committee will meet in early October and decide which projects to advance to the second round. These projects will be asked to fill out a more complete application (which can be found at go.tufts.edu/GreenFund) these applicants will also be asked to fill out a <u>budget</u> and <u>Gantt chart</u> for their project as well as gain letters of support from vital parties.