Research Supplies Grant (RSG) application

About the RSG: The Gatton Academy RSG is for research mentors and departments that host Gatton Academy students in independent research projects outside of the students’ curriculum. RSGs are granted in the amount of $250 per student per academic year upon approval of the attached application. The grant money is attributed to the WKU departmental index account that the research mentor indicates (cannot be Professional Development [PD] accounts). RSG funds are limited; application cycles start each July 1, and awards are made until funds are exhausted. The Academy’s intent is to support our students’ research, and the faculty members who mentor them, by helping provide materials or supplies that can advance research goals.

Part I: To be completed by Gatton Academy student

Gatton Academy Student Name: ________________________________________ WKU ID #: ______________________
Dept. Hosting Research: ____________________ Research Professor Name: __________________________
Research Professor E-mail/Phone Number: ___________________________________________________________

Signature of Gatton Academy Student __________________________ Date ______________

Part II: To be completed by Research Professor

Please verify the above information, answer the following questions, and return form to Academy student.

Please briefly describe the research project the above student is involved in: _____________________________________________
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Please indicate what supplies the RSG will be used to purchase/help pay for: ________________________________
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If approved, you will be notified by e-mail and the RSG money will be transferred to the departmental BANNER index account that you indicate (cannot be a Professional Development [PD] account).
Departmental BANNER Index # (required) ________________________________________________________________

Signature of Research Professor __________________________ Date ______________

Return completed form to Sam Earls, Assistant Director, Academic Services, Gatton Academy of Mathematics and Science, Florence Schneider Hall 142, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY 42101
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