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SAN LORENZO VALLEY WATER DISTRICT NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 2014 EDUCATION PROGRAM GRANTS

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The San Lorenzo Valley Water District is now inviting proposals for Classic Watershed Education Grants to be funded under its 2014 Education Grant Program. Individuals, students, teachers, groups and/or organizations are eligible to apply. Applications must be received by the District by Friday, March 14, 2014 at 5 p.m.

Classic Watershed Education Grants will fund projects involving classroom watershed education for students, outdoor watershed education, such as educational hikes or science camps, and community/public education. The total amount available for 2014 Classic Watershed Education Grants is \$17,500.00. Each individual grant may be up to \$2,500.00, with an additional \$500.00 available for an optional public outreach component.

Application guidelines and detailed grant requirements for Classic Watershed Education Grants are available on the District website <http://www.slvwd.com> or at the offices of the District, 13060 Highway 9, Boulder Creek, CA, 95006.

Later this year, the District will announce a second funding cycle for a different type of grant, Data Collection/ Restoration Grants. These grants would fund projects aimed at collecting needed information about the District's watershed lands or suggested restoration projects. Students, practicing scientists and others interested in applying for Data Collection/Restoration Grants should check the District website <http://www.slvwd.com> for funding availability.

For additional information regarding Classic Education Grants, interested parties may visit the District website <http://www.slvwd.com> or contact the District office at (831) 338-2153.