

Subject: Funding Justification Request – PHIT Kids Academy

To: [Federal Programs Director / District Grants Office / CFO]

From: [Principal / School Administrator Name]

School: [School Name]

Date: [Insert Date]

I am requesting approval to allocate federal funds to support the implementation of **PHIT Kids Academy**, a structured digital physical education and wellness platform designed for elementary students.

Program Overview

PHIT Kids Academy provides over 10 hours of instructional content and 200+ short video segments introducing students to foundational fitness skills and 20+ individual and team-based lifetime sports. The program supports structured physical activity, physical literacy development, teamwork, and healthy habit education.

Alignment to Title I (Schoolwide Program)

Our school operates as a Title I Schoolwide Program. Based on our Comprehensive Needs Assessment, we have identified the following priorities:

- Improving student engagement and on-task behavior
- Increasing attendance rates
- Supporting social-emotional development
- Strengthening conditions for academic achievement

Research supports the connection between regular physical activity and improved concentration, behavior regulation, and readiness to learn. PHIT Kids Academy provides structured, standards-aligned physical activity that contributes directly to these schoolwide goals. As a schoolwide initiative, the program upgrades the entire educational program and supports improved academic outcomes for our student population.

Alignment to Title IV-A (if applicable)

Title IV, Part A permits funding for programs that promote a well-rounded education and support safe and healthy students, including physical education and wellness initiatives. PHIT Kids Academy directly aligns with these allowable uses by enhancing physical education programming and promoting active, healthy lifestyles.

Supplemental Nature

The program will enhance and strengthen existing physical education instruction. It does not replace certified staff or core instructional responsibilities. Instead, it provides structured digital

resources that expand access to lifetime sports exposure and increase daily student movement opportunities.

Implementation Plan

PHIT Kids Academy will be utilized during PE classes, classroom movement breaks, and afterschool programming. Implementation will begin immediately upon subscription activation. Usage will be monitored to support program evaluation and reporting.

Requested Allocation

Total Cost: \$[Insert Amount]

Funding Source: [Title I Schoolwide / Title IV-A / Other Federal Funding Source]

Based on the documented needs of our student population and alignment with federal program requirements, I respectfully request approval to proceed with this purchase.

Please let me know if additional documentation is required.

Sincerely,

[Name]

[Title]

[School Name]

[Contact Information]