

# Library Grants Program

MBNA Foundation – Maine Library Association – Island Institute

*The Library Grants Program has been designed to further develop and support the ongoing needs of specific island libraries, and libraries serving Knox and Waldo counties.*

<b>Application Of:</b> Mildred Stevens Williams memorial Library	<b>Date Submitted:</b> _____
_____ (Name of Library)	
<b>Contact Person:</b> Debby Keiran	_____
<b>Library Mailing Address:</b> _____	
<b>City/Town:</b> Appleton	<b>Zip:</b> 04862
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<b>Library Telephone:</b> _____	<b>Fax:</b> _____
<b>Library E-Mail:</b> _____	
<b>Contact Home Telephone:</b> 785-2418	<b>Contact E-Mail:</b> kkdji@msn.com
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Please check the following area that this grant applies to:

<b>Collection XX</b>	<b>Programming</b>	<b>Technical</b>	<b>Maintenance</b>
<b>Workshops</b>	<b>Adult Education</b>	<b>Town History &amp; Archives</b>	<b>Special Projects</b>

Briefly describe your grant request – how will this grant support the long-term vision for your library? (please attach additional documentation if necessary): This grant request is for augmenting our adult fiction collection. We have recently weeded this section and would like to acquire more current titles for our patrons. Many of the books on the attached list are requests from members of our newly formed reading group. Others are from bestseller lists that we have researched and chosen as suitable for our collection. We hope to continue to acquire books that will excite our patrons and encourage a renewed interest in the library.

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Amount of Grant Request: \$1250.\_\_\_\_\_

(Please attach a detailed budget by line item delineating the various items in your request.)

Please describe the opportunity you have identified and how your project would address it.  
As we expand our fiction collection, we are bringing in titles that interest our patrons and provide them with current and popular reading choices.

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Please describe any other sources of funds available to support this grant (include 'in kind' support if applicable).  
Funds raised from community gatherings and bake sales have raised funds for our general fund. Much of this money is earmarked for children's programming. All research and implementation of/ for this grant is done by volunteers.

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Briefly describe the implementation schedule for this grant noting the estimated start date and date of completion. We will ask for additional feedback summarizing the results of your grant after the date of completion.  
Implementation would be immediate upon receiving funds. A 15 day window for order/ship. Titles would be added same day and available for patrons immediately.\_\_\_\_\_

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**Organization (501(c)(3) corporation, town, or other government entity) authorized to receive and assume responsibility for funds from the Library Grants Program:**

Name of Organization: Mildred Stevens Williams Memorial Library

Name and Title of Contact: Nancy Brown, Treasurer

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your completed application to:      Library Grants Program  
   Jamie Ritter, Program Director  
   MBNA Foundation  
   32 Washington Street  
   Camden, ME 04843

If you have any questions, please call Jamie Ritter at 1-800-386-6262, extension 0607.