

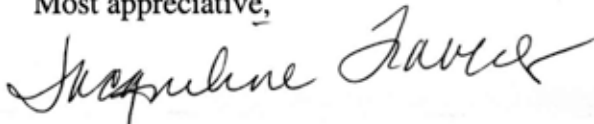
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Dear Directors of the Harvard Schools Trust,

I would like to whole-heartedly thank the Trust for approving my grant application for an interactive whiteboard (ActivBoard), new computer, and projector for the Physics classroom (Room 269) at the Bromfield School. The new classroom equipment has been functioning since the February break. The grant provided a huge upgrade to the mode of presentation within this classroom. Not only can students in ninth grade Physics simply see presentation materials better, the interactivity has allowed the students access to educational materials available on the internet, as well as materials having superior graphics and sound, bringing the classroom alive. In addition, the approved funds allowed for the purchase of a set of ActivExpressions (clickers) that can be used for formative assessments. The students and I can quickly assess their understanding of course content and the ActivExpressions allow for maximum participation from all students.

I truly believe the upgrade to this classroom made possible through this grant is enhancing the ninth grade Physics curriculum each and every day. This community is truly fortunate to have such a generous organization dedicated to improving the educational experience of its children. I welcome anyone interested from the Trust or the community to stop by and see the improvements to this Physics classroom.

Most appreciative,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jacqueline Travers".

Jacqueline Travers  
Physics Teacher