



QuarkNet Opportunities Feb-Mar 2022



*Stipends and supplies in the three programs described in below **do not** count as part of center expenditures and don't need to be included in RFP responses.*

QuarkNet-CMS Spring Teacher Institute

What: Four weekly 2-hour virtual sessions in March. Attend any number of sessions.

When: Join Wednesdays 6-8:pm ET and/or Sundays 3-5:pm ET.

Where: Zoom, fill out [this registration form](#) to receive the link.

Why: \$50 stipend per 2-hour session plus free books on particle physics and pedagogy

- Wed, Mar 2 and/or Sun, Mar 6: Connecting HEP research to HS standards
- Wed, Mar 9 and/or Sun, Mar 12: Lab investigations and data analysis
- Wed, Mar 16 and/or Sun, Mar 20: Equity and groupworthy tasks
- Wed, Mar 23 and/or Sun, Mar 27: Planning effective PD at your center

Find more information and detailed agenda [here](#). Note: Wednesday and Sunday sessions will have the same agendas and cover the same topics, though you're free to attend both sessions in a week if you'd like.

Cosmic Mini-grant

The mini-grant will reimburse up to \$250 with submission of receipt(s) for a dedicated computer and/or other hardware purchase to enable you to better utilize your QuarkNet detector. The \$250 reimbursement may be used toward a larger purchase, if needed. Note: we will only be able to reimburse for receipts submitted to QuarkNet by March 21. Mini-grants are limited and will be approved on a first-come first-served basis. [Apply here](#).

Stipends for teacher support of International Masterclasses

Any QuarkNet teacher who supports the masterclass at their center can request a stipend for time spent outside of school. This includes participation in Masterclass Orientations or Orientation Updates, preparatory activities with students, or the Masterclass itself. To access stipends, [fill out the timesheet form](#) for each instance of support.