

Augusta State University Student Technology Fee Proposal Form 007 1

Please complete the following information for projects to be submitted to the Student Technology Fee Committee.

Title of project: Digital Cameras for Use in Biology Laboratories  
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Department/Organization: Department of Biology  
Date: October 13, 2005  
Estimated Project Cost: \$1,750.00

Brief summary of the project:

Digital cameras are to be used by a large number of students enrolled in biology courses for photographing specimens used and displayed in labs. It is quite common for students to prepare a 3 x 5 card with organisms name/species/family and then to obtain a photograph to attach to the card. It is then used as a training and study tool. Providing digital cameras in these labs for this purpose would benefit a large number of students (potentially 2500 students per year if all students enrolled in Biology courses used these cameras), many of which would be non-biology majors. A total of 4 cameras, 4 downloading devices and 6 or more memory cards would be purchased.

Estimated cost for years 2 and 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Will this project become a recurring expense?  Yes  No

If the answer is yes, what are the plans for funding recurring expenses?  
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Could a portion of this project be funded and still be viable? If the answer is yes, please explain and prioritize:  Yes  No  
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Please estimate the approximate number of students that will benefit either directly or indirectly from this project. potentially 2500 per year

How does this project support academic/instructional activities?

These cameras will assist students in the study of models and diagrams, allowing them to study these outside of normal laboratory times. This should improve student learning and performance in the laboratory.

If the submitting organization is an academic or administrative department, is this project included in the unit plan?  N/A  Yes  No

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