

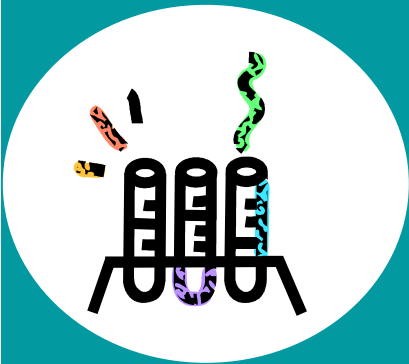


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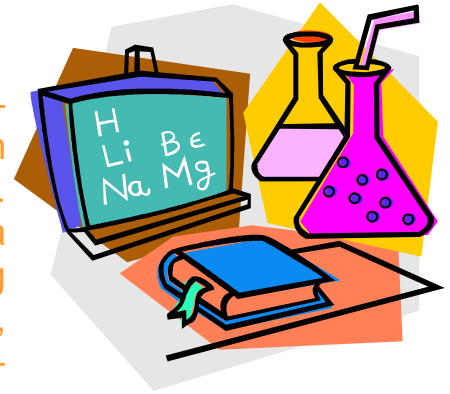


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Project Overview:

This grant helps create a biotechnology laboratory within Newton South High School. Biotechnology encompasses a wide range of fields, including the life sciences, chemistry, agriculture, environmental science, medicine, engineering, computer science and business. Biotechnology is inherently interesting to students, learning about cloning, forensics and helping the world fight off disease and famine. With the implementation of a career-oriented course at NSHS, students will be exposed to the fastest growing industry in our nation where there are jobs for many academic and skill levels.



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