

**Merced County Courthouse Museum**  
**21st & N Streets**  
**Merced, CA 95340**

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## Transportation Grant

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Merced County Courthouse Museum is providing transportation grants for field trips to visit the *Endangered Species of California's Central Valley* exhibit from August 13 to November 15, 2009.

The museum will offer up to **THREE \$200** transportation grants for Merced City schools and **THREE \$300** grants for Merced County schools. Transportation grants are available on a "first apply, first awarded basis." **One application per school.** Schools which received a transportation grant at the last exhibit ("Bear in Mind") can not apply for the grant. **No award given consecutively.**

To be eligible for the grant, schools must come primarily to visit the *Endangered Species of California's Central Valley* exhibit. This exhibit is recommended for the K to 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. Teachers are encouraged to preview the exhibit before visiting with their classes so they can relate the exhibit to the curriculum. It is also requested that teachers fill out and return the **Exhibit Evaluation Form** within two weeks of the visits.

Transportation grants can be applied using the **Field Trip Reservation Form**. Once received, the application is reviewed by the staff at the museum and a confirmation letter and award check will be sent to the contact person. Remember, grants are available on a "first apply, first awarded basis."

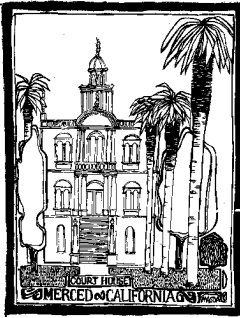
All transportation grant applications must be received at least one week prior to the date of the visit. All grant money must be used within the duration of the exhibition from August 13 to November 15, 2009.

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**Field Trip Transportation Grant Application Form**

**Did your school receive funding at the last exhibit?  yes  no (if “yes,” not eligible)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Visit \_\_\_\_\_ Arrival Time \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Students \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Group Leaders \_\_\_\_\_

Make transportation grant check payable to: \_\_\_\_\_

Send check to: \_\_\_\_\_

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**\* Transportation grants are available on a “first apply, first awarded basis.” One application per school.**

**Please include a letter of support from your principal with the completed form and send or fax to:**

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