

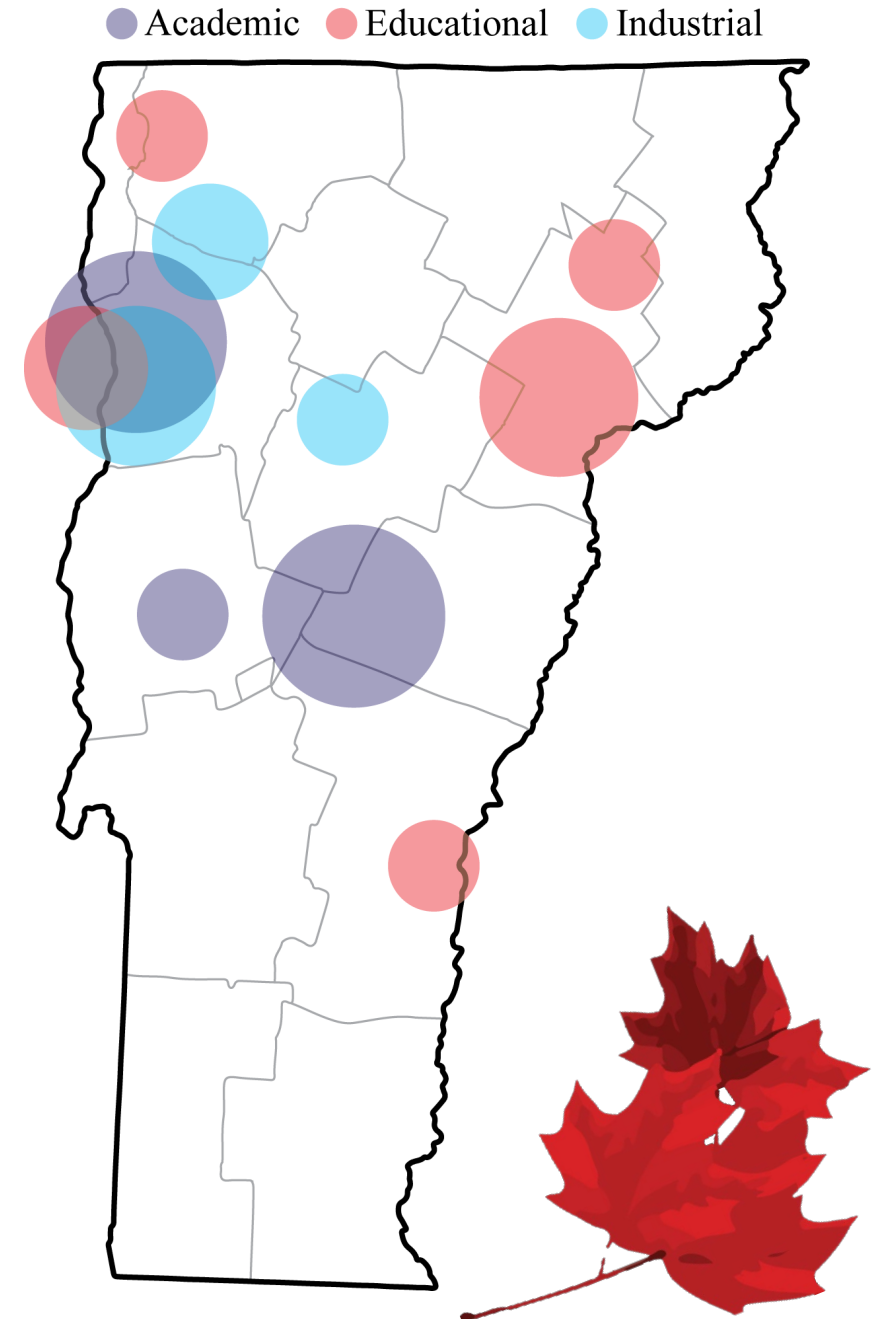
Making Space in Vermont

*A New NASA Grant to Support Vermont
Public Libraries*

NASA in Vermont? That's us!

- Vermont Space Grant Consortium
- Part of a nationwide network connecting NASA with universities, companies, museums, and people in our states

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Funding Vermont Public Libraries

- We're funding you to bring STEM programs to your library!
- Awards up to \$1,000
- Cover staff salary, supplies, participant-focused materials, external service providers, etc.
- Engage K-12 individuals





Fund Use Examples

- Purchasing materials needed to facilitate the NASA STEM Kits on STAR Net.
- Inviting presenters & mobile museum workshops from the Montshire Museum of Science.
- Engagement materials to host a NASA downlink, 20-min live call with astronauts aboard the ISS.



Fund Use Examples

- Swanton Public Library & the Planetarium Lady, 4/25
- Richmond Public Library & Exploring the Influence of Climate Change on Vermont's Forests, 2/29
- Westford Public Library & The World of Weather Presentation, 3/19

Application

1. Cover page
2. Program narrative
3. Description of the library(s) and community served
4. Budget detail with narrative and cost-share plan
5. If applicable, a signed letter of commitment from external STEM vendors that will be participating in the proposed program



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Application Timeline*



Applications open now!

Go to uvm.edu/spacegrant/libraries or scan the QR code



Applications due July 19, 2024

Follow the website or QR code for instructions.



Award Notification

We'll send reviews and award status to all applicants by August 15th, 2024.



Award Period

Design and deliver your program and use award funds by June 5, 2025.



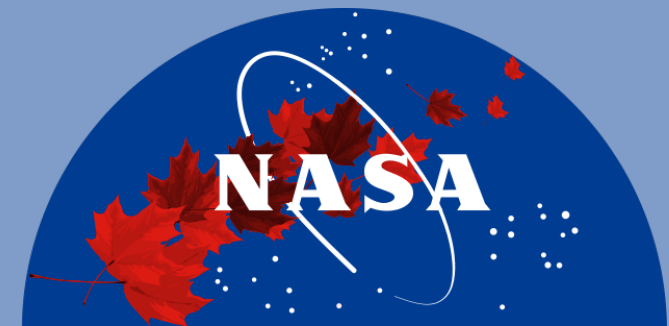
**This is our pilot year. For future years, applications will be due in the spring with the award period spanning June-June to support summer programming.*

**We look
forward
to funding
you!!**



Questions? Contact me anytime.

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That's all Folks!