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## **El Mirage receives library grant**

DYSART SCHOOLS — El Mirage Elementary School has been awarded a \$5000 library grant through Media In Education at *The Arizona Republic* and [azcentral.com](http://azcentral.com).

Media In Education (MIE) provides technology grants to Arizona educators in an effort to increase student access to web-based reading and research, and to support student journalism. This award will assist in funding library netbooks and digital cameras to create digital book trailers in Linda Alvarado's classroom.

Ms. Alvarado is one of 16 Arizona educators to receive a 2011 MIE Tech Grant. The technology grant program is in its third year, and so far, nearly \$300,000 has been awarded to Arizona teachers for classroom technology projects.

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