

Creative Funding – Pilot Seed Funding Opportunity

2023/2024

creativefunding@aberdeencity.gov.uk

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Deadline for completed applications is:

Sunday 15th October 2023 at midnight

Award Outcome

Monday 6th November 2023 at 5pm

2023-24

Example of Previous Creative Funding Projects
Doric Anthology - Friends of Elphinstone
Spoken Word Artist - Mae Diansangu
Photographer – Scott Hastie





Who can apply?

Advice for organisations

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- Applications will be considered from organisations whose proposed activity will be with, or for underrepresented groups or individuals in Aberdeen.
- Organisations who are based in Aberdeen City.
- Have not been in receipt of Creative Funding before or who have not received Creative Funding in the last 5 years, for example, since 2018/19.
- Can deliver high quality creative activity in Aberdeen.



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- Have not-for-profit status, such as a registered charity, volunteer association, social enterprise or community interest company. Commercial/ for profit businesses are excluded.
- Have an equal opportunity statement or policy or are willing to adopt Aberdeen City Council's.
- Have relevant accounting procedures and are able to keep appropriate financial records for reporting.
- Have a clear proposal that meets the criteria.



What areas/fields can Creative Funding support?

Criteria: Cultural and Creative focus

Archives

Computer Games

Crafts

Cultural Education

Dance

Design

Fashion and Textiles

Film and Video Heritage

Language and the Written Word

Music

Photography

Software/Electronic Publishing

Theatre

TV and Radio

Visual Arts

Writing and developing creative
written material

And more...



Advice - to assist you with your application.

Please arrange to have a 1-1 advice session for general support with your application. To set up a meeting please contact creativefunding@aberdeencity.gov.uk. A member of staff will be in touch to arrange a meeting.



Checklist

- Read the guidelines & check eligibility
- Research & identify supporters
- Ask questions
- Check your budget
- Attach support material
- Review application before submitting
- Submit before deadline

Advice Sessions

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To make an application 23/24

Download Application forms and Guidance forms from Aberdeen City Council website. [Creative Funding Awards | Aberdeen City Council](#)

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