

Please address all correspondence to:  
Birmingham Community Foundation (see address below)

# Birmingham Primary School Fund Grant Guidelines

The purpose of this fund is to promote the education and leisure of children attending Primary Schools within Birmingham through activities, events or materials/equipment that are not usually provided through the LEA as part of the National Curriculum.

## Criteria

The Trustees are keen to receive applications from Primary Schools that are able to demonstrate their project will bring benefit to their children and in doing so meet at least one of the objectives listed below:

- ⊙ To enhance the education and skills of children in the arts, including music, dance and drama
- ⊙ To provide additional (non text book) reading material for children to access for pleasure
- ⊙ To provide access to ICT material for extra-curricular activities
- ⊙ To support the improvement of sports and leisure facilities, both indoor and outdoor
- ⊙ To promote activities that reflect the cultural diversity of the local population
- ⊙ To support the inclusion of children with additional needs in extra-curricular activities

## How much can you apply for?

The maximum grant is £2,000. Only one grant available for each school per calendar year.

## Who can apply?

Any Primary School operating within Birmingham.

## We are currently unable to provide funding for:

- ⊙ Private/Independent schools
- ⊙ Staffing costs
- ⊙ A general subsidy for a particular budget or fund within a school
- ⊙ Individual Student costs or educational fees
- ⊙ The promotion of political or religious ideology

Donations in aid of general appeals are also unlikely to receive support.

Reports as to how grants have been used will increase the prospects of success with subsequent applications.

Trustees review applications on an ongoing basis.

Application should be made via an Application Form that can be downloaded via the Birmingham Community Foundation's website [www.bhamfoundation.co.uk](http://www.bhamfoundation.co.uk) or via the contact details below. We are happy to offer help in filling in the form if necessary.