



Fermanagh & Omagh  
District Council  
Comhairle Ceantair  
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# Grant Aid Guidance Notes

**Funding for the enclosed Grant Aid Streams covers the period  
1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021**

**Grant Aid Call Opening Date:**  
14 October 2020

**Grant Aid Call Closing Date:**  
5 November 2020 @ 5.00pm

Please note retrospective funding is not eligible.

Before submitting an application, groups are recommended to contact the relevant department to discuss the application. Officers are available to assist with any queries you may have regarding your application or the criteria. Please make sure you contact an officer well in advance of the closing date to avoid disappointment. Officer contact details are listed under each Grant Aid Stream over leaf.

**These Grant Aid Guidance Notes should be read in conjunction with Fermanagh & Omagh District Council's Grant Aid Code of Practice, which is available to download on the Council's website. <https://www.fermanaghomagh.com/services/funding-and-grants/>**

## **Grant Aid - for Older Persons Groups**

On this occasion Older Persons Groups must apply directly through the Council for funding

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| <b>Name of the Programme</b>                              | <b>Ulster Scots in the Community</b>   |
| <b>Programme Dates</b>                                    | <b>Funding covers the period: 1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021</b>  |
| <b>Brief Description</b>                                  | The Ulster Scots in the Community Grant Aid will provide support to a variety of organisations towards the delivery of programmes addressing Ulster Scots in the community.  |
| <b>Programme Specific Criteria</b>                        | <p>The applicant organisation should demonstrate how the proposed programme is responsive to local need.</p> <p>Programmes must promote Ulster Scots language and culture, music, drama dance or heritage.</p> <p>Applicant organisations must address one or more of the following: All programmes may include but not limited to: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Language</li> <li>2. Musical activities</li> <li>3. Dance</li> <li>4. Literature</li> <li>5. Drama</li> <li>6. Heritage</li> <li>7. Short talks</li> <li>8. Educational visits exploring any significant anniversaries or historical period</li> </ol> |
| <b>Average Grant Amount</b>                               | £500   |
| <b>Responsible Service Area</b>                           | Community Services   |
| <b>Contact Information for applicant support purposes</b> | <p>Applications can be discussed with the following officer:</p> <p>Tommy McLaughlin Good Relations Officer</p> <p>By telephone: Fermanagh and Omagh District Council - 0300 303 1777</p> <p>By email: <a href="mailto:tommy.mclaughlin@fermanaghomagh.com">tommy.mclaughlin@fermanaghomagh.com</a></p>  |