

Main Grants Scheme - Arts - 2023

10/01/2024

Organisation Name	Grant Amount	Project Title	Region
Royal National Theatre	£1,500,000	towards major capital improvements to backstage workspaces	London
Britten Pears Arts	£500,000	towards capital campaign to improve the sustainability, accessibility and environmental efficiency of buildings, specifically insulation of the auditorium roof and upgrading the theatre lighting with LED equivalents	East
Royal Opera House Covent Garden Foundation	£250,000	towards Internal refurbishment of the Chorus Rehearsal Room	London
The Old Vic Theatre Trust 2000	£200,000	towards The Annex, a five-floor extension of The Old Vic's footprint enabling the expansion of the learning and participation programme while improving future sustainability	London
The Arvon Foundation	£150,000	towards major capital project: the redevelopment of Arvon's Northern Writing House, Lumb Bank	Yorkshire & Humberside
Halle Concerts Society	£150,000	for phase one of plans to improve the storage and display of archives	North West
PACE Theatre Company	£150,000	towards capital funding for Exchange Young People's Theatre (Phase 2b)	Scotland
The Poetry Society	£150,000	towards the Foyle Young Poets of the Year Award in 2024 and 2025	U.K. Wide
The Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Society	£150,000	towards the replacement of the stage at Liverpool Philharmonic Hall	North West
Strand Arts Centre	£150,000	towards a major refurbishment of the building transforming it into a dedicated arts centre for the local community in east Belfast	Northern Ireland
The Yard Theatre	£150,000	towards creating a new permanent home for the theatre	London
Pitlochry Festival Theatre	£110,000	to invest in a new lighting console, masking and LED features	Scotland
Contemporary Dance Trust Limited	£100,000	towards refurbishment of the changing rooms, dressing rooms and café at The Place	London
Corn Exchange (Newbury) Trust	£100,000	towards the capital redevelopment of the Old Library to become a permanent home for creative wellbeing activity and a new studio theatre	South East
Gateway Studio CIO	£100,000	towards the restoration and conversion of the Trinity Centre to create a centre for arts, heritage and community	North East
Yvonne Arnaud Theatre Trust	£100,000	towards capital refurbishment to make the theatre accessible, sustainable and fit for purpose	South East
The Queen's Hall	£75,000	towards capital redevelopment	Scotland
Royal College of Music	£75,000	towards Britten Theatre Seating Replacement	London

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Seacourt Print Workshop	£74,999	towards the capital works as part of an overall community purchase of the Old Ulster Bank Building	Northern Ireland
Creative Youth Network	£74,900	towards equipping a redeveloped courtroom for performances, exhibitions and other cultural activities, in particular increasing access and opportunities for young creatives	South West
FACT Liverpool	£60,000	towards creating Studio/Lab, digital production studios and workspace for talent development, research and learning	North West
Art Academy	£50,000	towards the capital fit out costs of AAL Bankside, new campus and exhibition space	London
DesignerMakersCIO	£50,000	towards purchasing the organisation's building housing crafts, galleries and workshop spaces	East
Hampstead Theatre	£50,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	London
Kiln Theatre	£50,000	towards new writing at The Kiln in 2024	London
Leeds International Piano Competition	£50,000	towards core costs as the organisation builds activity in advance of the three-week festival to take place in Bradford in August 2024	Yorkshire & Humberside
Prior's Court Foundation	£50,000	towards stage two of works to create a Performing Arts Centre, specially designed around the needs of the severely autistic young people	South East
Queens Hall Arts	£50,000	towards fixing the failing roof above main stage and to uncover the art deco features of the building	North East
Sinfonietta Productions	£50,000	towards the salary of a Participation and Learning Producer, and the Composition Challenge project	England Multiple Regions
Dance East	£45,000	towards Future Dance Audiences to grow and diversify paying audiences for DanceEast in Ipswich, focusing on groups underrepresented amongst current attenders	East
The Guildhall Trust	£45,000	towards capital costs to modernise the main toilet facilities in the basement and to provide flexible and inspirational creative facilities	South West
Orchestras for All	£45,000	to support the youth orchestra over the next 12 months	U.K. Wide
Artes Mundi Prize	£40,000	towards the core costs of the Artes Mundi 10 Exhibition	Wales
Britten Sinfonia	£40,000	towards learning and participation programme including contribution towards the salary of the L&P Director	East
Camden People's Theatre	£40,000	towards the 30th anniversary programme in 2024	London
Compton Verney House Charity	£40,000	towards launch of sculpture park as part of Compton Verney's 20th anniversary celebrations	West Midlands
Create (Arts)	£40,000	towards ongoing costs over the next 12 months	England Country Wide
Flute Theatre	£40,000	towards a new production of Twelfth Night specially created and adapted for an audience of young autistic people	London

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Fuel Productions	£40,000	towards core costs, specifically towards staff costs associated with the development of new work	U.K. Wide
Jacksons Lane	£40,000	toward social circus youth programme	London
NoFit State Community Circus	£40,000	towards the costs of creating BAMBOO, a new outdoor circus production	Wales
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment	£40,000	for the purchase of orchestra/audience seating and a storage unit for the base in Acland Burghley School	London
The Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Society	£40,000	towards the Liverpool Philharmonic's Music and Mental Health Programme as it expands across Liverpool City Region	North West
Scottish Ballet	£39,400	towards replacing inefficient lightbulbs with LED lighting	Scotland
Electric Umbrella	£38,000	towards core costs - specifically, freelance Musicians and Music Practitioners in yearend March 2024	East
Bruiser Theatre Company	£36,500	towards the Bruiser in a Box The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (abridged) regional school tour to 15 post primary schools around Northern Ireland	Northern Ireland
Alternative Theatre Company	£35,000	towards the continuation and growth of the Talent Development Programme	London
WHALE the Arts Agency	£34,000	towards the Arts & Wellbeing programme over the next 12 months	Scotland
The Aloud Charity	£30,000	towards core costs for yearend August 2023	Wales
The Barn Theatre Project	£30,000	towards core costs and to support transition to a more diverse funding model	South West
Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra	£30,000	towards the Digital Programme	South West
Castle Bromwich Hall and Gardens Trust	£30,000	towards core costs to maintain a stable base for the growth of the artistic and public facing programmes	West Midlands
City of London Sinfonia Ltd	£30,000	towards core costs during new strategic shift	England Multiple Regions
An Lanntair	£30,000	to sustain and expand the artist support programme over the next 12 months	Scotland
Liberty Choir UK	£30,000	towards core costs to support the delivery of the prison programme	South East
The Music Works	£30,000	to support programming and running costs of a new music hub in the Forest of Dean in 2024/25	South West
New Future Collective	£30,000	towards core costs of this small-mid sized independent arts company over the next 12 months	London
New Writing North Ltd	£30,000	towards supporting freelancers and independent writers and artists as part of the Writing and Publishing Skills Hub for one year	North East
Olympias Music Foundation	£30,000	towards core costs of delivering music activity for adults and children in Manchester over 12 months	North West

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Opera Holland Park	£30,000	to purchase essential instruments and equipment	London
Paintings in Hospitals	£30,000	towards core costs in yearend March 2024	England Multiple Regions
Pegasus Opera Company Ltd	£30,000	towards Windrush Anniversary Concert (WAC) national tour, Interactive Exhibition and Windrush Travelling Songbook (WTS) taking place across five locations in the UK	London
Sampad (South Asian Arts Development)	£30,000	to support a part-time Learning Officer role and other associated costs with developing the new education programme from September 2023	West Midlands
Sinfonia Cymru	£30,000	to support core artistic programme in the season 2023/24 season	Wales
St George's Bristol	£30,000	towards core costs associated with delivering a series of 12 partnerships with new artists as part of the 200th anniversary programme	South West
Stills Centre for Photography	£30,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Scotland
Studio Voltaire	£30,000	towards running costs over the next 12 months	London
TAAG CIO	£30,000	towards roof works	South West
Thames Festival Trust	£30,000	towards core costs in 2024	England Multiple Regions
UD Music Foundation	£30,000	towards delivery of the Incubator Programme, a 10-month talent and career development process for ten independent artists and creatives specialising in Black music	London
City Arts (Nottingham)	£29,000	towards the artist development programme	East Midlands
Grampian Hospitals Art Trust	£28,000	towards a new Events Programmer and three new graduate interns	Scotland
UK New Artists	£27,000	towards the New Artist Collective programme in Lincoln during 2023	East Midlands
Children's Music Foundation in Scotland	£25,000	towards core costs in yearend May 2024	Scotland
Eden Court Highlands	£25,000	to upgrade to energy-efficient LED stage lighting for main theatre	Scotland
The Exchange Erith Ltd	£25,000	towards strengthening the sustainability of this young crafts organisation	London
Fallen Angels Dance Theatre North West	£25,000	towards 12-month professional development costs for FADT's Liverpool dance artist collective, including co-creating & showcasing a new dance theatre production with Brighton's New Note Orchestra	North West
Fighting Words Northern Ireland	£25,000	towards core costs in yearend March 2024	Northern Ireland
Gabrieli	£25,000	towards the Gabrieli Roar summer residential training course 2023	England Country Wide

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HighTide Festival Productions	£25,000	towards the pilot year of a new writer development programme which will specifically support East of England aspiring, emerging and mid-career playwrights	East
In Good Company	£25,000	to support development work with freelance artists and the theatre sector in the Midlands over the next 12 months	East Midlands
The London Chamber Orchestra Trust	£25,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	London
London International Festival of Theatre	£25,000	towards increasing audience representation from young, more diverse communities including two paid Audience Connectors who will work within their communities for 12 months	London
London Mozart Players Trust	£25,000	towards core funding over the next 12 months to support the education and outreach programme	London
Longfield Hall Trust	£25,000	towards the Youth Performing Arts programme which offers weekly free theatre workshops to young people (6 to 16) and supports access to progression opportunities	London
The National Youth Ballet of Great Britain	£25,000	towards core costs of Company and Widening Participation activities in yearend December 2023	U.K. Wide
North West Play Resource Centre	£25,000	towards production costs for Beyond Belief: The Life and Mission of John & Pat Hume	Northern Ireland
The Orchestra of the Swan	£25,000	towards ongoing costs over the next 12 months	West Midlands
Pushkin House Trust	£25,000	towards the new post of Curator of Public Programming and Exhibitions	London
RABBLE Theatre CIO	£25,000	towards core costs of delivering community work over the next 12 months	South East
Samling Institute for Young Artists	£25,000	to underpin work with Samling Academy and to launch Samling Singing Schools	North East
Turtle Key Arts	£25,000	to support, upskill and train freelancers and new creatives as part of Turtle Key Arts and Ockham's Razors new production of Tess	U.K. Wide
World Heart Beat Music Academy	£25,000	towards essential equipment for new building	London
Young Musicians Symphony Orchestra	£25,000	towards ongoing costs over the next 12 months	London
Zoo CO Creative	£25,000	towards NightShift a theatre production with a 50/50 Deaf and hearing production team and cast presented as part of Croydon City of Culture 2023	London
DanceWest London	£21,000	to support the Next Generation work placement programme for trainee community dance teachers and producers	U.K. Wide

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Kirklees Theatre Trust	£21,000	to cover the purchase of a new lighting desk for the main house	Yorkshire & Humberside
Newhampton Arts Centre	£20,200	to cover new sound equipment for the theatre space	West Midlands
174 Trust	£20,000	towards the cost of delivering the arts programme at The Duncairn Centre	Northern Ireland
Abram Wilson Foundation for Creative Arts	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	England Multiple Regions
Arcangelo	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	U.K. Multiple Countries
The Belfast Ensemble	£20,000	to support artistic programme for period up to 31 March 2024	Northern Ireland
Big Telly Theatre Company	£20,000	towards Granny Jackson's Dead a piece of durational theatre taking place in a domestic house	Northern Ireland
British Youth Music Theatre	£20,000	towards core costs and support for relocation to Leeds in 2024/25	U.K. Wide
Celebrating Sanctuary	£20,000	towards core programme costs over the next 12 months with a focus on Artist Development and New Works	West Midlands
Circusful	£20,000	towards the salaries of two staff members who are essential to delivery and widening participation	Northern Ireland
Creative Youth	£20,000	towards the visual arts programme between May 2023 - March 2024 at FUSEBOX, a new, multi-arts space on Kingston's riverside	South East
Flax Art Studios	£20,000	towards core costs, particularly staffing	Northern Ireland
Groundswell Arts	£20,000	towards core costs in yearend March 2024	England Country Wide
Guild of Players	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Scotland
Highly Sprung Performance	£20,000	towards the development and delivery of Blue, Brown and Green, a new cultural performance and educational project for children aged 5 to 7 years from underprivileged backgrounds in Coventry	West Midlands
In Between Time	£20,000	towards core costs	South West
The International Organ Festival Society	£20,000	towards the core costs of delivering 60th anniversary festival	South East
IRIE! dance theatre	£20,000	towards new digital equipment and training	London
Luton Carnival Arts Development Trust	£20,000	to deliver in-house carnival costume making programme working in partnership with resident artistic company, Rampage	South East
Manchester Collective	£20,000	towards delivery over the next 12 months	North West
Movema	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	England Multiple Regions

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Music and Theatre for All	£20,000	as core funding support in yearend March 2024	U.K. Wide
National Youth Choir of Scotland	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Scotland
Northern Opera Group	£20,000	towards Leeds Opera Festival 2023	Yorkshire & Humberside
Omnibus Theatre	£20,000	towards the theatre's flagship artists development programme, Engine Room and to launch Moongate as the Company in residence	London
ORA Choir	£20,000	towards core costs	U.K. Multiple Countries
Papatango Theatre Company	£20,000	towards ongoing activity over the next 12 months	East
Peut-Etre Theatre	£20,000	towards ongoing costs over the next 12 months	England Country Wide
Plymouth Arts Cinema	£20,000	towards core costs in 2023/24	South West
The Poetry Archive	£20,000	towards the core costs of producing, cataloguing, archiving and publishing to the website of British Sign Language poetry	South West
Protein Dance	£20,000	towards core costs to support long-term sustainability following the loss of core Arts Council funding	U.K. Wide
Silent Uproar	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Yorkshire & Humberside
Tetbury Rail Lands Regeneration Trust	£20,000	towards core costs of operating the Tetbury Goods Shed	South West
The Ulster Youth Orchestra	£20,000	towards the 30th anniversary summer residential course and concerts in 2023	Northern Ireland
Waters Edge Arts Ltd	£20,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	North West
Montage Theatre Arts	£19,000	towards the development and expansion of the subsidised and free spaces programmes offered to low-income families	London
Southbank Sinfonia	£18,700	to cover the replacement of existing ambient lighting with LED lighting at St John's Smith Square	London
Northern Chamber Orchestra Ltd	£18,600	towards 2024/25 Engagement Programme and particularly the P/T Education Officer and rechargeable music stands	North West
British Youth Opera	£17,000	towards BYO Base, a new digital platform to open access to opera for all	U.K. Wide
People's Palace Projects	£16,500	towards Ageless, a stand alone dance element of a larger project entitled A Very British Rhythm: Ageless	U.K. Wide
BEEE Creative CIO	£15,000	towards core funding in 2024 to support programme of dance and interdisciplinary community projects in Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire	East

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Birmingham Centre For Arts Therapies	£15,000	towards the arts-in-health programme at libraries across Birmingham	West Midlands
Citrus Arts	£15,000	towards ongoing costs over the next 12 months	Wales
Conflux Scotland	£15,000	towards project funding to support the expansion and development of the Community Street Theatre Project 2023/24	Scotland
Face Front Inclusive Theatre	£15,000	to support a one year programme for Blue Sky Actors Project	London
Hear Me Out Music	£15,000	towards the core costs of developing and delivering artistic programmes immigration detention over the next 12 months for people with lived experience of immigration detention	U.K. Wide
Kabosh	£15,000	towards core costs in yearend March 2024	Northern Ireland
Leeds Lieder+	£15,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Yorkshire & Humberside
Lyra	£15,000	towards project costs for a new production by Lyra's Young Company of teenagers	Scotland
The New English Ballet Theatre	£15,000	towards the core costs of the performing season between July and November 2023	South East
Rosetta Life	£15,000	towards core costs in yearend March 2024	England Multiple Regions
Perth Festival of the Arts Ltd	£14,000	to support the delivery of a 10-day Arts Festival in the city of Perth in May 2024	Scotland
Manchester City of Literature	£12,500	towards the Sound It Out: Community Podcasting project	North West
St Paul's Arts Trust	£11,000	towards Passenger/wheelchair Lift Replacement at the arts and community venue	London
Beating Time	£10,000	towards a pilot Community Music in Prisons Leadership programme for young musicians	West Midlands
Brixton Chamber Orchestra	£10,000	towards an interactive gamified orchestral performance event in Brockwell Park, called Music trail	London
The Joseph Rowntree Theatre	£10,000	towards installing LED light fittings to the main auditorium	Yorkshire & Humberside
The Marian Consort	£10,000	towards the core costs of this vocal ensemble over the next 12 months	U.K. Wide
Opera Brava	£10,000	towards core costs and equipment in 2023	U.K. Wide
The Sound Lab	£10,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	Scotland
Tinderbox Theatre Company	£10,000	towards the production and workshop costs for a modern adaptation of Rhinoceros for Belfast International Arts Festival 2023	Northern Ireland
Voices of Hope	£10,000	towards a collaborative project between five community choirs and emerging professional musicians	South East
West Acre Arts Foundation	£10,000	towards core costs over the next 12 months	East
Grand Totals	£7,926,299		