

The Children's Arts Covid-19 Fund

- for individuals



We will be awarding eight grants of £250 to children's arts professionals who have been adversely affected by Covid-19.

Eligibility – to apply for this funding, you must either:

- * have a three year demonstrable track-record of working predominantly in children's arts *OR*
- * have graduated from a creative education degree in the last three years.

You must also have a current DBS check.

We will expect all applicants to utilise the grant for one of the following:

- * to move their business online;
- * to develop their online presence;
- * to learn a new skill, or to develop a skill that is relevant to their practice;
- * to purchase equipment;
- * to join a professional body.

How to apply – please write no more than 500 words, using the following headings:

1a. Children and Young People – tell us about the work that you have created for children and young people over the last three years. We are particularly interested in work for children aged 13 and under. *OR*

1b. If you are a recent graduate, please tell us about the focus of your studies, and what your professional ambitions are.

2. Finances – How would you use a £250 grant from ACA? Please explain how it would develop your creative practice / enable you to respond to the challenges presented by Covid-19.

3. Other support – please disclose what other funding you have applied for and (if relevant) why you are ineligible for the freelance support scheme.

Please also remember to include your DBS number.

**All applications should be sent to mimi.doulton@childrensarts.org.uk
DEADLINE – 5pm on Wednesday 27 May 2020**

We aim to contact all applicants with a final decision by Friday 12 June. Funds will be distributed ASAP on or after this date.