



BANFFSHIRE EDUCATIONAL TRUST SCHEME 1976

CONDITIONS OF AWARD OF GRANT

1. Moray Council has powers to make grants for various purposes, details of which are given below in section 4.
2. Grants can normally be made only to:-
 - persons resident in the former county of Banffshire,
 - school pupils or young persons attending schools or further education centres in the former county of Banffshire,
 - school pupils whose parents/carers are resident in the former county of Banffshire,
 - schools and further education centres in the former county of Banffshire, and
 - clubs and organisations operating for the benefit of persons belonging to the former county of Banffshire
3. In making grants for any purpose, financial circumstances will be taken into account and household income should not exceed £34,000 per year. Applicants must be ordinarily resident in the former county of Banffshire for the 3 years immediately prior to the start date of course or activity. The closing date for applications each year will be 30 September.
4. Details of purposes for which grants may be made under the various sections of the Trust Scheme:-

Section 24: Post-Graduate Scholarships

Scholarships may be awarded for research work or for advanced or special study to persons who are of high attainment and promise and who have graduated at a university or have obtained an equivalent qualification. Each candidate shall submit for the approval of the Council, a programme of the work or study to be undertaken. Scholarships are tenable for one year in the first place but may be renewed. Application should be made in advance of the date when it is proposed to begin the work.

Section 25: Bursaries for Higher Education

Bursaries may be awarded to persons who are about to enter, or who are in attendance at, a University or any Institution of Further or Higher Education or who are about to register or have registered for Open University courses.

Section 26: Grants for Second or Subsequent Degrees

Grants may be made to persons who have obtained a degree or equivalent qualification to enable them to obtain a second degree or qualification.

Section 27: Grants for Mature Students

Grants may be made to persons of eighteen years of age or over who do not possess the qualifications necessary for entry to a University or Institution of Further or Higher Education to enable them to prepare for such entry.

Section 28: Grants for Apprentices and Trainees

Persons serving apprenticeships or undergoing courses of instruction at a University or other Institution of Further or Higher Education may apply for grants towards the costs of books, instruments, tools, kits or personal equipment and to meet any other expenditure necessarily incurred.

Section 29: Travel Scholarships

Scholarships may be awarded to individuals to enable them to travel outwith Scotland to a University or any Institution of Further or Higher Education approved by the Council, to stay at or near such University or Institution while undergoing a course of study, and to meet any fees, necessary books or instruments.

Section 30: Travel Grants

Grants may be made to individuals to enable them to travel in either Great Britain or abroad for any purpose of an educational nature. Applicants will be required to submit a statement of the purposes for which the journey is to be undertaken, the places to be visited, and the probable length of absence from home.

Section 31: School Excursions – Grants to Individuals

Grants may be made for an individual young person (school age) to participate in educational school excursions.

Section 32: Educational Excursions – Grants to Organisations

Grants may be made to schools or youth organisations to undertake educational excursions.

Section 33: Special Equipment

Grants may be made to schools and further education centres to assist in providing special equipment in supplement to that which the Education Authority might reasonably be expected to supply.

Section 34: Sports Facilities

Grants may be made -

- (1) to assist in providing and maintaining playing fields and other sports facilities for the benefit of children and young people resident in the former county of Banffshire, and
- (2) to assist in defraying travelling expenses of school teams and the expense of inter-school sports meetings and in providing apparatus and equipment, including personal equipment and sports clothing.

Section 35: Support of Clubs, etc.

Grants may be made to clubs, societies and organisations, which include among their functions, activities of an educational nature.

Section 36: Adult Education

Expenditure may be incurred:-

- (1) In organising or assisting to organise lectures, seminars or other suitable forms of tuition or group learning, and
- (2) In making grants to persons who require financial aid to enable them to attend any Institution or organised course for adult education.

Sections 37, 38 and 39: Promoting Education in Drama, Music and Visual Arts

Grants may be made to assist the promotion of education in Drama, Music and Visual Arts through schools and organisations.

Section 40: Educational Experiments and Research

Grants may be made to assist bodies and individuals to undertake educational experiments and research which will be for the educational benefit of persons ordinarily resident in the former county of Banffshire. Applicants should give full details of the work to be undertaken and the probable cost, and application should be before the work is begun.