

Local Community Fund 2019-23 Schemes

Community Safety

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Scheme No 5A – Reduction in the exploitation of children and young people, and vulnerable groups

Overview

[Statement from relevant strategies]

The VCS has a unique role in helping to achieve that vision through innovative community focussed services co-designed with local residents and service users. This theme sets out the priority areas where VCS organisations are well placed to make a significant impact.

Priorities

1. Reduction in the exploitation of children and young people, and vulnerable groups

In this priority we are looking in particular to Increase the extent to which young people feel safe and reduce in the number of children and young people, and vulnerable groups being exploited.

Outcomes

1. *Children, young people and other vulnerable groups:*
2. *Have increased confidence and critical thinking skills*
3. *Have an increased understanding of what a safe relationship is, what exploitation is, and how to spot the signs of abuse and exploitation*
4. *Have an emotional and actual vocabulary to articulate what is happening to them*
5. *Are better able to challenge and support each other around relationships*

Examples of activities

We can achieve these outcomes through a range of activities and services. These might include:

1. *Activities focused on prevention and entry into gangs*
2. *Work with schools*

These examples provide a flavour of the types of activity we might support but it is not intended to be a full list.

Geographic Spread

Bids may be submitted for borough wide projects or for projects which are specific to a defined geographic area.

Consortia bids may be made for linked local services which provide a borough wide pattern of provision.

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Levels of Funding

The budget allocated to this theme is £180,000 per annum. Each priority area within this theme has a notional budget but there may be some variation depending on the number and quality of bids received. The notional budget for this priority is £X0,000 per annum.

There is no limit on the amount you may apply for but we intend to fund a number of projects within this priority so unless you are bidding as a consortium you should not bid for the whole of the budget. Also, please bear in mind the guidance about including full costs in your bid and that the Council will only be making offers different from the amount bid for in exceptional cases.

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Scheme No 5B – Improving the perception of young people in the community

Overview

[Statement from relevant strategies]

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Priorities

1. Improving the perception of young people in the community

In this priority we are looking in particular to provide children and young people with opportunities to develop good relationships with others in the community to help break down barriers and and develop good, positive relationships between people of different generations.

Outcomes

1. Children and young people are, and are seen to be, a positive part of the community
2. Increased community cohesion and sense of belonging
3. Residents, especially older people, people feel less wary of children and young people

Examples of activities

We can achieve these outcomes through a range of activities and services. These might include:

1. *Activities to be inserted.*

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Scheme No 5C – Services for people affected by domestic violence, or other unsafe circumstances

Overview

[Statement to be added from relevant strategies]

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Priorities

1. Services for people affected by domestic violence

In this priority we are looking in particular to:

- a) *Increase the extent to which young people affected by DVSA feel safe;*
- b) *Increase the extent to which families affected by domestic violence feel safe*

Outcomes

1. *More residents, particularly families and young people, are aware of the different forms that domestic violence and sexual abuse (DVSA) can take, know how to report it, and where to access support.*
2. *Young victims and witnesses of DVSA are supported to recognise and report it.*

Examples of activities

We can achieve these outcomes through a range of activities and services. These might include:

1. *Activities focused on supporting children affected by domestic violence;*
2. *Activities focused on supporting families affected by domestic violence;*
3. *Activities focused on supporting people affected by domestic violence.*

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