

Grants made in 2002:

Strategic initiatives and Shared grants

Strategic initiatives: ARTS & HERITAGE

Regional Theatre Initiative

A strategic programme that provides directors with their first opportunity to direct a major production in regional theatres in England and Scotland. From an overall fund of £450,000 three grants were approved in 2002.

Regional Museum Initiative

A strategic programme to help regional museums to strengthen their exhibition programmes. From 2003, grants will be allocated from a total fund of £800,000.

Strategic initiatives: EDUCATION

Engaging Hard to Reach Learners – a joint initiative between Esmée Fairbairn, NIACE and WEA

A £500,000 project to support the development of new strategies for engaging hard-to-reach adult learners in Barnsley and the Forest of Dean.

Head Support

A programme that aims to develop the leadership skills of middle managers in five schools in Birmingham.

Esmée Fairbairn/Villiers Park Partnership

A research project to identify new professional development opportunities for subject teachers in primary and secondary schools.

Strategic initiatives: ENVIRONMENT

Allotment initiative

An initiative worth £500,000 to develop 'how to' models for regenerating underused allotment sites or finding alternative ways of maintaining them as publicly accessible open spaces. Grants will be allocated in 2003; a single grant was made in 2002 to support the development of the initiative.

Federation of City Farms and Community Gardens

A grant of £90,000 towards the costs over two years of a Project Officer to develop the capacity of voluntary allotment societies to contribute to the regeneration of UK allotments.

Esmée Fairbairn UK Biodiversity Programme

A £500,000 programme to support the recovery of threatened UK species that are not benefiting from other funding sources. Grants will be allocated in 2003.

Strategic initiatives: RETHINKING CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

A strategic initiative worth £3 million over three years from 2001 which is designed to raise the level of debate about responses to crime, and to identify credible alternatives to prison.

RCP Grants approved over £10,000

Centre for Crime and Justice Studies - £77,500

Towards the costs of developing and maintaining a public information criminal justice website, designed to raise the level of debate about crime and criminal justice issues.

CIVITAS - £28,500

Towards the salary and costs of a researcher to research and review evidence outlining the most successful way of reducing re-offending by convicted criminals in the US and UK.

Common Purpose UK - £50,000

Towards the salary over two years of a Project Director, to help educate and inform local opinion leaders from the community, public and private sectors about crime and punishment.

DrugScope - £95,600

Towards the salary over two years of a Campaign Worker, and associated costs, to run a campaign to inform public attitudes to women drug offenders in prison.

Inside Out Trust - £70,336

Towards the salary over two years of a part-time Events Organiser to hold a series of events and discussions in prisons in England and Wales, and to engage with the local community.

Justice Research Consortium - £63,750

Towards the costs of a Programme Co-ordinator and support staff to involve opinion formers and policy-makers in restorative justice conferences.

National Children's Bureau - £152,000

Towards the salary over two years of a Co-ordinator, Campaigns Officer and Administrator, to run a public awareness campaign 'Rethinking Child Crime', to help raise the level of debate about policy and practice with young offenders.

National Probation Service of England and Wales, Staffordshire area - £13,667

Towards the salary of a Project Manager to develop case studies of offenders/ex-offenders for national and regional media outlets, and community education

initiatives.

Payback - £39,864

Towards the salary of the Broadcast Manager and costs to enable Payback to work more effectively with the media.

Prison Advice and Care Trust - £17,851

Towards the costs of producing and distributing a resource pack to 15,000 Anglican and Catholic Parishes in England and Wales to raise awareness of the needs of prisoners and their families.

Prison Reform Trust - £27,000

Towards the dissemination and policy proposal costs of the research findings of the RCP funded 'Use of Custody and Other Sentencing' report.

Prison Reform Trust - £72,000

Towards the costs over two years of supporting ex-prisoners and their families, increasing the debate about alternatives to prisons and engaging local MPs.

Revolving Doors Agency - £54,264

Towards the salary over two years of the Head of Communications and Policy who will establish a unit to raise the profile of those with mental health problems in contact with the criminal justice sector.

SACRO - £100,000

Towards the costs of improving knowledge and understanding of community penalties and restorative justice in Scotland.

Scottish Consortium on Crime and Criminal Justice - £36,500

Towards the costs of producing proposals and disseminating information to promote restitution and rehabilitation as key principles in sentencing.

Thames Valley Partnership - £50,000

Towards the salary, publicity and dissemination costs, over two years, of the 'Restorative Justice, Community Involvement and Community Justice Project.'

RCP Grants approved up to £10,000

British Society of Criminology - £2,000

Essex Restorative Justice Group - £6,000

Legal Action Group - £9,800

NACRO - £9,950

Prison Advice and Care Trust - £3,000

Salvation Army United Kingdom Territory HQ - £3,000

University of Central England - £3,000

Victim Support London - £1,500

YMCA England - £9,950

RCP	
Total value for Programme	£997,032
Total number for Programme	25

Shared grants

Grants approved over £10,000

Association of Charitable Foundations - £10,000

Towards the costs of an investigation into how voluntary organisations can replicate successful projects more readily.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage, Education, Environment and Social Development

Bodelwyddan Castle Trust - £37,080

Towards the costs over two years of a pilot adult education programme for independent museums in Conwy and Denbighshire.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

Centre for Adolescent Rehabilitation - £200,000

Towards the costs over two years of purchasing and developing the Centre and promoting and establishing future centres across England and Wales.

Funded jointly by Social Development and RCP

Children's Music Workshop - £10,000

Towards the costs of an organisational review.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

Ebbw Vale and District Development Trust - £85,185

Towards the costs over three years of two Community Leader apprentices to work with disadvantaged young people.

Funded jointly by Education and Social Development

Ffotogallery Wales Limited - £4,500

Towards artists' fees and workshop costs for a project which engages homeless people in Cardiff in a creative learning programme.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

Forward Arts Foundation - £85,000

Towards the salary over three years of the Administrative Director.

Funded jointly by Education and Arts & Heritage

Grassmarket Project - £25,000

Towards the salary costs of the new Senior Administrator to help re-organise the company.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

Heart'n Soul - £66,000

Towards workshop, production and touring costs to develop skills in the arts for young people with learning difficulties.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Social Development

Hi8us Projects Limited - £67,000

Towards the costs over two years of video project for young people at risk of exclusion across the UK.

Funded jointly by Education and Arts & Heritage

New Belfast Community Arts Initiative - £50,000

Towards the costs over three years of art facilitators for workshops with community groups to challenge traditional divisions.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Social Development

Nottingham Trent University - £80,000

Towards the costs of a project to establish the attitudes of the public and educationalists to the education of young offenders, enabling professionals to rethink their approach and to influence wider public opinion.

Funded jointly by Education and RCP

Starts Arts & Environmental Centre - £60,000

Towards the core costs over two years of this rural arts and environment centre.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Environment

Sutton Borough Citizens Advice Bureau - £9,000

Towards purchasing adviser time for the residents of the St Helier Estate. This is an exceptional grant in recognition of the late Esmée's involvement in setting up the branch.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage, Education, Environment and Social Development

The Athene Trust - £10,000

Towards curatorial costs, a teacher's pack and craft demonstrations to accompany a touring exhibition with workshops to improve craft skills amongst teachers and pupils.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

The No Way Trust - £106,582

Towards the salaries and costs of a Training Manager and the Crime and Safety Awareness Day Co-ordinator to raise awareness among young people about the risks

and penalties of criminal behaviour.
Funded jointly by Social Development and Education

The Press Wise Trust - £67,050

Towards costs of a project to improve public understanding of media process, alert media professionals to their responsibilities to civil society, provide support to those harmed by unethical journalism and deliver training to improve media coverage of the vulnerable.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage, Education, Environment and Social Development

The Roundhouse Trust - £250,000

Towards the costs of the re-development of the Roundhouse.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage and Education

The University of London - £60,000

Towards the salaries and costs over two years of looking at effective scrutiny at all levels of government in the UK.

Funded jointly by Arts & Heritage, Education, Environment and Social Development

Women's Education in Building Limited - £100,000

Towards the costs over three years of providing pre-vocational support, peer training, language support, enterprise training and ICT.

Funded jointly by Education and Social Development

Shared grants

Total value for Programme	£1,382,397
Total number for Programme	20