

grant assessment form

1	Purpose of the group	
		The New Farm Loch Playgroup provides pre-school care and education for local children under 5 years old.
2	Purpose of the grant	
		The grant is to provide new and updated equipment for the playschool to help fulfil different aspects of the pre-school curriculum. As well as consumable, such as art supplies, a large number of permanent items have also been requested for the group (easels, hospital set, metal detectors etc)
3a	How many people are on the group's Management Committee?	5
3b	What is the group's total membership?	38
3c	How many people in the group would benefit from the grant?	38
3d	How many people usually attend the group?	38
3e	How many people are expected to attend?	
4	How will the grant develop the group/organisation or benefit the local community?	
		The monies will increase the number and range of resources for children attending the group which will enhance their experience of pre-school education. Additionally this will assist them in their educational development and transition to primary school

5	Total cost of project		£ 1784.13	6	Recommendation	
	Amount of grant requested		£ 1784.13		Support	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Bank Balance(s)	Date 28/02/06	£ 6373.38		Refuse	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Where the group has more than one bank account all balances should be recorded				Defer	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cash in hand	Date	£		Amount Recommended	£ 1784.13
	Name of other funding source				Reason for recommendation	
	Amount and date of grant				As their expenditure is for a group of 38 children and will also benefit future intakes to the playgroup. The grant represents value for money. Moreover in line with aims of the curriculum the items would add to the children's educational experience.	
£	Date					

7 **If latest bank balance exceeds the cost of the project or is substantial, are these funds ring-fenced for the normal activities of the group or can they contribute to the cost of the project?**

Funds for the bank are ringfenced for the payment of the 3 full-time and 1 part-time playworker. Monies are also used for the ongoing running costs including snacks and other arts supplies. The expenditure of these funds are projected until the end of August.

8 **Does the project represent value for money?** Yes No

9 **If there are any revenue implications how will they be met in future years?**

10 **Cross boundary grant (if applicable) and division per committee (the calculation should identify the corresponding number of individuals within the respective Local Committee areas who will directly benefit from the grant award)**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Cumnock Area	<input type="checkbox"/>	Kilmarnock Central	<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Area
<input type="checkbox"/>	Doon Valley	<input type="checkbox"/>	Kilmarnock South	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other areas outwith East Ayrshire
<input type="checkbox"/>	Irvine Valley	Method of Division			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kilmarnock North				

All questions on this form must be completed