

CLASSICS FOR ALL

Championing Classics in Schools

Our Grants Programme



What we fund

We offer start-up funding to introduce or develop the teaching of Classics, including Ancient History, Classical Civilisation, Greek and Latin in UK state primary or secondary schools.

Who we fund

- Individual state primary or secondary schools.
- Groups of schools working together or with universities and voluntary organisations. In a consortium application, one organisation should be nominated as the lead applicant.
- We will consider funding partnerships between independent and state schools, where independent schools cover their own costs and work will benefit state school partners.



“ One major responsibility of education is to open pupils’ eyes to the riches around them, past and present. ”

– Dr Peter Jones, co-founder, Classics for All

What costs will we cover?

We will consider supporting:

- Continuing Professional Development, training and mentoring for serving teachers
- Cover costs for teachers attending training
- Evaluation
- Temporary staffing where it results in the sustainable introduction of Classics to a school
- A contribution to the running costs of regional Classics networks
- Modest support for books as part of a broader proposal to develop new Classics provision

What we will not support

- Requests that are solely for textbooks or course materials
- Funding for existing Classics provision
- Research
- Publications
- Permanent teaching staff
- Funding for individuals, including bursaries
- Independent schools
- Projects outside the UK, including overseas expeditions and travel
- General appeals or circulars
- Work that has already taken place
- Applications from organisations that do not have charitable status.

Ready to find out more?

Study the grants section on the website www.classicsforall.org.uk. This gives you further examples of projects we have funded and details of the application process.

If you are interested in applying for funding, email the Classics for All team at grants@classicsforall.org.uk, and leave us a contact number.

Why Classics?

- Learning Latin or Greek can improve grammar, spelling, vocabulary and communications skills.
- Knowledge of classical languages makes the study of French, Spanish and Italian easier.
- Studying Classical Civilisation and Ancient History offer a fascinating insight into the history, politics and culture of the ancient world, developing analytical skills and cultural reference points.
- Classical subjects are respected by universities and employers.
- Studying Classics can raise young people's aspirations.

Examples of funded work

Among other things, our funding has supported:

- Primary schools to introduce Latin as part of the literacy and Modern Foreign Languages curriculum.
- The introduction of Latin to support literacy with pupils in the first years of secondary school.
- The launch of after-school clubs to stimulate demand for Classics among pupils at all ages and stages.
- Continuing Professional Development to enhance teachers' classical subject knowledge.
- Support for schools to add a new classical subject to the existing Classics curriculum.
- The development of regional networks to increase the numbers of schools teaching classical subjects.

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