



Intergenerational Grant Fact Sheet

Funding Amount: Up to \$1000

Who can apply? Primary and Secondary Schools, Early Years Services and Kindergartens in Whitehorse.

What is the Intergenerational Grant?

The Intergenerational Grant supports activities to foster connections between generations, celebrate the valuable contribution of older people, and improve the health and wellbeing of older people in the community.

This grant is a sub-category of the Positive Ageing Grant.

The objectives of this grant are:

- To enable connections and encourage collaboration between children and older people in the local community.
- To facilitate the sharing of knowledge, skills and experience between generations.
- To tackle ageism towards older people.

Examples:

This grant will support initiatives and projects that demonstrate health and wellbeing benefits. These include but are not limited to:

- Reading Pals
- Skills exchange
- Music sessions
- Drama sessions
- Arts activities
- Storytelling and life stories
- Games
- Gardening
- Cooking/recipe exchange
- Cultural exchange
- Letter Writing

Who To Partner With?

- Local aged care residential facility(s)
- Seniors' activity clubs
- Service clubs
- Senior citizens clubs
- Retirement villages

Assessment Criteria:

Applications must ensure to address the following criteria:

Criteria	Weighting
Alignment to one or more strategic directions outlined in the Whitehorse Council Plan or the 2040 Community Vision <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Application clearly articulates how their proposed project is aligned to the Council Plan strategic directions.	30%
Clear project plan and budget. <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Application clearly outlines the project plan and timeline.▪ Application clearly demonstrates how the requested funding from Council will be allocated.▪ Application demonstrates in-kind and financial support from other sources.	25%
Evidence of community need or emerging priority. <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Application is supported by provision of data, case studies, local knowledge etc., which demonstrates the community need for the proposed project/activity.	20%
Project is clearly short term/one-off or sustainable into the future. <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Application demonstrates that the success of the project/activity/purchase will not rely on ongoing funding from Council.	15%
Experience/capacity to deliver. <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Application demonstrates that the organisation has relevant experience and genuine capacity to deliver the project/activity.	10%

Council supports applications that demonstrate consideration of **gender equality and environmental sustainability**. All applicants are encouraged to:

- Increase community awareness and understanding of environmental sustainability
- Help ensure our natural environment is healthy and sustainable for future generations
- Build community capacity to live sustainably through efficient use of water and energy, including use of renewable energy, resource recovery and/or reuse of materials, and increasing biodiversity
- Reduce waste litter, and eliminate the use of single-use plastics.

For more information visit www.vic.gov.au/single-use-plastics

For further enquiries regarding this grant, contact Council's Positive Ageing Team:
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