



Tabhartasan Foghlaim do dh'Oileanaich Teagaisg Gàidhlig 2017-2018

Education Grants for Gaelic Teaching Students
2017-2018

Fiosrachadh do Luchd-iarrtais / Information for applicants

Cùl-fhiosrachadh

Chaidh Bòrd na Gàidhlig a stèidheachadh fo Achd na Gàidhlig (Alba) 2005. A-rèir na h-Achd, feumaidh Bòrd na Gàidhlig Plana Cànan Nàiseanta Gàidhlig uallachadh a h-uile 5 bliadhna.

Tha Foghlam mar prìomhachas anns am Plana Cànan Nàiseanta Gàidhlig airson 2017-2022. Sna prìomh amasan ro-innleachdail aige airson foghlaim, tha am Plana a' toirt iomradh sònraichte air mar a dh'fheumar dèanamh cinnteach gun dèanar oidhirpean gu leòr a thaobh a bhith trusadh, a' gleidheadh, agus ag oideachadh luchd-teagaisg airson Foghlam tron Ghàidhlig (FtG) agus Foghlam Gàidhlig do Luchd-ionnsachaidh (FGL) agus a thaobh a bhith leasachadh nan sgilean aca.

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Tha Bòrd na Gàidhlig air a' mhaoin seo a stèidheachadh agus taic a thoirt do dhaoine a tha ag obair a dh'ionnsaigh a bhith toirt dreuchd a-mach mar neach-teagaisg Gàidhlig. Bu chòir iarrtasan airson taic-airgid a chur a-steach gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig cho luath 's a ghabhas, agus ro **Dihaoine 15 Sultain 2017**.

Cò dh'fhaodas cur a-steach?

Gabhaidh sinn ri iarrtasan bho dhaoine a tha dèanamh cùrsa ann an Ciad-fhoghlam Luchd-teagaisg (ITE) an-dràsta a bheir cothrom dhaibh dreuchd a thoirt a-mach mar neach-teagaisg Gàidhlig.

Gabhaidh sinn beachd air iarrtasan bho:

- Oileanaich a tha a' dèanamh PGDE ann am Foghlam Gàidhlig (airson ìre Bun-sgoile agus Àrd-sgoile – an dà chuid Gàidhlig mar chuspair agus cuspairean tron Ghàidhlig)
- Oileanaich a tha a' dèanamh Fo-cheum ann am Foghlam Gàidhlig, (BA, MA Foghlam no MA

Background

Bòrd na Gàidhlig was established under the powers of the Gaelic Language (Scotland) Act 2005. The Act states that Bòrd na Gàidhlig must produce a National Gaelic Language Plan every 5 years.

Education is a priority in the National Gaelic Language Plan 2017-2022. In its strategic priorities for education, the Plan makes specific reference to ensuring that adequate attention is given to the recruitment, retention, education, support and development of teachers in Gaelic-medium Education (GME) and Gaelic Learners' Education (GLE).

Education Grants 2017-2018

Bòrd na Gàidhlig has set up this fund to support those currently working towards a career in Gaelic teaching. Applications for funding should be submitted to Bòrd na Gàidhlig as soon as possible and no later than **Friday 15th September 2017**.

Who can apply?

Applications are welcomed from individuals currently studying on Initial Teacher Education (ITE) courses leading to a career in Gaelic Teaching.

We will consider applications from:

- Students undertaking a PGDE in Gaelic Education (both Primary and Secondary – Gaelic as a subject and subjects through the medium of Gaelic)
- Students undertaking a Gaelic Education Undergraduate Degree, (BA, MA Education or MA Gàidhlig with Education).

Gàidhlig le Foghlam).

Faodaidh oileanaich a tha dèanamh Fo-cheum iarrtas a chur a-steach don phrògram mhaoinachaidh bhliadhnail seo air **bliadhna sam bith** den Fho-cheum aca. Ge-tà, chan fhaodar barrachd air **2 thabhartas** fhaighinn uile-gu-lèir leis gach oileanach fhad 's a tha iad a' dèanamh a' chùrsa Fho-cheum. Tha seo an urra ris ma bhios na maoinean aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig airson a' phrògram mhaoinachaidh seo a ruith gach bliadhna.

Uaireannan, thèid beachdachadh air iarrtasan bho oileanaich a tha airson cùrsaichean cànan Gàidhlig a dhèanamh (me, cùrsaichean goirid no cùrsaichean air astar) mus tèid iad air adhart gu cùrsa ITE. Thathar an dùil gum bi neach sam bith a chuireas a-steach airson taic den t-seòrsa seo air àite a ghleidheadh air cùrsa ITE mu thràth, agus bu chòir dhuibh bruidhinn ris an Oifigear Leasachaidh (Tidsearan) aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig mus cuir sibh iarrtas a-steach airson an t-seòrsa taice seo.

Math dh'fhaodte gun toir iarrtasan airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh cosgaisean cùrsa Gàidhlig buaidh air an t-sùm dheireannaich a bhios ri fhaotainn airson cùrsa ITE.

Fior chorra uair, beachdaichidh Bòrd na Gàidhlig air iarrtasan bho luchd-teagasg a tha airson cùrsaichean Gàidhlig a dhèanamh agus iad am beachd gluasad gu teagasg ann am FtG. Bu chòir do neach-iarrtais sam bith a tha ag iarraidh seo a dhèanamh maoineachadh iarraidh bhon sgoil / Ùghdarras Ionadail aca anns a' chiad dol-a-mach. Cuideachd feumar bruidhinn ris an Oifigear Leasachaidh (Tidsearan) aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig mus cuirear a-steach airson taic den t-seòrsa seo.

Mar a chuireas sibh a-steach airson taic-airgid

Sa chiad dol-a-mach bu chòir do luchd-iarrtais an stiùireadh seo a leughadh gu faiceallach. An uair sin bu chòir do luchd-iarrtais am **Foirm-iarrtais** a lìonadh a-steach agus a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig, còmhla ri pàipearan sam bith a tha iomchaidh (me, litir-aontachaidh bho ionad ITE, dearbhadh air cosgaisean a' chùrsa ma thathar a' cur a-steach airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh chisean cùrsa and litir-dhearbhaidh bho Bhuidheann Thabhartasan Oileanach na h-Alba (SAAS)).

Feumaidh luchd-iarrtais innse gu soilleir san iarrtas aca dè uiread de thaic-airgid 's a tha iad a' sireadh, agus cò air a tha iad a' dol a chosg an airgid sin.

Undergraduate students can apply to this annual funding programme **during any year** of their undergraduate degree, however no more than **2 grants** in total will be approved for each student during their undergraduate degree course. This is subject to funds being available to Bòrd na Gàidhlig to run this funding programme each year.

In some cases applications will be considered from students wishing to undertake Gaelic language courses (e.g. short courses or distance learning course) prior to an ITE course. Those who apply for such funding are expected to have already secured a place on an ITE course and any such application should be discussed with the Gaelic Development Officer (Teachers) at Bòrd na Gàidhlig prior to submission.

Any applications for funding towards Gaelic language courses may affect the final sum available towards an ITE course.

In exceptional circumstances, Bòrd na Gàidhlig will also consider applications from qualified teachers wishing to undertake Gaelic language courses with a view to transferring to GME. Any applicant in this situation must, in the first instance, seek funding from their school / Local Authority. All applications must also be discussed with the Teacher Development Officer at Bòrd na Gàidhlig prior to submission.

How to apply

Applicants should first read these guidelines carefully. Applicants should then complete the **Application Form** and submit this to Bòrd na Gàidhlig, along with any relevant supporting documentation, e.g. a letter of acceptance from an ITE Provider, confirmation of course costs if applying for fees, confirmation letter from the Student Awards Agency for Scotland (SAAS)).

Applicants must provide clear details in their application of how much funding is being applied for, and the purpose of the funding.

Chan fhaod luchd-iarrtais ach **aon iarrtas** a chur a-steach gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig airson Tabhartas Foghlaim sa bhliadhna ionmhais seo.

Dè an ùine a tha an taic-airgid a' còmhachadh?

Bheir sinn beachd air iarrtasan airson na bliadhna ionmhais 2017-18. Chan aontaich sinn ri iarrtasan airson taic-airgid ach airson cùrsaichean a tha gan cumail sa bhliadhna acadaimigich 2017-18.

Dè uiread de thaic-airgid as urrainnear a thoirt seachad?

Bheirear beachd air gach iarrtas fa leth.

Tabhartasan

Faodaidh luchd-iarrtais cur a-steach airson tabhartas mu choinneamh nan cosgaisean bith-beò aca. Nuair a thig e chun na sùim' as motha a dh'fhaodas neach-iarrtais fhaighinn bidh sin a rèir dè an cùrsa a tha iad a' dèanamh agus cò a' bhliadhna air a bheil iad:

Cùrsa	Sùim
PGDE (Làn-ùine)	£1,000
PGDE (Pàirt-ùine)	£500
BA / MA (a' chiad iarrtas)	£500
BA / MA (an darna iarrtas)	£1000

Cìsean Cùrsa

Cuideachd, faodaidh luchd-iarrtais cur a-steach airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh cìsean cùrsa suas gu **£1,820**. Sa chiad dol-a-mach, feumaidh luchd-iarrtais taic-airgid a shireadh bho Bhuidheann Thabhartasan Oileanach na h-Alba (SAAS). Faodaidh daoine nach fhaigh taic-airgid bho SAAS iarrtas a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig airson cuideachadh.

Ma tha buidheann eile a' pàigheadh airson pàirt de na cìsean, faodaidh luchd-iarrtais cur a-steach gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig airson a' chòrr de na cìsean (suas gu **£1,820**). Pàighidh Bòrd na Gàidhlig taic-airgid airson cìsean gu dìreach don ionad fhoghlaim.

Bu chòir do luchd-iarrtais innse gu soilleir san fhoirm-iarrtais ma tha iad airson cur a-steach airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh cìsean cùrsa a bharrachd air tabhartas, agus bu chòir dhaibh **pàipearan iomchaidh** sam bith (me, dearbhadh air cìsean cùrsa) **a chur an cois an iarrtais**.

Fior chorra uair, faodaidh neach-iarrtais cur a-steach airson sùim nas motha. Ach bu chòir dhaibh bruidhinn ris an Oifigear Leasachaidh (Tidsearan) aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig, a

Applicants can only submit **one application** to Bòrd na Gàidhlig for an Education Grant in this financial year.

What period of time will the funding cover?

We will consider applications for the financial year 2017-2018. Funding can only be approved for courses running during the academic year 2017-2018.

How much funding assistance can be provided?

Each application will be considered on an individual basis.

Grants

Applicants may apply for a basic grant towards the costs of living. The sum available to an applicant will be dependent on the course being undertaken and the year of study as follows:

Course	Sum
PGDE (Full-time)	£1,000
PGDE (Part-time)	£500
BA / MA (1 st application)	£500
BA / MA (2 nd application)	£1,000

Course Fees

In addition, applicants may also apply for support towards course fees, up to a maximum of **£1,820**. Applicants must in the first instance seek support from the Student Awards Agency for Scotland (SAAS). Those who do not qualify for support from SAAS may then apply to Bòrd na Gàidhlig for assistance.

If fees are being paid in part by another organisation, applicants may apply to Bòrd na Gàidhlig for the remainder of the course fees (up to a maximum of **£1,820**). Any fees paid for by Bòrd na Gàidhlig will be paid directly to the institution.

Applicants should state clearly on the application form if they wish to apply for course fees over and above a grant and any **supporting documentation** (e.g. confirmation of course fees) **must be provided** with the application.

In exceptional circumstances, an individual applicant may apply for a greater sum. However this should be discussed with the Teacher Development Officer at Bòrd na Gàidhlig,

dh'fheumas cead iarraidh bhon Leasaiche Foghlaim is Ionnsachaidh mus tèid iartras a chur a-steach.

Tabhartasan a bharrachd do dhaoine a tha gluasad gu dreuchd ann an Teagasg Gàidhlig

Tha Bòrd na Gàidhlig cuideachd a' tuigsinn gum bi aig cuid a luchd-iarrais ris an obair leantainneach aca a leigeil seachad airson cùrsa ITE Gàidhlig a dhèanamh. Mar sin, a bharrachd air an tabhartas àbhaisteach a gheibhear mu bheil fiosrachadh sa chlàr air duilleig 3, thathar cuideachd a' tabhann tabhartas a bharrachd mu choinneamh nan uallaichean ionmhasail a dh'fhaodadh a bhith air daoine a tha san t-suidheachadh sin (me, cosgaisean morgaids, cosgaisean cùram-chloinne, cosgaisean siubhail msaa).

Feumaidh na leanas a bhith fìor airson luchd-iarrais a tha am beachd cur a-steach airson tabhartas a bharrachd:

- Tha iad air àite a ghlèidheadh air cùrsa ITE Gàidhlig mar a chaidh mìneachadh air duilleig 1
- Tha obair leantainneach air a bhith aca airson **co-dhiù bliadhna mus tòisich** an cùrsa teagaisg
- Cha bhi teachd-a-steach nas àirde na £18,000 aca **fhad 's a tha an cùrsa a' dol air adhart**
- Tha iad ag aontachadh obair mar Neach-teagaisg Gàidhlig airson co-dhiù 3 bliadhna às dèidh a chèile
- Cuiridh iad aithisg adhartais gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig ro 30 Ògmhios anns gach bliadhna den chùrsa aca agus airson 3 bliadhna às dèidh dhaibh an cùrsa a chrìochnachadh

Thèid gach iartras a mheasadh a rèir dè an cùrsa a tha an neach-iarrais a' dèanamh agus cò a' bhliadhna air a bheil iad. Bidh an taic-airgid a dh'fhaodas neach-iarrais fhaotainn an crochadh air cia mheud bliadhna a bha iad ann an obair leantainneach mus do thòisich an cùrsa. Chìthear mìneachadh gu h-ìosal.

'S e £4,000 an t-sùm as motha a gheibh neach-iarrais mar thabhartas a bharrachd (taic luach £5,000 gu h-iomlan).

PGDE Làn-ùine		
Bliadhnaichean ag obair mus do thòisich an cùrsa	Tabhartas a bharrachd	Sùm iomlan
1-2 bliadhna	£1,000	£2,000
2-3 bliadhna	£2,000	£3,000
3-4 bliadhna	£3,000	£4,000
4-5 bliadhna no barrachd	£4,000	£5,000

PGDE Pàirt-ùine

who will seek approval from the Head of Education and Learning, before submitting the application.

Top-up Grants for those changing to a career in Gaelic Teaching

Bòrd na Gàidhlig is also aware that some applicants will have to give up continuous employment to undertake a Gaelic ITE course. Therefore top-up grant funding over and above the basic grant funding as stated in the table on page 3 is being offered in recognition of financial commitments a person in this situation could have (e.g. mortgage payments, childcare costs, travel costs, etc).

To qualify for the top-up funding an applicant must:

- Have secured a place on a Gaelic-medium ITE course as stated on page 1
- Have been in continuous employment for a **minimum of a year prior** to their course starting
- Have a salaried income of no greater than £18,000 **for the duration of the course**
- Commit to a career in Gaelic Teaching for a minimum of 3 consecutive years
- Submit a progress report to Bòrd na Gàidhlig by 30th June of each year of their course and for 3 years following the course

Applications will be assessed according to the course and year of study of each applicant. The funding available to each applicant will be dependent on the number of years in continuous employment prior to the course starting as stated in the tables below.

The maximum amount of top-up funding an applicant can be in receipt of is £4,000 (total grant funding of £5,000).

PGDE Full-time		
Years in Employment prior to undertaking course	Top-up Sum	Total Sum Available
1-2 years	£1,000	£2,000
2-3 years	£2,000	£3,000
3-4 Years	£3,000	£4,000
4-5 years or more	£4,000	£5,000

PGDE Part-time

Bliadhnaichean ag obair mus do thòisich an cùrsa	Tabhartas a bharrachd	Sùim iomlan
1-2 bhliadhna	£500	£1,000
2-3 bliadhna	£1,000	£1,500
3-4 bliadhna	£1,500	£2,000
4-5 bliadhna no barrachd	£2,000	£2,500

Years in Employment prior to undertaking course	Top-up Sum	Total Sum Available
1-2 Years	£500	£1,000
2-3 years	£1,000	£1,500
3-4 Years	£1,500	£2,000
4-5 years or more	£2,000	£2,500

BA, MA Foghlam (a' chiad iarrtas)		
Bliadhnaichean ag obair mus do thòisich an cùrsa	Tahartas a bharrachd	Sùim iomlan
1-2 bhliadhna	£500	£1,000
2-3 bliadhna	£1,000	£1,500
3-4 bliadhna	£1,500	£2,000
4-5 bliadhna no barrachd	£2,000	£2,500

BA, MA Education (1 st application)		
Years in Employment prior to undertaking course	Top-up Sum	Total Sum Available
1-2 years	£500	£1,000
2-3 years	£1,000	£1,500
3-4 Years	£1,500	£2,000
4-5 years or more	£2,000	£2,500

BA, MA Foghlam (an dàrna iarrtas)		
Bliadhnaichean ag obair mus do thòisich an cùrsa	Tabhartas a bharrachd	Sùim iomlan
1-2 bhliadhna	£1,000	£2,000
2-3 bliadhna	£2,000	£3,000
3-4 bliadhna	£3,000	£4,000
4-5 bliadhna no barrachd	£4,000	£5,000

BA, MA Education (2 nd application)		
Years in Employment prior to undertaking course	Top-up Sum	Total Sum Available
1-2 years	£1,000	£2,000
2-3 years	£2,000	£3,000
3-4 Years	£3,000	£4,000
4-5 years or more	£4,000	£5,000

Faodaidh cuideachd an àireamh de dhaoine a tha cur a-steach airson tabhartasan a bharrachd buaidh a thoirt air an t-sùim dheireannaich a thèid a phàigheadh, agus bidh e cuideachd an crochadh air mar a thèid am buidseat maoinachaidh a riarachadh.

An cois iarrtas airson tabhartas a bharrachd feumar fianais a thoirt dhuinn air:

- An ùine agaibh ann an obair mus do thòisich an cùrsa (me, cùmhnant / bileagan-pàighidh / litir bho luchd-fastaidh)
- Teachd-a-steach a tha sibh an dùil a chosnadh rè ùine a' chùrsa

Cumhachan Maoinachaidh

Feumaidh **neach sam bith** a gheibh taic-airgid tron sgeama seo aontachadh ris na leanas:

- Gun cuir iad crìoch air a' chùrsa teagaisg Gàidhlig
- Gun cuir iad aithisg adhartais gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig ro **30 Ògmhios 2018**.
- Gun dèan iad teagasg ann am FtG airson co-dhiù a' bhliadhna dhearbhaidh aca

Cuideachd, feumaidh neach sam bith a gheibh **tabhartas a bharrachd** aontachadh ris na leanas:

The final sum paid out may also be affected by the number of applicants seeking top-up grant funding and is subject to the funding budget allocation.

If applying for top-up funding, evidence must be provided of:

- Time in employment prior to the course starting (e.g. contract / payslips / letter from employer)
- Any income likely to be earned for the duration of the course

Conditions of Funding

Anyone in receipt of funding under this scheme must adhere to the following conditions:

- Completion of the Gaelic Teacher Education Course
- The submission of a progress report to Bòrd na Gàidhlig by **30th of June 2018**.
- To teach in GME for at least the probationary year

Those who are in receipt of **top-up funding** must also agree to:

- Co-dhiù 3 bliadhna às dèidh a chèile a chur seachad ann an teagasg Gàidhlig
- Aithisg adhartais a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig ro 30 Ògmhios anns gach bliadhna den chùrsa aca agus airson 3 bliadhna às dèidh dhaibh an cùrsa a chrìochnachadh
- Commit to a career in Gaelic Teaching for a minimum of 3 consecutive years
- The submission of a progress report to Bòrd na Gàidhlig by 30th June of each year of their course and for 3 years following the course

Dè thachras mura cuir neach-iarrtais crìoch air a' chùrsa aca no mura toir iad a-mach dreuchd ann am Foghlam Gàidhlig?

Mas e 's nach cuir neach-iarrtais crìoch air a' chùrsa aca, no ma nì iad co-dhùnadh gun a bhith toirt a-mach dreuchd ann am Foghlam Gàidhlig, feumaidh iad fios a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig **sa bhad**. Feumaidh iad cuideachd taic-airgid sam bith a fhuair iad a thilleadh, agus thèid clàr-ama airson sin a dhèanamh aontachadh le Bòrd na Gàidhlig.

Maoineachadh a bharrachd bho thobraichean eile

Ma tha luchd-iarrtais a' cur a-steach airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh chisean cùrsa no tabhartas a bharrachd airson Glusad gu Dreuchd ann an Teagasg Gàidhlig, feumaidh iad fiosrachadh a thoirt seachad mu thaic-airgid sam bith eile a fhuair iad, no taic-airgid a tha gu bhith tighinn bho bhuidhnean eile. Ma tha luchd-iarrtais a' faotainn taic-airgid bho bhuidheann sam bith eile, feumaidh iad seo a nochdadh gu soilleir san fhoirm-iarrtais aca agus bheirear beachd air seo.

Mar eisimpleir, ma tha neach-iarrtais a' cur a-steach airson taic-airgid mu choinneamh chisean cùrsa nuair a tha iad air taic fhaighinn bhon SAAS cuideachd (agus sin a' gabhail a-steach nuair a tha iad a' faighinn pàirt de na cisean aca air am pàigheadh), feumaidh iad sin innse gu soilleir san fhoirm-iarrtais.

Fiosrachadh a bharrachd

Bu chòir pàipearan iomchaidh a bharrachd a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig còmhla ris an fhoirm-iarrtais. Faodaidh luchd-iarrtais fiosrachadh iomchaidh sam bith eile a chur thugainn an cois an fhoirm-iarrtais aca.

Tha làn-chead aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig tuilleadh fiosrachaidh iarraidh a thaobh an iarrtais.

An Ceann-latha airson iarrtasan

Bu chòir iarrtasan airson taic-airgid a chur a-steach gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig cho luath 's a ghabhas, agus ro **Dihaoine 15 Sultain 2017**. Bu chòir do luchd-iarrtais fios a chur chun an Oifigeir Leasachaidh (Tidsearan) aig Bòrd na Gàidhlig cho luath 's a ghabhas ma bhios ceist aca mu iarrtasan.

What happens if an applicant does not complete their course or continue to a career in Gaelic Education?

Should an applicant not complete their course, or decide not to follow a career in Gaelic Education, Bòrd na Gàidhlig must be informed **immediately**. Any monies received must also be returned and a repayment schedule will be agreed with Bòrd na Gàidhlig.

Additional funding from other sources

If applying for course fees or top-up grant funding for Changing to a Career in Gaelic Teaching, applicants must provide full details of any other funding approvals, or pending funding from other organisations. If applicants are receiving support from any other organisations this must be clearly stated on the application form and will be taken into consideration.

For example, if applicants are applying for support with course fees and are receiving support (including part-payment of fees) from SAAS, then this must also be stated clearly on the application form.

Additional information

Relevant supporting documents should be submitted to Bòrd na Gàidhlig with the application form. All applicants are also welcome to submit any additional relevant information supporting their application.

Bòrd na Gàidhlig reserves the right to ask for further information regarding the application.

Closing date for applications

Applications for funding should be submitted to Bòrd na Gàidhlig as soon as possible and no later than **Friday 15th September 2017**. Applicants should contact the Gaelic Teacher Development Officer at Bòrd na Gàidhlig as soon as possible if they have any queries on the application process.

Dè thachras nuair a gheibh Bòrd na Gàidhlig iarrrtas?

Thèid freagairt a chur chun an neach-iarrrtais a' dearbhadh gun d' fhuaras an t-iarrrtas aca. Gheibh an neach-iarrrtais fios mun cho-dhùnadh a thaobh an iarrrtais aca cho luath 's as urrainn às dèidh ceann-latha an sgeama.

Ma thèid gabhail ri iarrrtas, thèid litir a chur chun an neach-iarrrtais, ag innse dè uiread de thaic-airgid a fhuair iad agus dè na cùmhnantan is cumhachan a tha an lùib an taic-airgid. Bidh aig luchd-iarrrtais a shoirbhich an uair sin ri dearbhadh gu bheil iad a' gabhail ris an tairgse, mus tèid an t-airgead a phàigheadh.

Ma tha neach-iarrrtais a' faighinn taic-airgid mu choinneamh chisean cùrsa, pàighidh Bòrd na Gàidhlig gu dìreach an t-airgead sin don ionad foghlaim iomchaidh. Ma tha an tabhartas airson cosgaisean bith-beò, thèid a phàigheadh don neach-iarrrtais.

Dè am fiosrachadh a dh'fheumar a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig rè na h-ùine taice?

Feumar aithisg a chur gu Bòrd na Gàidhlig aig deireadh a' chùrsa. San aithisg, bu chòir mìneachadh a bhith ann air na buannachdan a fhuair an neach-iarrrtais bhon chùrsa, agus fios air càite a bheil iad an dùil a bhith teagasg.

Cuideachd, faodaidh luchd-obrach Bhòrd na Gàidhlig fios a chur gu luchd-iarrrtais nuair a tha iad a' dèanamh a' chùrsa aca, feuch am faigh iad fios gu neo-fhoirmeil air mar a tha dol dhaibh.

Dh'fhaodadh gun toir Bòrd na Gàidhlig iomradh air taic a fhuair daoine fa leth bhon mhaoin seo ann an stuthan follaiseachd a' Bhùird.

Am bi cothroman eile ann cur a-steach airson na maoin seo?

'S e seo an aon chothrom a bhios ann cur a-steach airson taic-airgid sa bhliadhna ionmhais seo, 2017-18. Dh'fhaodadh gum bi cothroman eile ann an ath-bhliadhna agus thèid tuilleadh fiosrachaidh fhoillseachadh air làraichean-lìn Bhòrd na Gàidhlig.

Tuilleadh Fiosrachaidh

Gheibhear tuilleadh fiosrachaidh bho:

Bòrd na Gàidhlig
Taigh a' Ghlinne Mhòir
Rathad na Leacainn
Inbhir Nis

What happens after an application is submitted?

An acknowledgement will be sent to applicants to confirm their application has been received. Applicants will be informed of the decision on their application as soon as possible after the closing date.

If an application is approved, a letter will be issued to the applicant setting out the level of funding offered and the terms and conditions under which the funding will be paid. Successful applicants will then be required to confirm their acceptance of the offer before the money is paid.

If an applicant is receiving support with course fees, this will be paid by Bòrd na Gàidhlig directly to the education institution which they are attending. If awarded a grant towards living costs, this will be paid directly to the applicant.

What information will Bòrd na Gàidhlig require during the funding period?

Bòrd na Gàidhlig will require an end of course report. The benefit of the course, as well as future teaching plans, should be detailed in the report.

Bòrd na Gàidhlig members of staff may also contact applicants during their course, for informal progress updates.

Bòrd na Gàidhlig may mention any assistance provided to individuals through this fund in the Bòrd's own publicity materials.

Will there be further opportunities to apply to this fund?

This is the only opportunity to apply for funding during this financial year, 2017-18. Further opportunities to apply for funding may be available next year and more information will be published on Bòrd na Gàidhlig's websites.

Further Information

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