

Easy Read



Brian Ross Memorial Award

Money to help new artists



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We want you to be able to use and understand all our information.



If you would like this document in a different way, please contact us.



For example, if you want it in Welsh.



If you need help with you application, please email us at grants@arts.wales.

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About this Award



We are the **Arts Council of Wales**.



We have an **award** called the **Brian Ross Memorial Award**.

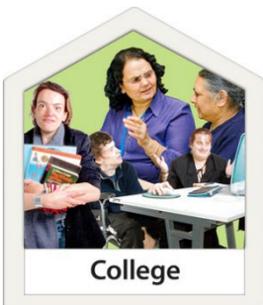
An **award** is money that people can get to help them do their work.



The **Brian Ross Memorial Award** is an **award** to help new artists in Wales.



We offer this **fund** to art students who will be finished their course soon.



Universities and colleges can pick students who they think should get this **award**. And then apply for the **award** for them.

Who can apply



If you are a university or college in Wales you can apply for this **award**.



You need to pick a student who you think should get this **award**. And then tell us about them.



You should pick a student who is a really good artist. And who would make the most of this money.



We would especially like to help **diverse** students.

Diverse means people are not all the same. For example, people come from different backgrounds, make different choices, or are good at different things.



For example, we would like to help art students who have a disability.

Who this award is for



This **award** is for all different types of art students. For example, painters, photographers, and performance artists.

The student you pick must:



- Be Welsh or based in Wales. And they must want to stay and work in Wales.



- Be finishing their art course at university or college this year.



- Have done a Fine Art Degree Course in Wales.



- Be a really good artist. And be passionate about their work.

What we will pay for



We can give each artist £3000 for 1 year.



This money should help new artists to get started in their art career.

This money could be used for:



- renting a room to work in



- travel



- buying equipment

What we need

You need to send us:



The name and email address of the student you picked.



A written statement telling us why you picked this student. Your statement should be no longer than 500 words.



The student's C.V. and a written statement from them.



6-8 images of the student's work.



Or if they are a film or performance student, send us 5 minutes of their work.



Make sure you send us any passwords we need to see their work.



You should send us all this information by email. It should be in 1 Word or PDF file.



The text should be no smaller than 12 point size.



The Word or PDF file should be no bigger than 250 MB.



We will look at everything you send us. Then we will decide who to give the **award** to.

How to apply



Go to the **Arts Council of Wales** website at:
<https://arts.wales/funding/get-started>



On the website, click on **individuals**. Then click on **Brian Ross Memorial Award**.



Send your application to the email address on our website.



You will need to attach all the information from the **What we need** section.



There is also more information on our website if you need it.

How to get more help



If you want help with your application, please email our **grants and information team** at: grants@arts.wales

You can also contact us at:



Phone: 03301 242733

Calls are charged at local rates. We are open from:

9.00am – 5.00pm, Monday – Thursday

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Award

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