

# Bòrd na Gàidhlig Update

## Gaelic Immersion Courses for Education Practitioners Grants 2021/22

**This scheme is currently open for applications until Thursday 6 May 2021.**

The Gaelic Immersion Courses for Education Practitioners grants scheme is now open for 2021/22 applications.

The scheme is designed to provide support for local authorities to sponsor qualified teachers or ELC practitioners, who have some Gaelic skills and are not currently teaching through the medium of Gaelic, to undertake a year-long Gaelic immersion course so that they subsequently teach through the medium of Gaelic for the local authority.

Guidelines for Applicants and an Application Form can be accessed on this page. If you have any questions please get in touch with Bòrd na Gàidhlig's Education Manager, Joanne McHale, at [joanne@gaidhlig.scot](mailto:joanne@gaidhlig.scot)

### Closing Date for Applications

Funding applications should be submitted to Bòrd na Gàidhlig as soon as possible before **Thursday 6 May 2021 at 3pm**. Late applications will be allowed subject to budget being available.

<https://www.gaidhlig.scot/bord/fundraising/>

NB Any other CLPL needs of staff should be directed towards Eoghan as Teacher Development Officer [eoghan@gaidhlig.scot](mailto:eoghan@gaidhlig.scot)

### Other News

Bòrd na Gàidhlig will be hosting our online conference for Gaelic NQTS at the end of May, this will be a twilight conference again and will follow up on the very successful running last year. We hope that we can every teacher completing their probation year in Gaelic Education involved. The theme this year will be "Leudachadh – Expansion/Broadening/Amplification"

Thank you also to those Local Authorities who have contributed staff to our new Teachers in Gaelic Recruitment Campaign – we expect this to launch later this Spring and believe it will have a significant positive impact on teacher recruitment in Gaelic.

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