

Contestable Grants Program Application FAQs

When does the Contestable Grants Fund open?

12 July 2021

When does it close?

20 August 2021

How big is the Fund?

Up to 20 grants for up to \$25,000 each

How can I apply?

Visit heritage.org.nz/protecting-heritage/maori-heritage/matauranga-maori-grants or hardcopy sent to:

Pou Taituarā/Assistant Co-ordinator
Mātauranga Māori Programme
Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga
Antrim House,
P O Box 2629,
Wellington 6140

Will there be a contract?

Yes, successful applicants will sign a contract to deliver the Project they receive the pūtea for.

Will seed funding be available?

An up front payment can be made depending on the Project milestones.

Will I receive all the pūtea up front?

No, an average amount of 10% (up to \$2,500) will be held upon receipt of the final report.

Can I still apply if my Project doesn't seem to fit the themes?

Ae, if you have vulnerable mātauranga that you wish to revitalise and it doesn't seem to fit into the themes, still put your application in – just tick the 'other' box.

Will help be available to complete the application?

Yes, we really believe in the kaupapa of the programme so we really want to awahi. Please email Sophia at SNewton2@heritage.org.nz

How will our Intellectual Property be protected?

All mātauranga offered by the whānau remains with the whānau; any sharing of mātauranga generated as a result of the project is approved beforehand by the whānau.

How will your application be processed

1

once a complete application is received you will receive a confirmation email/letter

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applications are reviewed and contact made if further information or clarification is required.

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applications are shortlisted with both unsuccessful and next stage applicants notified

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shortlisted applications are reviewed by komiti and successful projects selected with both unsuccessful and successful applicants notified.

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a contract is drawn up and signed by both parties including a Payment Schedule attached to milestones.



For more information, please contact our Taituarā Sophia at SNewton2@heritage.org.nz
Or scan the QR to visit our site