UK Arab Culture Grants
2020 - 2021

Program Overview

To provide funding for schools and organizations with limited budgets and demonstrated need, QFI is pleased to announce a program of Arab Culture Grants for the United Kingdom.

The Arab Culture Grants are intended to support workshops, performances, exhibitions and events that present the countries and cultures of the Arab world to UK audiences. Examples of appropriate activities include:

- Costs associated with supporting student-driven performances related to Arabic language and/or the Arab world that involve the greater school community;
- Costs associated with holding performances or workshops to introduce aspects of Arab culture such as dance, music, storytelling, calligraphy, cuisine, and other forms of expression to schools and wider audiences;
- Costs associated with holding workshops and events that introduce Arabic language and the cultures of the Arab world to UK audiences
Funding

Grantees will be awarded up to £3,000 to purchase resources or to conduct projects, events and activities related to enhancing a wider understanding of the Arab world or Arabic language.

Applicant Eligibility

Applicants must meet all of the following criteria in order to be eligible:

- Be a representative of a certified cultural or charitable organization or a full-time, in-classroom, teacher of any subject at a state funded primary or secondary school in the United Kingdom;
- Demonstrate that they hold or are planning to hold activities that present the language and culture of the Arab world to a UK audience;
- Present a demonstrable need for funding to conduct such activities.

Grant Conditions

Recipients of funding from QFI will be required to submit the following:

- A narrative report summarizing the events, activities and impact that occurred as a result of the funding;
- A financial report, including receipts for all expenditure.

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis.

How to Apply

To apply for an Arab Culture Grant, you must register for an account on QFI’s Application Management Portal at https://QFI.smapply.org/prog/arab_culture_grant_uk. Please create a user account and profile. Upon completing your login credentials and user profile, you will be prompted to take an Eligibility Quiz. You will then be able to access the grant application.

Contact Information

Should you have any questions regarding the Arab Culture Grants program, please contact Tony Calderbank at tcalderbank@qfi.org.