

## **Project Outline**

Moving On is a partnership between Tees Valley Arts and the five boroughs of the Tees Valley (Darlington, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Redcar & Cleveland and Stockton) working with young people who are in the care of the local authority. It is a creative project, using the arts to give the young people a range of skills to help them to move on positively, adding value to the dedicated work of the Care Teams to:

- develop creative skills
- support enjoyment and cultural engagement/ entitlement
- build confidence and self-esteem
- develop communication skills
- develop teamwork and leadership
- achieve a qualification (Bronze Arts Award – Level 1).

Please note that visiting sessional artists will run the creative activities.

## **Role of Host Artist Worker**

The Host Artist Worker will assist the visiting artists in activities, and will lead on the Arts Award element of the project – ensuring that portfolios are completed and all aspects of Bronze Arts Award have been fulfilled. Applicants must have significant experience and/or knowledge of youth work, preferably with hard to engage or challenging young people and must be a trained Arts Award adviser, having successfully run Arts Award with other groups. If you are not already trained but are interested in delivering Arts Award and are prepared to undertake training, we would be happy to discuss this further.

## **Schedules**

**Please note that dates are already set – please check them before applying and ensure that you are available for all sessions for each borough you apply for.**

Please see the separate document marked Moving On Schedules, as each borough has a separate schedule. We welcome applications from people wishing to work in more than one borough, however please note that due to clashes in the schedule, the following pairings are NOT possible:

Stockton with Darlington, Middlesbrough or Redcar & Cleveland

Darlington with Redcar & Cleveland

**Total fee - £2990** per borough (inclusive of any VAT & travel)

The fee covers: 1 x taster session, 1 x CPD session for staff, 24 sessions to include Arts Award moderation and a celebration event, prep, meetings and marking of Arts Award portfolios

## **Application Details**

Please note the deadline for completed applications is **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2013 9am. Interviews will take place on the afternoon of Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January**, and you will be required to attend a pre-project planning meeting (one per borough) during the week of 28<sup>th</sup> January.

Applications should be in the form of a brief CV (no more than 2 sides of A4 detailing recent and/or relevant experience and qualifications) plus a cover letter outlining the following: (it is important that you address each point)

- Which borough or combination of boroughs you are applying for (Darlington, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Redcar & Cleveland, Stockton)
- Your approach to and any experience of working within this type of setting
- Your experience/ knowledge/ understanding of Arts Award
- How you would address travel and transport to sessions

- If you live outside the Tees Valley, how you will address any travel and accommodation arrangements; please note that travel/ accommodation expenses cannot be paid in addition to the fee

Applications can be submitted either electronically or posted; if you wish to have items returned please ensure any return postage and packing materials are included.

Please send applications to:

Jane Gray, Tees Valley Arts, Melrose House, Melrose Street, Middlesbrough TS1 2HZ

Email: [jane.gray@teesvalleyarts.org.uk](mailto:jane.gray@teesvalleyarts.org.uk) Tel: 01642 264680

### **Terms and conditions**

You must have an Enhanced CRB disclosure in place prior to commencement (dated no older than August 2011) and provide original documentation to TVA along with evidence of current Public Liability Insurance at the interview.

You are: to be responsible for your own taxes and national insurance; comply with any health and safety requirements; comply with all relevant TVA policies, which are available on the website; contribute to evaluation and review of the project and attend planning/ evaluation meetings as required.