



Tasmanian Association of Community Houses Inc

## Everyday Literacy for Local Communities

*A program to fund Neighbourhood Houses for literacy projects in their local communities*

### *Frequently Asked Questions*

**Question:**

How are applications made?

**Answer:**

A funding application kit will be mailed to every Neighbourhood House at the beginning of each funding round. The application kit will also be available on the website after that.

**Question:**

Can Neighbourhood Houses make a joint application?

**Answer:**

Yes, joint applications are welcome.

**Question:**

Can an organisation other than a Neighbourhood House apply for funding?

**Answer:**

No, but Neighbourhood Houses can submit a project for funding where they are going to work in partnership with other organisations. The application needs to come from the Neighbourhood House. The House will receive the funding and be responsible for the project and administering the funds.

**Question:**

How much money can be applied for?

**Answer:**

There is no set amount, but for now the total funding pool available to be allocated to successful applications is approximately \$100,000.

**Question:**

Can applications be made for recurrent funds to run a project over more than one year?

**Answer:**

No. In later funding rounds, once the application process has been tested and any problems ironed out, ways to fund longer term projects may be considered.

**Question:**

Will an application automatically be funded?

**Answer:**

No, project applications will be assessed by an external panel to keep TACH at arm's length from the selection process. A project must meet the requirements of the Funding Guidelines, and, in the view of the panel, be likely to succeed. Even if a project is suitable, the amount of funding awarded may be different from the amount requested.

**Question:**

Can applications be made from different Neighbourhood Houses for the same type of project?

**Answer:**

Yes. If an application is well prepared and deemed suitable, it will be eligible for funding if there are sufficient funds available. TACH wants good project ideas to be shared so that other Neighbourhood Houses can use those ideas in ways that suit the literacy needs or demands in their communities.

## ENQUIRIES

Contact Ron Sutton or John Hooper at the TACH office on (03) 6228 6515



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