

Applications for Local Delivery Resources

As you should be aware, the process for applying for access to funding to improve outcomes for children and young people in Buckinghamshire has now changed. Previous procedures have been subsumed into one generic process whereby funding can be accessed by organisations in order to achieve the above outcome. The Local Delivery Resources Panel now meet on a bi-monthly basis in order to consider all applications for funding under £50,000 for the following areas:

Early Years & Childcare
Extended Services
Area Based Grants held by Commissioning

The panel is made up of multi agency partners from the public and private sector and will consider all bids up to £50k. The first panel meeting took place earlier this month, and we are pleased to announce that successful applications were received for each of the three areas highlighted above. I can now confirm that the panel dates for the next 12 months have been set and these, along with application deadlines, are set out below:

Panel Meeting Date	Deadline for Application to be Submitted
16 th October 2008	18 th September 2008
4 th December 2028	6 th November 2008
12 February 2009	15 th January 2009
9 th April 2009	12 th March 2009
11 th June 2009	14 th May 2009
6 th August 2009	9 th July 2009

As highlighted above, all completed applications must be submitted to a development officer working within the appropriate team 4 weeks before the panel meeting date. Applications will not be considered without the support of a development officer. In order to log an expression of interest in applying for Local Delivery funding and to find out who your development officer is, please contact Andrew Simmons on 01296 383517 or email ldrfunding@buckscc.gov.uk