

Capacity Building Grants – Organisations (FAQ)

Who can apply?

South Australian organisations working with or for young people in the arts.

What is capacity building?

Capacity building is about strengthening how your organisation works, not delivering a specific project.

What can we apply for?

Activities that build your organisation's capability, such as:

- Strategic planning
- Governance or leadership development
- Systems, tools, or infrastructure
- Workforce or skills development

Can this include training or professional development?

Yes — if it strengthens your organisation's ability to deliver into the future.

What won't be funded?

- One-off creative projects (apply under Project & Development instead)
- Core operational costs not linked to development

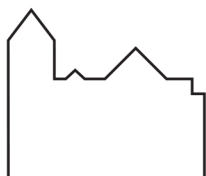
What are you looking for?

We're looking for:

- A clear need or challenge
- How the activity will strengthen your organisation
- The longer-term benefit (what changes as a result?)
- A realistic and achievable plan

Do we need to show long-term impact?

Yes — this fund is about **lasting change**, not short-term activity.



Can small organisations apply?

Yes. This program is designed to support organisations at different stages, including those still developing.

Can we work with external consultants or partners?

Yes. You can engage external expertise where needed.

What does success look like?

Success might include:

- Stronger governance or leadership
- Clearer direction or strategy
- Improved systems or processes
- Increased sustainability

