

To all local authorities in England

March 2019

To Whom It May Concern

Re: S31 Grant Determination Letter for Children's Social Care Partners in Practise Programme Grant GR1000335.

This Determination is made between:

- (1) The Secretary of State for Education and**
- (2) The local authorities listed at Annex A**

Purpose of the Grant

The purpose of this grant is to provide support to local authorities in England towards expenditure lawfully incurred or to be incurred by them.

This grant is intended to support the projects these local authorities have requested to undertake in children's social care relating to the Partners in Practice programme and the Innovation Programme.

The Partners in Practice programme is about genuine partnership between local and national government to understand, capture and spread excellence. The three key aims of the programme are to:

- 1) demonstrate what works and drive innovation, building understanding of the conditions needed for excellent practice to flourish;
- 2) drive sector led improvement by injecting capacity into the sector to support authorities at risk of failure; and
- 3) support the Department on wider programmes and reforms by helping to shape policy.

Local authorities working with the Innovation Programme are undertaking a range of projects to drive innovation and excellence and to provide peer to peer support to other local authorities.

Annex A provides details of payments being made to local authorities involved in the Partners in Practice Programme and Innovation Programme where funding was agreed by 01 March 2019.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State.



Graham Archer,
Director
Department for Education

13.03.19



Partners in Practice GRANT DETERMINATION [2018-19]: No. 31/3605.

The Secretary of State for Education (“the Secretary of State”), in exercise of the powers conferred by section 31 of the Local Government Act 2003, makes the following determination:

Citation

1) This determination may be cited as the Innovation Programme Grant Determination [2018-19] 31/3605.

Purpose of the grant

2) The purpose of the grant is to provide support to local authorities in England towards expenditure lawfully incurred or to be incurred by them.

Determination

3) The Secretary of State determines the authorities to which grant is to be paid and the amount of grant to be paid; these are set out in Annex A.

Treasury consent

4) Before making this determination in relation to local authorities in England, the Secretary of State obtained the consent of the Treasury.

Payment arrangements

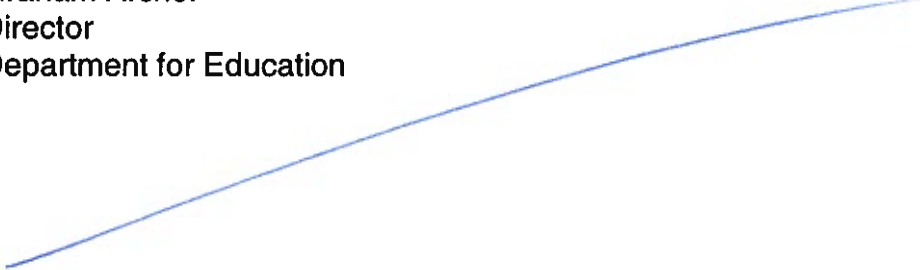
5) The total grant to be paid to each authority is set out at Annex A. The grant will be paid in one instalment in March 2019 and will be for the sum attributed to the 2018-19 financial year.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State



Graham Archer
Director
Department for Education

12.03.19



Annex A

Local Authority	March
Hertfordshire - IP	£91,498
Essex County Council	£35,700
Hampshire County Council	£32,244
London Borough of Richmond upon Thames	£608,028
Lincolnshire County Council	£638,019
Leeds City Council	£300,000
North Yorkshire County Council	£473,000
North Tyneside Council	£184,595
South Tyneside Council	£176,979
London Borough of Camden	£108,338
Cheshire West and Chester Council	£327,792
London Borough of Ealing	£194,483
East Riding of Yorkshire	£444,500
Essex County Council	£209,747
Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council	£535,582
Total	£4,360,505