

Action Fund Grant Allocations: February 2021

The following grants were announced in February 2021. The total amount allocated was **£15,950**.

1. Stevenage Education Support Centre - Crime and Safety Awareness Day - £1,050

Towards delivery a Crime & Safety Awareness Day for the whole centre. The day will help dispel myths about prison life/criminality and will also give young people the right information to make informed choices when confronted with difficult decisions as they go through an ever increasingly complicated period of their lives.

2. The Pioneer Club (St Albans) - Links Academy Music Education & Outreach Project - £5,000

Towards development of a music suite including recording studio within the Links Academy PRU premises. deliver 36 scheduled tutorials and 2-day long masterclasses in association with a rock band within the 1st year targeted at PRU students.

3. Community Learning Partnership Ltd (South Oxhey) - Safer Online Learning Pilot Project - £4,900

Towards delivery of structured on-line workshops and 30 hours of 1:1 surgeries covering various aspects of safe on-line blended learning for adults/families. Courses will include how to use Zoom and other platforms safely to access courses as well as avoiding many scams including banking scams

4. HACRO - Growing Together - £5,000

Towards work with a small number of couples in order to pilot an innovative approach to addressing domestic abuse where regular police call-outs have become a feature. The methodology would include both face to face group sessions alternating with 1:1 sessions via video calling.