



NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE DEVELOPMENT GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: **Royston Area Committee**2. Date: **2 Mar 2016**3. Summary of application: **Funding support to assist with publicity costs for Toddler Music Workshops**Name of organisation: **Royston Town Council**Sum requested: **£1,000**Total project cost: **£2,000**

Brief details:

Royston Museum and Art Gallery is seeking funding support to assist them with running a second year of the popular Toddler Music and Dance Workshops. Funding requested will be used to assist with publicity and promotional costs as well as equipment costs. A small percentage of funding requested will also be used towards the fee for hiring a dance teacher for the workshops

Matched / linked funding: **£500**Funder: **Royston Town Council**Matched /linked funding : **£500**
or DRRFunder: **Friends of Royston Museum**

Comments from Development Officer:

The Toddler Music & Dance Workshops were a new initiative at the Museum in 2014. The initiative was supported by the Royston & District Area Committee in 2014 with £500 funding provided to the project. Since its commencement the workshops have gone from strength and strength and are now being run twice monthly and not once a month as was the original format. The project encourages both parents/carers and children to be active and engage with heritage and art in a fun and enjoyable way. The funding will cover 24 workshops over the year. The application is criteria compliant and the group is providing 50% match funding, so the officer recommendation is an award of £1,000.

Amount recommended: **£1,000**