



Brief for Artist

for the creation of a film showcasing a specialist strand of Arts Lab supporting young refugees and their peers

Creative Kernow, HeadStart Kernow, and Arts Well are pleased to be partnering with Cornwall Council's Resettlement Service to commission 10 projects that will support young refugees, asylum seekers and their peers to connect through creativity. Each project will be delivered by an experienced practitioner in one of a wide range of artforms and will be designed to support young people's social development, widen their knowledge and empathy for different cultures and aid community cohesion, using the '5 Ways to Wellbeing' as a framework.

The brief – a film that showcases the projects

- We want all projects to have an impact of their own but collectively to speak much louder. We are looking for an artist/s who can curate the content of the individual projects into a powerful collective voice through an engaging film. The aim is to highlight the importance of co-creating work with young refugees and their peers and the valuable impact that the arts have to connect people with different life experiences. The film is intended for organisations and funders who may want to know more about the work; it will serve as an advocacy piece.
- We would like the successful artist/s to visit each of the 10 projects to capture footage. There is also scope for the Arts Lab team to gather media (photo/video/audio clip) from each individual project too to use for the film if this is desired. We are open to how you would like to curate the film. We will work with the artist to choose appropriate media to feature. For an idea of past Arts Lab projects, please visit <https://feastcornwall.org/arts-lab/>
- Young people's voices are the most powerful in communicating impact. We would like the film to feature their contributions as much as possible whilst navigating the sensitivities around this, as not all young people will want to feature directly and/or may not have parental consent.
- This film should demonstrate the value of the arts to support young refugees and their peers to connect and understand each other better. The video must include a mapping infographic visual of where projects have taken place, along with context about the programme that will be provided by the Arts Lab team.

- The film must be available in formats that allow for distribution across a range of platforms including YouTube, Facebook and Instagram.
- We want the film captioned so that it is mobile phone friendly and accessible to people who are hard of hearing. This will include translations for anything featured in languages other than English. The Arts Lab team will support this.
- The film should be no longer than three minutes.

Fee

Inclusive of content creation (this includes travel) and editing time.

TOTAL: £4,000

(Fees are inclusive of all costs incurred and VAT, and you will be responsible for ensuring appropriate insurance / licences / permissions are in place.)

Time frame

Projects are taking place between January – April 2025.

First edit provided to Creative Kernow by 1st May 2025

Second edit provided to Creative Kernow by 8th May 2025

Material must be ready for dissemination by 15th May 2025.

Creative Kernow will be the point of contact with projects, and the wider partnership (HeadStart Kernow, Arts Well and the Resettlement Service) will be there to consult on content and shape. We will provide logos.

How to apply

Please send:

- a CV that includes links to your website or portfolio (no more than 2 pages)
- a Cover Letter (no more than 1 side of A4) or a short video (no longer than 3 minutes in mp4 format) describing how your ideas and experience meet the following criteria:
 - Significant experience of filmmaking and editing
 - Knowledge & experience of working with young people who have faced adverse childhood experiences
 - Knowledge & experience of working in education and community settings
 - Experience in placing young people at the heart of a film
 - Working to tight deadlines
 - Creating a powerful advocacy piece demonstrating the value of the subject material

to izzy@creativekernow.org.uk by 10am on Monday 3rd Feb 2025.