

CC289 Burraton Community Primary School

The application is to part fund play equipment for use in the grounds of the school.

The Grants Policy states:

8.7. Schools will only be grant aided for environmental purposes or if, in the opinion of Saltash Town Council, their application is for the benefit of the wider community. The project must also be in addition to statutory services.

8.8. Applications from education, health or social service establishments will be considered where the organisation can demonstrate that it is working in partnership with other groups and where there are benefits to the wider community within the parish. The project must also be in addition to statutory services.

The Chair and Vice Chair were received and reviewed the application alongside the Grants Policy.

The Vice Chair contacted the school to discuss the application, and the school has provided the following additional information:

'We have future plans to promote further positive community involvement at Burraton. Not only do we have volunteers providing extra curricular activities to the direct Burraton community in the evenings after school, but we are working with community groups such as Plymouth Argyle Community Trust to support school holiday activities for children within Saltash. These range from low cost School holiday childcare options for families and potential time to move programme events which support those on low incomes and free school meals.

We will continue to host termly Friends of Burraton events for families where we open up our facilities to the wider community for Summer events, Christmas Fairs and will continue to widen these options as we improve the outside space. We try our best to support sporting groups and other projects by allowing them use of our facilities if the purpose of their activity benefit the wider community.'

End.