**Landscaping, Furniture and Equipment and ICT grants**

- This fact sheet provides advice on the arrangements for furniture and equipment, interactive whiteboards and landscaping grants for P21 and SLC projects.
- The furniture and equipment, and interactive whiteboard grants are only to be used to purchase equipment in BER buildings. Landscaping grants are to be used on landscaping works associated with your BER building.
- Principals or acting principals must agree to the terms and conditions in order to receive the grants. This requires principals to declare they will spend the allocated grants for the intended purpose. Please follow this link to the [declaration](#).

**Landscaping grants**

**Standard design (template) projects**

- The Department will provide a $5,000 grant to each school with a standard design (template) project for landscaping works associated with your BER building.
- You may choose to make your own arrangements for landscaping work or to ask your project manager and/or builder to undertake the landscaping works.
- If you wish your project manager and/or builder to undertake the works, please discuss this directly with your project manager.

**Other projects**

- For non-standard design projects (individually designed buildings and refurbishments) the grant will depend on the nature of your project. Your project manager will advise you of the amount.

**Furniture and equipment grants**

- Well designed and well utilised furniture and equipment will enhance the flexibility and functionality of the new learning spaces and help schools to achieve the best results from the new facilities.
- Please note this grant is strictly for the purchase of furniture and equipment for the BER facility and its surroundings.
- The grant will be provided to schools approximately two months prior to the handover of the new facility so that schools can make arrangements to purchase furniture and equipment.
- To assist schools plan for 21st century teaching and learning, the BER team has developed a range of resources and materials which are available on the BER website at [www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution)

**Standard design (template) projects**

- The Department will provide a grant to each school with a standard design (template) project. Details of the grant amounts being allocated for each template are available on the BER website [www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution)

**Other projects**

- For individually designed buildings and refurbishment projects, the amount of the grant will depend on the nature of your project. Your project manager can advise you of the grant amount.
Information and Communications Technology (ICT)

**Standard design (template) projects**

- Schools are encouraged to purchase interactive whiteboards from the DEECD preferred supplier panel.

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- If your school decides to purchase whiteboards outside the panel arrangements, you should be aware of the [Victorian Government Procurement requirements](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution) which prohibit the acceptance of gifts from organisations from which you are making purchasing decisions.
- Schools are requested to complete the [online survey](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution) to select interactive whiteboard preferences as soon as possible.

**Other projects**

- For individually designed buildings and refurbishment projects, your project manager can advise you on the ICT infrastructure included in your project.
- Please contact your project manager directly to discuss these arrangements.

**Procurement requirements**

- Schools must ensure that the [Victorian Government Procurement requirements](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution) are followed when using the grants to purchase furniture and equipment, interactive whiteboards and landscaping.
- Grants will be issued via EFT to school bank accounts approximately two months prior to practical completion providing the terms and conditions declaration has been completed. Remittance advice will be provided to schools.
- Please receipt grants to the general ledger account 70080 – Other Department Grants. The grant is exclusive of GST, therefore please receipt the full amount against this general ledger account.
- You do not need to identify specific program / subprograms.

**Further Information**

- Schools with any queries about their BER projects should contact their BER project managers in the first instance.
- Schools can also contact the BER information line on 1800 679 938 or email ber@edumail.vic.gov.au or visit the BER website at [www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/buildingrevolution)