



## RSC - Applications for Funding to promote Chemistry in Ireland 2021

The Royal Society of Chemistry Education Division Ireland Region committee invites applications from across the island of Ireland for funding to promote chemistry or materials related activities in your school and/or local community for Science Week 7-14th November 2021 and beyond!

The focus of Science Week 2021 is exploring what challenges are most important to the Irish public and how science might help. Most importantly Science Week will aim to capture these challenges, or questions, as they arise from the public. For more information, see here: <https://www.sfi.ie/engagement/science-week/>

Grants of up to €300/£300 are available. Please note that applications that are for purchase of equipment only cannot be funded, as an activity/event must be incorporated.

Examples of previous initiatives that have received such funding include:

- \* Development of a school science council (peer education approach)
- \* In house science quiz for first year students (emphasis on Chemistry)
- \* Poster competition on element number 13 for 5th class students in primary schools.
- \* Chemistry demonstrations for school science open day
- \* Christmas Chemistry extravaganza run in a secondary school for primary school students
- \* A series of 5 interactive chemistry workshops for adults in a public library.
- \* Running a school science fair

The closing date for applications is Friday 1st of October 2021

Successful applicants will be notified by Friday 15th October 2021.

Successful applicants will be asked to submit a short multimedia report following completion of the event/activity.

Here is the link to the RSC application form:-

<https://forms.gle/5CwA1Jjc7vDWsyTn7>