



## **Supporting Service Children in Wales Fund 2018/19** **BID IDEAS**

*Following feedback received from applicants to the MOD Education Support Fund, we have provided below some ideas that schools have put forward in their applications, for which full or partial funding was granted.*

- Staff training
- Literacy and numeracy resources to boost children's skills
- Educational resources including ICT
- Service families specific information on websites
- Library books for Service children
- Counselling provision for a cluster of schools
- Service Family Liaison Officer to provide a key point of contact for Service families
- Transition book, e-book and videos to smooth the transition from school to school
- Resources to develop a lunchtime 'drop in' support club
- Refurbish an area to create a Service children base for study and a welcoming meeting point for parents
- Support to HMS Heroes clubs including staffing and membership
- An outside nurture area, providing a space where the school community can work together which will be maintained by all the children
- Training for staff to become ELSA qualified
- Extending nurture group provision to families
- Forest School visits
- Friendship areas around the school
- Male Play Rangers to focus on traditional male play when Dads are deployed
- Summer school places for Service children
- Family events for Service families and the community
- Gardening club equipment/resources.