

The Big Picture 2007

Education

Organisation	Project	Funding
Rio Tinto WA Future Fund		
Scitech	Kids' Science State - a travelling roadshow of inspiring science and maths programmes for children, teachers and parents.	\$327,500
The Smith Family	Learning for Life– assists financially disadvantaged families in Kwinana to access education through mentoring, counselling and scholarships	\$320,000
State Library of Western Australia	Better Beginnings– early literacy programme for children aged 0 to 3 years and their families	\$136,280
Garnduwa	Argyle Diamonds Young Women's Leadership Programme	\$50,000
Leadership Western Australia	Programme for emerging leaders to build capacity and address community issues	\$25,000
Rio Tinto Iron Ore Community Partnerships Programme		
David Wirrpanda Foundation	Mentoring and incentive programme for Indigenous youth	\$100,000
Scitech	Pilbara Iron Science Competition	\$31,000
University of Western Australia	Graduate Diploma/Certificate in Applied Anthropology	\$27,000
Early Learning Scholarships – Tom Price	Professional development of child care workers in the region	\$50,000
Early Learning Scholarships – Roebourne	Professional development of child care workers in the region	\$30,000
Early Learning Scholarships – Pannawonica	Professional development of child care workers in the region	\$14,250
Pilbara Camp School	Firebugs programme – students from Karratha SHS learn to build and sail boats at Dampier Camp School	\$10,000
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The Smith Family	Learning for Life– assists financially disadvantaged families in Kwinana to access education through mentoring, counselling and scholarships	\$50,000
Real World Science Project	Promoting science among students in the Kwinana-Rockingham region	\$10,000
Argyle Diamonds		
YACHAD	Accelerated Learning Project at Halls Creek District High School to raise achievements of students in remote areas	\$100,000

Graham (Polly) Farmer Foundation	Provides education opportunities and mentoring for Indigenous students in the East Kimberley	\$50,000
Beacon Foundation	'No Dole' Programme	\$45,000
University of Western Australia	Postgraduate scholarship	\$30,000
Garnduwa	Young Women's Leadership Programme	\$10,000

Rio Tinto WA Sponsorships

AFS Intercultural Programmes	Two Australia-Japan exchange scholarships	\$30,000
Murdoch University (STAR)	Today's Science for Your Tomorrow– education programme for high school students across Western Australia	\$15,000
Revise	Distance education	In-kind support

Rio Tinto Iron Ore

Graham (Polly) Farmer Foundation	Gumala Mirnuwarni– secondary education support in Karratha and Roebourne	\$120,000
TAFEWA, Apprenticeships WA	Karratha Pathways Partnership– modeled on the Pilbara Pathways Partnership	\$100,000
Graham (Polly) Farmer Foundation	Garnjurri Mirnumurri Ngurr-Unga– secondary education support in Tom Price	\$65,000
Elect Education	Literacy programme for 16 – 19 year olds	\$40,000
Indigenous University Scholarships	Indigenous University Scholarships	\$30,000
TAFEWA, Apprenticeships WA, Tom Price Senior High School	Pilbara Pathways Partnership – secondary education and training to improve students' ability to compete for apprenticeships and traineeships	\$30,000
Roebourne Pathways Programme	Employment for Indigenous youth	\$25,000
Curtin University of Technology	Scholarships to Karratha campus	\$20,000
Indigenous University Cadetships	Indigenous University CadetshipsLinked with university scholarships to offer paid vacation employment and long term employment prospects	TBA
Indigenous Traineeships	Indigenous TraineeshipsProviding traineeships for Indigenous students in the Pilbara	TBA
TAFEWA	TAFEWAVarious collaborations	TBA

Rio Tinto Minerals

2007 Rio Tinto Minerals Grant	Purchase of bus for students at Carnarvon Senior High School	\$50,000
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Health

Organisation	Project	Funding
Rio Tinto WA Future Fund		
Telethon Institute for Child Health Research	Rio Tinto Child Health Partnership– research into Indigenous child and maternal health services	\$435,000
Rio Tinto Iron Ore Community Partnerships Programme		
Shires of Roebourne and Ashburton	Leaping Lizards – nutrition and physical activity programme for school children	\$125,000
Tom Price Youth Centre	Programmes for at-risk youth	\$75,000
Edith Cowan University	Provision of health assessments in Paraburdoo and Tom Price	\$60,000
Mentally Healthy WA	Promoting healthy lifestyles and positive mental health	\$50,000
Lifeline	Crisis telephone service in the Pilbara	\$45,000
Argyle Diamonds		
Royal Flying Doctor Service	Aircraft Replacement Appeal	\$30,000
Telethon Institute for Child Health Research	Rio Tinto Child Health Partnership	\$21,475

Environment

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Rio Tinto WA Future Fund

Conservation Volunteers Australia	Future Volunteers – coordinating volunteers for conservation projects in the North West and providing a suite of training programmes	\$312,500
Australian Museum	BioMaps– biological surveys of the Pilbara and development of mapping tools to manage biodiversity	\$100,000

Rio Tinto Iron Ore Community Partnerships Programme

Ashburton Aboriginal Corporation	Biodiesel production business	\$78,000
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Rio Tinto Iron Ore

Community of Dampier	Upgrade of facilities at Shark Cage	\$34,000
CleanaWay	Trial to run a waste recycling station in Dampier	\$15,000
Pilbara Regional Council	Waste management review	\$10,000
University of New South Wales	Sustainability of dewatering and discharge practices in the Pilbara	\$58,000
University of New South Wales	Climate, management and ecosystem interaction in the Pilbara	\$65,000

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Naragebup	Rockingham Regional Environment Centre – support for education office	\$10,000
Cockburn Wetlands	Education Centre– funding for staff member	\$10,000

Expansion Projects

WA Water Awards	Sponsorship of Awards	\$10,000
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Culture

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Rio Tinto WA Future Fund

Disability in the Arts, Disadvantaged in the Arts WA (DADAA WA)	Disseminate– project to evaluate the role of the arts in improving the lives of Western Australians living with disabilities, mental health diagnoses or social disadvantage	\$100,000
WA Community Foundation	Community Development Programme– supporting Western Australian communities to build endowed funds to ensure long term sustainability	\$100,000

Rio Tinto Iron Ore Community Partnerships Programme

Pilbara Regional Football Commission	Local Football Development Officer	\$33,000
WA Aquatic Club	Swim camps	\$32,000
Department of Sport and Recreation	University student practical placements delivering school holiday programmes	\$11,700

Rio Tinto WA Sponsorships

Black Swan Theatre Company	Principal Partner	\$100,000
Australian String Quartet	WA Presentation Partner	\$75,000
Australia's North West Tourism	Pilbara Project– promoting the Pilbara as a tourist destination	\$30,000
Women of the Pilbara	Publishing stories of women who have lived in the Pilbara	\$30,000
Perth Zoo	Perth Zoo	\$20,000
Dreamfit	Providing innovative recreational and leisure equipment for people with disabilities	\$10,000

Rio Tinto Iron Ore

Shire of Roebourne, Sam's Island Preservation Group	Sam's Island Preservation Project	\$20,000
Community Advisory Group – Pannawonica	Historical display in Pannawonica	\$12,000
Community Advisory Group – Wickham	Historical display in Wickham	\$12,000
Community Advisory Group – Dampier	Historical display in Dampier	\$12,000
Pannawonica Rodeo Committee	Sponsorship of rodeo	\$10,000
Tom Price Cultural Centre and Arts Enterprise Centre	Promoting small business, particularly craft and tourism	TBA

Argyle Diamonds

Kununurra CCI	Ord Valley Muster 2007 Sponsorship	\$100,000
Barramundi Concert	Barramundi Concert Sponsorship of this key event as part of the Ord Valley Muster	\$50,000
WA Police	Kimberley Crimestoppers	\$50,000

Expansion Projects

Jessica Mauboy Concert	Concert in Broome	\$25,000
Karratha & Dampier Lions Club	FeNaCING Festival	\$10,000