Funding Bulletin

June 2025

Information for the bulletin is compiled from a number of sources including Grantfinder, and direct from funders themselves. It showcases just a few of the hundreds of funding opportunities available for local community, voluntary and faith organisations.

Assistance and support is available with putting together your quality funding bid. Please find the details below of who to contact in your area and get in touch to see how we can work with you to help you achieve a successful application.

Contact details for support and further information can be found on the final page. Please also let us know if you are successful in securing funding as a result of spotting an opportunity in our bulletin!

Funding search engine

My Funding Central

If you are looking for a funding Helping charities and voluntary organisations identify funding opportunities search engine to help you find funds which may be suitable for your project ideas, we recommend <u>My Funding Central</u> which is a free service for organisations with an income of less than £30,000. For organisations with a higher income, annual subscription starts from only £50.

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LOCAL

Manchester Guardi	an Society	
Aims/priorities:	The funding is intended for a wide range of charities and other	
	community organisations which provide charitable benefits for	
	communities within Greater Manchester. Grants are available for	
	community-based organisations in Greater Manchester, especially	
	those that are supporting young people, the sick and disabled, or	
	elderly and disadvantaged members of society.	
Who can apply?	Registered charities and other community organisations which	
	provide charitable benefits for communities within Greater Manchester	
	can apply.	
	Only one application will be accepted from an organisation within a	
	two-year period.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £3,500	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Email: manchesterguardiansociety@gmail.com	
Website:	https://manchesterguardiansociety.org.uk/	

Duchy of Land Benevolent	
Aims/priorities:	The Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund offers grants to charitable
	organisations that are active in Merseyside, Greater Manchester and
	Lancashire for projects that benefit local communities and residents.
	The Trustees are particularly interested in the following:
	Causes with which the Duchy has historical association such as
	church livings and estates within the boundaries of the three
	Counties and purposes which will benefit the community.
	Trusts, Associations and Institutions that maintain and preserve
	monuments, Estates and possessions of the Duchy which prove
	to be of benefit to the public and local community.
	• Organisations which provide care and support for people who are
	older, infirm or disadvantaged members of society.

	 Community Associations that benefit local people. 	
	 Organisations for young people such as Scouts, Guides, Cadets, 	
	Youth Organisations etc.	
	 Support for educational initiatives that will have beneficial results 	
	for the local community.	
Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from registered charities and local	
	voluntary and community organisations.	
	To be eligible, applicants must:	
	Operate in Merseyside, Greater Manchester or Lancashire.	
	 Have a bank account in the organisation's name. 	
	 Demonstrate a clear benefit to the local community. 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £2,000	
Application process:	Online application form to be submitted via email	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0161 834 0490	
	Email: office@gmlo.org	
Website:	www.manchesterlieutenancy.org	
Ford Britain Trus	Ford	
Aims/priorities:	The Ford Britain Trust was created for the advancement of education	
	and other charitable purposes beneficial to the community.	
	The funding is intended to support projects which benefit the local	
	community and environment, children and young people, mainstream	
	schools and education, special needs education and people with	
	disabilities.	
	Projects can take place anywhere in Great Britain; however, locations	
	near Ford Motor Company Limited / FCE Bank plc UK operations are	
	given a higher weighting:	
	 Dagenham, Warley and Dunton in Essex. 	
	Southampton.	
	Daventry.	
	Manchester and Halewood.	
	Bridgend, South Wales	

The following organisations are eligible to apply:
Registered charities.
Schools and PTAs (Non-fee paying, state sector schools only).
Non-profit organisations, including small clubs and societies.
Applications will be considered for projects being
undertaken/expenditure being made in all UK postcodes; however,
locations near Ford Motor Company Limited / FCE Bank plc UK
operations are given a higher weighting:
Essex (including East London)
Bridgend (South Wales)
Southampton
Daventry
Manchester
Liverpool
Applications can be made by Ford Motor Company Limited / FCE Bank
plc, employees or pensioners, or requests for funding towards projects in
which they are involved or will benefit from.
Organisations may reapply one year following receipt of a small grant
and three years following receipt of a large grant.
Grants of up to £3,000
Application form available on website to be submitted via email.
30 th of June 2025.
Email: <u>fbtrust@ford.com</u>
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ARTS

Music for All - Comm Project Funding	nunity	FOR ALL MAKING MUSIC CHANGES LIVES
Aims/priorities:	The grants	s programme aims to give a helping hand to projects and
	initiatives a	across the UK that are seeking to bring music to their

	communities. The funding is for groups that need assistance to fulfil
	their potential in developing truly sustainable music programmes.
Who can apply?	Groups, schools and organisations that are bringing music to their
	communities in the UK can apply.
	Priority will be given to applicants who are most in need of help.
	Applicants are eligible only if they have been resident in the UK for a
	minimum of three years and are either a British Citizen or a national
	of a member state of the European Economic Area, or have been
	granted leave to enter or remain in the UK for an indefinite period or
	hold a certificate of right of abode in the UK.
Grant amount:	Dicsretionary
Application process:	Online Application Form
Deadline:	27 th June 2025
Contact:	Tel: 0140 362 8892
	Email: <u>help@musicforall.org.uk</u>
Website:	www.Musicforall.org.uk

Theatre Improver	nent Scheme Theatres Trust	
Aims/priorities:	The scheme supports charitable theatre operators in the UK to carry	
	out capital projects to improve their theatre buildings. Projects must	
	fall within a specific theme each year.	
	The current theme for the fund is Improving Environmental	
	Sustainability as this is an urgent priority for the sector.	
Who can apply?	To be eligible, applicants must meet the following requirements:	
	Own or manage theatres with titles or signed leases of more	
	than five years on buildings in England, Scotland, Wales or	
	Northern Ireland.	
	Demonstrate that they run a year-round programme of live	
	performance, of no less than 30 performances a year.	
	Have a bona fide UK charitable or not-for-profit legal structure	
	and be able to provide certified or audited accounts for at least	
	two years. This can include local authorities or town and	
	borough councils that own and/or operate a venue.	

	 Have the permission of the property owner and any relevant planning body to do the work required. Operate theatres that achieve excellence through their producing and programming and/or community engagement and/or architectural significance. 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £20,000	
Application process:	Application form available on website to be submitted via email.	
Deadline:	5 th September 2025.	
Contact:	Tel: 020 7836 8591	
	Email: <u>info@theatrestrust.org.uk</u>	
Website:	www.theatrestrust.org.uk/	

Arts Council England	d National Lottery Projects Grants V_{GLAN}
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for individual artists, community and cultural
	organisations to support arts, museums and libraries projects that
	engage people in England with arts and culture.
	Priority is currently being given to the following types of time
	limited priorities:
	Supporting Grassroots Live Music - specifically supports
	rehearsal and recording studios, promoters, festivals, and
	venues for live and electronic music performance.
	Museums Unlocking Collections - aimed at enabling museums
	to develop their collections-based work and increase public
	engagement with, and use of, their collections.
	Universal Library Offers - aimed at enabling public libraries
	with their delivery of the four Universal Library Offers:
	Reading, Health and Wellbeing, Digital and Information, and
	Culture and Creativity.
Who can apply?	Individual artists and community and cultural organisations can apply.
	To be eligible, applicants (individual or organisation) must:
	• Be based within (live in or have a business address in)
	England or the wider UK.

	 Have a UK bank account in the exact name they are applying in. Be at least 18 years old (for organisations: have an accountable person who is at least 18). 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £100,000	
Application process:	Online Application form	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0161 934 4317	
	Email: <u>enquiries@artscouncil.org.uk</u>	
Website:	www.Artscouncil.org.uk	

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts - JJ	
Charitable Trust Lit	eracy Small Grants
Scheme	
Aims/priorities:	The Trust supports charities and community groups that help children
	and young people develop literacy skills, with a focus on supporting
	those with learning difficulties.
	The Trust's work has a particular focus on areas of social need and
	those who are at risk of non-inclusion in society and the world of work.
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from UK-based registered charities,
	community interest companies, charitable incorporated organisations
	or those registered as exempt charities
Grant amount:	Grant of up to £20,000
Application process:	Online Application form
Deadline:	1 st October 2025
Contact:	Tel: 020 7410 0330
	Email: info@sfct.org.uk
Website	www.sfct.org.uk/

Children's Alliance	Children's Alliance Better starts, brighter futures	
Aims/priorities:	The funding is intended for not-for-profit organisations across the UK to	
	give children and young people under the age of 18 access to water for	
	learning, developing and playing.	
	The objective of the programme is to give essential life skills and build	
	children's confidence and resilience, both physically and emotionally	
	through water-based activities.	
Who can apply?	Applications will be considered from not-for-profit organisations,	
	including:	
	Registered charities.	
	Registered community groups.	
	Community Interest Companies (CICs).	
	Schools.	
	To be eligible to apply organisations must have:	
	A safeguarding and/or a child protection policy.	
	 A bank account in the name of the organisation. 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000	
Application process:	Online Application Form	
Deadline:	30 th September 2025.	
Contact:	Email: info@childrensalliance.org.uk	
Website:	www.childrensalliance.org.uk	

7stars Foundation



Aims/priorities:	The foundation makes grants to projects which support young people
	(16 years and under) who are challenged by abuse or addiction, who
	are young carers, or who are homeless/without a safe place to call
	home.
Who can apply?	Applications will be considered from organisations who require
	funding in the areas of:
	Abuse
	Addiction
	Child carers
	Homelessness
	Organisations must have a turnover of under £1.5 million and be
	supporting young people aged 16 years and under.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £2,500
Application process:	Online Application form
Deadline:	31 st August 2025
Contact:	Email: info@the7starsfoundation.co.uk
Website:	www.the7starsfoundation.co.uk

DIGITAL

Worshipful Company of Information Technologists Charity		CHARITY
Aims/priorities:	Funding of IT-related projects and pro	vision of pro-bono IT
	consultancy which help achieve the W	CIT Charity's priorities.
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from UK rec	gistered charities, educational
	establishments, and other organisation	ns with a formal not-for-profit
	constitution, such as a community inte	rest company; CICs limited by
	shares may also apply.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	18 th August 2025	

Contact:	Tel: 020 7600 1992
	Email: <u>info@wcit.org.uk</u>
Website:	www.wcitcharity.org.uk

Clothworkers' Foun	dation The clothworkers' Company
Aims/priorities:	 The Clothworkers' Foundation improves the lives of people and communities – particularly those facing disadvantage and marginalisation – through grant making. The Foundation awards grants in the following areas: Substance misuse and addiction Disabilities (inc. mental health and visual impairment) Communities experiencing racial inequalities Young people facing disadvantage Older people facing disadvantage Homelessness Prison and rehabilitation LGBT+ communities Economic disadvantage Funding is available for capital costs – meaning tangible items or work, which <u>includes digital/audio visual equipment, software and websites</u>
Who can apply?	UK registered charities, community interest companies, and other registered UK not-for-profit organisations (including special schools) with an annual income under £10 million can apply.
Grant amount:	Flexible. For smaller projects (less than £15,000), the foundation generally funds between 50% and 100% of the balance. Read the guidance for full details.
Application process:	Online Application
Deadline:	Ongoing
Contact:	https://www.clothworkersfoundation.org.uk/contact-us/
Website:	https://www.clothworkersfoundation.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/

ENVIRONMENT

Material Focus - Electricals Recycling Fund



Aims/priorities:	The funding is for organisations who are expanding collection and
	processing services for reuse and recycling, as well as driving
	awareness of these services among local residents, with the aim of
	making it easier for everyone to reuse or recycle their unwanted
	electricals.
	The funding will support projects to:
	Grow/develop existing household collection services for
	small household electricals.
	Innovate/test new approaches to collect electricals for reuse
	and recycling.
Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from registered organisations
	including:
	Charities.
	Local authorities.
	Waste partnerships.
	Private waste contractors.
	Other private companies.
	Compliance schemes.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £100,000
Application process:	Online Application
Deadline:	Rolling Programme
Contact:	Email: <u>funding@materialfocus.org.uk</u>
Website:	www.materialfocus.org.uk
American Express - Community Giving Programme EXPRESS	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for not-for-profit organisations to help empower
	more diverse and inclusive workforces and communities, build
	inclusive economic growth and financial literacy, and advance
	climate innovation and action.

Who can apply?	Grants are made to organisations that are able to provide
	documentary evidence of not-for-profit status.
Grant amount:	Discretionary
Application process:	Oline form
Deadline:	Rolling Programme
Contact:	Tel: 1 212 640 4648
	Email: <u>communitygiving@aexp.com</u>
Website:	https://www.americanexpress.com/en-us/company/corporate-
	sustainability/community-impact/

British Ecological Society - Outreach and Engagement Grants



Aims/priorities:	The grant will support diverse formats that reach and engage public
	audiences in innovative, creative and impactful ways, whether through
	in-person events, digital formats, or physical resources.
Who can apply?	The lead applicant must have a BES membership and be the person
	who will oversee the project delivery and complete the final report.
	Awards are open to individuals, teams and organisations across all
	experience levels to organise ecological public engagement events.
	Collaborations between two or more people are also welcome.
	Applications from museums and schools are welcome, but projects
	must involve significant outreach beyond schools.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £2,000
Application process:	Online application
Deadline:	8 th September 2025
Contact:	Tel: 020 3994 8289
	Email: hello@britishecologicalsociety.org
Website:	www.britishecologicalsociety.org

FAITH

Manchester Diocesan		
Council for Social Aid -	THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND	
Grants Scheme	Diocese of Manchester	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available to Anglican Church-owned or	
	church-linked projects within the Diocese of	
	Manchester to support new mission initiatives, or to	
	develop current mission activities that tackle poverty.	
Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from parishes, or projects	
	with a strong parish link, for projects that deliver	
	benefits for residents of communities within the	
	Diocese of Manchester.	
	Applicants must provide a copy of their most recent	
	annual accounts (new organisations without accounts	
	should provide a projected income and expenditure for	
	their first year).	
	Applications are particularly encouraged from Anglican	
	churches and church-linked projects that have not	
	previously received Small Grant funding from the CSA.	
Grant amount:	Grants of Up to £30,000	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Email: csa@manchester.anglican.org	
Website:	https://www.manchester.anglican.org/support-for-	
	parishes/financegrants/council-for-social-aid/	

Sainsbury Family Jerusalem Trust	Charitable Trusts - The Jerusalem Trust
Aims/priorities:	The objects of the Jerusalem Trust are to advance:
	The Christian religion and promote Christian organisations and
	the charitable purposes and institutions they support.
	Christian education and learning.
	The trustees' priority areas are:

	Evangelism and Christian Mission in the UK - particularly work	
	with children, new and emerging evangelists and work with	
	prisoners, ex-prisoners and their families	
	Christian Education - particularly curriculum resource materials	
	for schools and support of RE as a subject; adult lay Christian	
	training and education, and projects which encourage	
	Christians in leadership in schools	
	Christian Evangelism and Relief Work Overseas - priority areas	
	are Anglophone sub-Saharan Africa, Ethiopia, Jordan, Syria,	
	Lebanon, Egypt, Iraq and Iran; programmes which support	
	theological training colleges or build capacity of local churches;	
	translation of Christian books and provision of aid to the	
	persecuted church	
	Christian Media - particularly media projects promoting	
	Christianity in the UK, North Africa and the Middle East; training	
	and networking projects for Christians working in the media and	
	the creative use of digital media and the internet to promote	
	Christianity	
	Christian Art - commissions of works of art for places of	
	worship.	
Who can apply?	Funding is available for UK registered charities or activities with clearly	
	defined charitable purposes.	
Grant amount:	Discretionary	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0207 410 0330	
Website:	https://www.sfct.org.uk/the-jerusalem-trust/	

Benefact Trust – Com	munity Impact Grants BENEFACT TRUST
Aims/priorities:	This fund aims to support Christian organisations to deliver projects
	that will make a positive and transformative impact on lives and
	communities and contribute to the following objectives:
	Growing congregations and Christian communities.
	Addressing social challenges facing communities.
	Enabling wider community use of church buildings.
	Empowering Christian education.

Who can apply?	Churches, cathedrals, denominational bodies, Christian charities,	
	schools, and theological educational institutions with a clear Christian	
	ethos can apply.	
Grant amount:	Discretionary	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 01452 873189	
	Email: info@benefacttrust.co.uk	
Website:	https://www.benefacttrust.co.uk/grants/community-impact-grants/	

GENERAL

Edgar E Lawley Founda	tion HospiceUK		
Aims/priorities:	The aim of the programme is to enable hospice and palliative care		
	professionals employed within hospices to study for art and music		
	therapy qualifications. This will to lead to improved quality of care		
	given to patients, their carers and families.		
Who can apply?	Hospices must be members of Hospice UK based in the UK, the		
	Channel Islands or Isle of Man.		
	Applicants must be a hospice or palliative care professional working in		
	an eligible organisation. Supported roles include:		
	Allied health professional (including art therapist and music		
	therapist).		
	• Nurse.		
	Healthcare Assistant.		
	Doctor.		
	Social worker.		
	Bereavement counsellor.		
	Spiritual care worker.		
	Pharmacist.		
	Complementary therapists.		
	Applicants must demonstrate how the course would improve patient		
	outcomes.		
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £1,500		
Application process:	Online		
Deadline:	Rolling Programme		

Contact:	Email: <u>Grants@hospiceuk.org</u>	
Website:	https://www.hospiceuk.org/society-disabled-artists-bursaries	

Wolfson Foundation

The Wolfson* Foundation

Aims/priorities:	The main objective of the Foundation is the funding of capital		
	infrastructure in the following areas:		
	Science and medicine.		
	Arts and humanities.		
	Heritage.		
	Education.		
	Health and disability.		
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from organisations and educational		
	establishments in the UK which are registered charities or which		
	have charitable status.		
Grant amount:	Discretionary		
Application process:	Online Application		
Deadline:	1 st July 2025		
Contact:	Tel: 020 7323 5730		
	Email: grants@wolfson.org.uk		
Website:	www.wolfson.org.uk		

GirlDreamer - Dream Fu	nd	GirlDreamer
Aims/priorities:	The funding is intended to support women of colour-led social impact	
	organisations in kickstarting inn	novative projects, launching community
	initiatives, and driving positive change.	
Who can apply?	Women of colour aged 18 to 35, based in the UK, are eligible to apply.	
	The organisations applying must be focused on social impact, and can	
	be either registered or unregistered.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £2,500	

Application process:	Online Form
Deadline:	Rolling Programme
Contact:	Email: <u>nina@girldreamer.co.uk</u>
Website:	www.girldreamer.co.uk

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Health Lottery Four	ndation Grants 2025		
Aims/priorities:	The funding is intended for voluntary organisations who are working		
	to improve the health and wellbeing of people in their community.		
	The Foundation is taking a broad approach in the areas of work it		
	supports because the causes of poor health, loneliness and social		
	exclusion are complicated. This means the type of projects that		
	improve health and wellbeing outcomes are quite varied.		
	The funding is for work that address the following project themes:		
	Chronic disease		
	Disability inequity		
	Healthcare IT		
	Health disparity		
	Preventative care		
	Young people.		
Who can apply?	Applications will be considered from non-profit-making voluntary		
	sector organisations who are working to improve the health and		
	wellbeing of people in their local community.		
	Organisations with the following legal structures may apply:		
	Registered charities		
	Community Interest Companies (CICs)		
	Community groups, such as local clubs and associations (for		
	example, youth groups and environmental clubs)		
	Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs)		
	Social enterprises, businesses with a social or environmental		
	purpose		
	Faith-based organisations.		
Grant amount:	Discretional		

Application process:	Online application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 020 3330 0501	
	Email: hello@thehealthlotteryfoundation.org.uk	
Website:	www.thehealthlotteryfoundation.org.uk	

UK Community Foundation	S		
Aims/priorities:	The broad purpose of UK Community Foundations is to promote		
	and support local charitable and community activity. This is		
	achieved through managing donor funds, building endowments		
	and making grants to charities and community groups. Community		
	foundations are created by and for local people.		
Who can apply?	Local voluntary, community and charitable groups may apply whilst		
	some community foundations have funds for individuals. Each has		
	its own grant-making policy, criteria and timescales.		
	Applications from national charities may be accepted if the		
	proposed project is firmly rooted in the local area.		
Grant amount:	Discretionary		
Application process:	Online Application		
Deadline:	Rolling Programme		
Contact:	Tel: 020 7713 9326		
	Email: info@ukcommunityfoundations.org		
Website:	www.ukcommunityfound	lations.org	

Family Fund Trust - Your Opportunity Grants Programme



Family Fund Helping disabled children

Aims/priorities:	This dedicated grant programme aims to enhance the life of disabled, or seriously ill, young adults, aged 18 to 24 years old, living at home.	
Who can apply?	 Iving at nome. To be eligible, applicants must: Be the main parent, or carer, of a disabled or seriously ill young adult aged 18 to 24, who lives at home with them. Not have received a Your Opportunity grant, on behalf of this young adult, in the past 12 months. Have lived in the UK for the last six months. 	

	Be a family on a low income from work, or benefits such as	
	Universal Credit, Working Tax Credit, Child Tax Credit etc.	
	The young adult for whom the application is being made needs to	
	have a high level of support needs, in three or more of the	
	following areas:	
	 Personal care, supervision and vigilance – needs support 	
	with feeding, washing, toileting, or needs to be supervised	
	at all times.	
	 Access to social activities – needs extra support to access 	
	social or leisure activities, including difficulty travelling, or	
	where they are currently socially isolated.	
	 Education/vocational training – has additional educational 	
	support needs, or needs extra help to attend vocational	
	training.	
	Communication – needs support to listen, speak or	
	understand.	
	Therapy and medical treatment – needs treatment or	
	therapy.	
	 Specialist resources used – needs resources such as a 	
	wheelchair, oxygen, screen magnifier or electronic	
	communication aid.	
	The physical environment – needs support with getting	
	around, travelling independently, and keeping safe.	
Grant amount:	Discretionary	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 01904 550055	
	Email: info@familyfund.org.uk	
Website:	www.familyfund.org.uk	

HERITAGE

Heritage Revival Fu	Ind	AHF Transforming Heritage
Aims/priorities:	The funding is intended to help communities across England rescue	
	and repurpose neglected historic buildings.	

	The programme will focus on regenerating historic buildings in town centre locations by supporting community organisations to take ownership of, adapt and reuse the local heritage assets that matter to them, transforming them into thriving spaces that meet their needs. The Heritage Revival Fund aims to:	
	Maximise the regeneration benefits of community ownership	
	and control of heritage assets, assisting in making	
	communities fit for the future.	
	Protect, enhance and safeguard historic buildings across	
	England, offering viable new uses for disused and	
	underutilised properties.	
	Build capacity within local community groups, social	
	enterprise, and charities.	
	Pilot innovative, alternative uses, ownership structures and	
	investment models to facilitate long term regeneration.	
	Maximise the positive social and economic impacts around	
	restoring historic buildings.	
Who can apply?	To be eligible, applicants must be one of the following not-for-private-	
	profit organisations or lowest tiers of local government:	
	Unincorporated charities (for Project Viability Grants only)	
	Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs)	
	Charitable Companies Limited by Guarantee	
	Community Benefit Societies	
	Not-for-private-profit Companies Limited by Guarantee	
	Community Interest Companies (CICs) Limited by Guarantee	
	Co-operatives	
	Parish and Town Councils	
	 Independent secular organisations seeking to take ownership 	
	of a place of worship that will retain some religious use. Or an	
	organisation associated with a worshipping community that is	
	seeking to establish an independent secular organisation to	
	take ownership of the place of worship, while the space will	
	retain some religious use. Ongoing worship must account for	
	less than half of the proposed use of the space.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £350,000	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling programme	

Contact:	Tel: 020 7925 0199
	Email: <u>ahf@ahfund.org.uk</u>
Website:	www.ahfund.org.uk

Historic England - Repair Grants for		Historic
Heritage at Risk		Historic England
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for the repa	ir and conservation of listed buildings,
	scheduled monuments and regis	stered parks and gardens that are
	most at risk of being lost and wh	ich could not go forward without
	funding.	
Who can apply?	Applicants must be the organisation or individual who has legal	
	responsibility for the repair of the relevant listed building, scheduled	
	monument or registered park/garden.	
Grant amount:	Discretionary	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0370 333 0607	
	Email: <u>customers@HistoricEngland.org.uk</u>	
Website:	www.historicengland.org.uk	

OLDER PEOPLE

Home Instead C	harities Home Instead Charities	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for small grassroots community groups and small	
	local registered charities that are providing activities and projects to	
	prevent social isolation and loneliness for older people (the over 55s) in	
	the UK.	
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from small community groups and charities in	
	the UK.	
	Priority will be given to applications that have a connection to, and are	
	championed by, a local Home Instead office.	
	To be eligible, applicants must:	
	Have a bank account in the same name of the group they are	
	applying for funding under.	

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race, religion, sex or sexual orientation.	r	
Show that their group members are over 55 years old or the	• 5	
project for which they seek funding benefits people aged over	p	
55 years.	5	
Registered charities must be able to attach a copy of their governing	Register	
documents and their last set of accounts as part of their application.	docume	
nt amount: Grants of up to £1,500	Grants o	ant amount:
lication process: Online Application	Online A	plication process:
dline: 31st July 2025	31st July	adline:
tact: Tel: 01925 730 273	Tel: 019	ontact:
Email: <u>charities@homeinstead.co.uk</u>	Email: <mark>c</mark>	
osite: www.homeinstead.co.uk	www.hor	ebsite:
of the Elderly	of the E	
Celebrating 120 Years		eople
s/priorities: Small grants are available to support older people living on low	Small g	ms/priorities:
incomes in England and Wales with the costs of home essentials,	income	
unexpected large bills, living costs and getting connected online.	unexpe	
o can apply? Applications are only accepted from a Referral Agent who knows	Applic	ho can apply?
the older person in a professional or community capacity.	the old	
Referral Agents can include: community centres, religious centres,	Referra	
carers centres, housing associations, advice organisations like	carers	
Citizen's Advice or other charities like Age UK.	Citizen'	
A doctor/GP surgery can be a referrer, but only if they are willing to	A docto	
submit the application and follow through on its outcome.	submit	
The older person must be:	The old	
Currently residing in England or Wales.	•	
 In privately owned, privately rented, or social housing (not in 	•	
residential care or a nursing home).		
Of/over UK state pension age.	•	
• On a low income and with savings of less than £4,000 or	•	
£5,000 for joint applications.		
nt amount: Grants of up to £500	Grants	ant amount:
lication process: The application process is managed through organisations (Referral	The ap	plication process:
Agents) who register with Friends of the Elderly and work	Agents	
with older people in their local communities.	with old	

	The Referral Agent should complete and submit an application form on	
	behalf of the applicant.	
	Applications can be made online or by requesting an application form	
	from <u>hello@fote.org.uk</u> .	
	Only one application per household per year is accepted.	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0330 332 1110	
	Email: <u>hello@fote.org.uk</u>	
Website:	www.fote.org.uk	

The Francis Winham Foundation		
Aims/priorities:	Grants are intended to support charitable organisations undertaking	
	social welfare projects for elderly peopl	е.
Who can apply?	Eligible organisations must have registered charity status or have charitable aims which are compatible with the charitable objectives of the Trust and which are exempt from the requirement for charitable registration.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £40,000	
Application process:	Contact Trust on how to apply	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0207 795 1261	
	Email: francinetrust@outlook.com	
Website:		

SPORT & RECREATION

Premier League Stadium Fund		
Aims/priorities:	The PLSF provides grants for football clubs who play in Steps 1 to 6	
	of the National League System, Tie	ers 1 to 4 of the Women's Football
	Pyramid and clubs promoted into th	ne English Football League.
	The funding is intended to support the improvement of stadium	
	facilities, in order to enhance the m	atchday experience of players,
	officials and spectators.	

Who can apply?	Clubs who play in Steps 1 to 6 of the National League System, Tiers 1	
	to 4 of the Women's Football Pyramid and clubs promoted into the	
	English Football League are eligible to apply.	
	To be eligible for funding, clubs must be:	
	A current member of a league within the National League	
	System, Step 1 to 6.	
	• The owner of a freehold site, or a leasehold of at least 10	
	years.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £750,000 available	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	
Contact:	Tel: 0345 345 4555	
	Email: enquiries@footballfoundation.org.uk	
Website:	https://premierleaguestadiumfund.co.uk/	

Sport England – Moven	nent Fund	
Aims/priorities:	Grants and other resources are available for community groups, local sports clubs and grassroots organisations across England with ideas of how to tackle inequalities and help get more people active. Current priority is being given to sports and activities that need help to recover quickly from the recent impact of extreme weather	
Who can apply?	 quickly from the recent impact of extreme weather. Not-for-profit organisations working with people living in England can apply. To be eligible, organisations must: Be formally constituted with a clear purpose. Have at least three non-related trustees or directors who do not live together. Ensure decision making and voting rights are equally distributed between their trustees or directors. Meet Sport England's Tier 1 Governance Code requirements (if applying for more than £10,000). 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000 available	
Application process:	Online Application	
Deadline:	Rolling Programme	

Contact:	Tel: 0345 8508 508	
	Email: funding@sportengland.org	
Website:	https://www.sportengland.org/funding-and-campaigns/our-	
	funding/movement-fund	

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