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 | |
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| 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. | |
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| 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 | |
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| 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. | |
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| | 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. | |
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| 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. | |
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| 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 | |
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| The following organisations are eligible to apply: |
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| 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. |
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| Email: <u>fbtrust@ford.com</u> |
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ARTS

| Music for All - Comm Project Funding | nunity | FOR ALL MAKING MUSIC CHANGES LIVES |
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| 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 |
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| | 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 | |
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| 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. | |
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| 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} |
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| 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). | |
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| 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 | |
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| 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. |
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| 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 | |
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| 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 |
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| | (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 |
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DIGITAL

| Worshipful Company of Information Technologists Charity | | CHARITY |
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| 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 |
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| | Email: <u>info@wcit.org.uk</u> |
| Website: | www.wcitcharity.org.uk |

| Clothworkers' Foun | dation The clothworkers' Company |
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| 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 |
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| | 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. |
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| Who can apply? | Grants are made to organisations that are able to provide |
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| | 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 |
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| | 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 |
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FAITH

| Manchester Diocesan | | |
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| 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 |
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| 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 | |
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| | 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 |
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| 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, | |
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| | 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 | | |
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| 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> | |
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| 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 | | |
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| | 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 | | |
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| GirlDreamer - Dream Fu | nd | GirlDreamer |
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| 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 |
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| Deadline: | Rolling Programme |
| Contact: | Email: <u>nina@girldreamer.co.uk</u> |
| Website: | www.girldreamer.co.uk |

HEALTH & WELLBEING

| Health Lottery Four | ndation Grants 2025 | | |
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| 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 | |
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| Deadline: | Rolling Programme | |
| Contact: | Tel: 020 3330 0501 | |
| | Email: hello@thehealthlotteryfoundation.org.uk | |
| Website: | www.thehealthlotteryfoundation.org.uk | |

| UK Community Foundation | S | | |
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| 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. | |
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| 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 | |
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| | 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 | |
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HERITAGE

| Heritage Revival Fu | Ind | AHF Transforming Heritage |
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| 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: | |
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| | 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 | |
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| Contact: | Tel: 020 7925 0199 |
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| | Email: <u>ahf@ahfund.org.uk</u> |
| Website: | www.ahfund.org.uk |

| Historic England - Repair Grants for | | Historic |
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| 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 | |
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| 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: |
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| 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 | |
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| | 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 | | |
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| 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 | | |
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| 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 | |
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| | 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 | |
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| 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 | |
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| | Email: funding@sportengland.org | |
| Website: | https://www.sportengland.org/funding-and-campaigns/our- | |
| | funding/movement-fund | |

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