



Funding Bulletin

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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

If you are looking for a funding

search engine to help you find funds which may be suitable for your project ideas, we

recommend [My Funding Central](#) 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.

My Funding Central

Helping charities and voluntary organisations identify funding opportunities

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Wellbeing Matters Community Asset Fund	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Fund will be awarding grants to help build VCSE organisations capacity to receive and support the health and wellbeing of social prescribing referrals from the Wellbeing Matters programme.</p> <p>The Wellbeing Matters programme is a social prescribing approach where Community Connectors link people to VCSE-led community activities, groups and services to improve their health and wellbeing. For more information about the Wellbeing Matters programme and Social Prescribing, please visit the links below:</p> <p>https://www.salfordcvs.co.uk/wellbeing-matters</p> <p>https://www.salfordcvs.co.uk/social-prescribing-what-it</p> <p>This fund aims to help build and develop the capacity of these local organisations and services, creating a diverse and resilient range of destinations for Community Connectors to link individuals to.</p> <p>The Wellbeing Matters Community Asset Fund is supported by Salford Integrated Care Partnership (ICP), as part of the Third Sector Fund.</p> <p>Fund Priorities</p> <p>Proposals for this round of funding are sought that address identified gaps in provision for Wellbeing Matters referrals. These are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Face-to-face befriending Proposals are welcomed from organisations that can befriend and support those who may feel lonely and isolated. This could be 1.2.1 and/or group peer support activity. Proposals supporting those of different age ranges are welcomed (18+). • Nutrition advice and support. Proposals are welcomed from VCSE organisations with appropriate experience / qualifications to be able to provide dietary advice and support (including cooking and cooking on a budget). • Physical activities and movement with a social focus for younger adults. Proposals for options for those aged 18-35 and/or in green spaces are welcomed.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities for refugee and asylum seekers. Proposals welcomed for creative and cultural activities, physical activity / movement and low level mental health and wellbeing activities. • Wider proposals – whilst the four identified gaps in provision (above) form the primary focus for this round of funding, other options for social prescribing destinations will be considered. All such proposals will need to outline the health and wellbeing benefits of provision. <p>Projects that serve these priorities will be prioritised at panel.</p>
Who can apply?	Full members of Salford CVS
Grant amount:	£2,500 - £10,000
Application process:	Download the application form from the website
Deadline:	12:00 on Friday 19th September 2025.
Contact:	<p>It is strongly recommended to discuss how or whether your ideas fit these priorities closely. Please contact the Wellbeing Matters team:</p> <p>Emma Eastwood, Wellbeing Matters Development Worker By email: emma.eastwood@salfordcvs.co.uk or call 07421 127 637</p> <p>Nosheela Rashid, Wellbeing Matters Development Worker By email: nosheela.rashid@salfordcvs.co.uk or call 07421 127 639</p> <p>or grants@salfordcvs.co.uk FAO Niamh Meehan</p>
Website:	https://www.salfordcvs.co.uk/wellbeing-matters-community-asset-fund-1

Family Cooking Fund	
Aims/priorities:	The Family Cooking Fund aims to support projects that enthuse, upskill and build the confidence of parents and carers of young children in cooking balanced, nutritious and low-cost meals from scratch. It also aims to increase access to lower cost ingredients and


	<p>cooking equipment to support the dietary intake of families on low incomes.</p> <p>This year, organisations will apply for 2 years of funding at once. This is to reflect feedback from previous projects that longer term funding would be useful to maintain relationships with families and support practically.</p> <p>The Family Cooking Fund is part of the Promoting Healthy Lifestyles in the Early Years – Integration Pilot, which is funded by NHS England and supported by Salford City Council and NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care.</p> <p>Projects must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with families with at least one child under 5 • Deliver over 2026 and 2027 (2025 if wishing to deliver over Winter) • Provide either <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ child and family inclusive sessions ○ a creche/children's activities to allow adults to take part alone • Gift a piece of equipment to families taking part
Who can apply?	Full members of Salford CVS
Grant amount:	Funds will be released over 2 years – up to £5,000 for Year 1 (November 2026), and up to £5,000 for Year 2 (November 2026) on receipt of an update report.
Application process:	Download the application form from the website
Deadline:	12:00 on Friday 5th September 2025.
Contact:	Email grants@salfordcvs.co.uk
Website:	https://www.salfordcvs.co.uk/family-cooking-fund-0

ARTS


<p>Arts Council England National Lottery Projects Grants</p>	
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Aims/priorities:	<p>This grants programme is intended to help the Arts Council deliver its 2020-2030 strategy, 'Let's Create' which is about making a difference to the creative and cultural lives of people and communities in England. It also provides a means to support a broad range of not-for-profit projects that create and sustain quality work and help people across England to engage with arts and culture.</p> <p>The programme supports development by allowing artists, cultural practitioners and organisations to work in new ways and to get their work out to new audiences.</p> <p>Priority is currently being given to the following types of time limited priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting Grassroots 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?	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.
Grant amount:	<p>Three levels of grants are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grants of up to and including £30,000 • Grants of between £30,001 and £100,000 • Grants of £100,001 and over
Application process:	There is an online application process
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Online contact form www.artscouncil.org.uk/contact
Website:	www.artscouncil.org.uk/ProjectGrants

<div> <div>Idlewild Trust</div> <div>Idlewild Trust</div> </div>	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Trust offers grants to registered charities working in the following two areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts Grants: Nurturing Early Stage Professionals – grants support training opportunities for emerging professionals, working creatively and backstage, within the performing and visual arts, post-training, and at an early stage in their career • Conservation Grants: Objects and Works of Art – grants support the conservation of cultural heritage of recognised national and international importance in museums, libraries, galleries, historic buildings, or landscapes accessible to the public
Who can apply?	<p>For Arts Grants eligible organisations should be arts sector UK registered charities with a proven track record for excellence in their field.</p> <p>For Conservation Grants organisations applying must be UK registered charities or national museums that are UK exempt charities. Applicants must own the object/work of art to be conserved. Applications from museums/libraries with charitable status where the object/work of art may still be owned by the local authority or university can be considered. Eligible applicants must provide a completed Conservation Report by an independent and accredited conservator or an in-house qualified conservator.</p>
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £7,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	5 September 2025, 12pm
Contact:	Email: info@idlewildtrust.org.uk
Website:	www.idlewildtrust.org.uk


Theatres Trust Small Grants Scheme		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The scheme aims to fund small capital improvements to theatres run by charities and not-for-profit groups that will make a big impact to a theatre's resilience, sustainability or accessibility, or to improving the diversity of audiences. Eligible projects include small capital works, the installation of key plant and machinery and works which make theatre buildings digital-ready. This scheme will prioritise improvements to buildings that protect theatre use and remove barriers to participation and attendance.</p>	
Who can apply?	<p>To be eligible, applicants must meet the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 regular theatre programme of professional, community and/or amateur work presenting 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. 	
Grant amount:	<p>Grants of up to £7,500 are available</p>	
Application process:	<p>There is an online application form</p>	
Deadline:	<p>16 January 2026, 5pm</p>	
Contact:	<p>Email: info@theatrestrust.org.uk</p>	
Website:	<p>www.theatrestrust.org.uk/smallgrants</p>	

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Ironmongers' Company		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Ironmongers' Company foundation makes grants for projects that provide opportunities for disadvantaged children and young people to fulfil their potential. To be eligible, your project must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be for children and young people under the age of 25 who are disadvantaged • Consist of educational activities that develop learning, motivation and skills • Have clear aims and objectives to be met within a planned timescale • Take place within the UK <p>Projects where a grant from the Ironmongers' Company will make a big difference (i.e. those with low overall project costs and/or from organisations with a low annual income) will be prioritised.</p>	
Who can apply?	UK registered charities	
Grant amount:	Grants can be for up to £10,000, although the average grant is around £4,000	
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website	
Deadline:	15 December 2025	
Contact:	Tel: 020 7776 2304 Email: events@ironmongers.org	
Website:	www.ironmongers.org/helping-charitable-organisations	


Peter Kershaw Memorial Bursary		<p>peterkershawtrust</p>
Aims/priorities:	<p>The memorial bursary is an annual award made by the Trustees in memory of the Trust's benefactor. The bursary is intended to fund the costs of a youth leader, though other forms of youth work will be considered.</p>	

Who can apply?	Registered charities operating in Greater Manchester can apply. The trustees favour applications from charities whose income is less than £1,000,000.
Grant amount:	The bursary will be awarded on the basis of up to £30,000 for year 1, £20,000 for year 2 and £15,000 for year 3.
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website
Deadline:	31 October 2025
Contact:	Email: grants@peterkershawtrust.org
Website:	https://peterkershawtrust.org/memorial-bursary


Youth Music Trailblazer Fund 	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available to constituted UK based organisations to run projects in England for children and young people (aged 25 or under) to make music activity more inclusive and foster learning, creation and employment opportunities. The funding aims to support young people who want to change their lives through music but cannot because of who they are, where they are from or what they are going through. The grants are for organisations who want to trial work for the first time, test a new way of working, or disrupt the status quo.
Who can apply?	Constituted UK based organisations can apply
Grant amount:	<p>Two levels of grants are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grants of £2,000 to £15,000 are available to organisations of less than one year old • Grants of £2,000 to £30,000 are available to organisations of more than one year old <p>Projects should last between 6 and 24 months.</p>
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Funding Round 10 (for projects starting between January and March 2026) – deadline 29 August 2025, 5pm

	Funding Round 11 (for projects starting between April and June 2026) – deadline 21 November 2025, 5pm
Contact:	Tel: 020 7902 1060 Email: comms@youthmusic.org.uk
Website:	https://youthmusic.org.uk/trailblazer-fund


DIGITAL

Clarion Futures Digital Grants 	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The funding is for organisations seeking to deliver innovative, well-designed projects that support Clarion residents and the wider community to address digital exclusion.</p> <p>The funding is for projects and activities that focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting Clarion residents to discover the full scope of how the internet can assist them in their everyday lives, and provide them with the skills and confidence to do so. • Supporting residents to access the digital resources that meet their individual needs and circumstances • Building digital skills and confidence for all • Encouraging residents to use the internet with confidence so they are safe and avoid risky and/or illegal behaviour <p>And that reach:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Residents who have never used the internet before • Residents who may have previously used some online facilities but who may not be aware of the full potential to use the internet in their everyday lives • Residents with limited internet skills • Residents who do not have access to appropriate digital resource • Residents of all ages

Who can apply?	Not-for-profit organisations including constituted community groups, registered charities, social enterprises and Community Interest Companies (CICs) can apply.
Grant amount:	Grants of between £1,000 and £5,000 are available
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Round 20 opens on 27 August and closes on 1 October at 12pm for decisions the week of 24 November 2025
Contact:	Email: grants@clarionhq.com
Website:	www.myclarionhousing.com/my-community/community-life/community-and-digital-grants

Clothworkers' Foundation  THE CLOTHWORKERS' COMPANY	
Aims/priorities:	<p>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:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Substance misuse and addiction • Disabilities (including: mental health and visual impairment) • Communities experiencing racial inequalities • Young people facing disadvantage • Domestic and sexual abuse • Older people facing disadvantage • Homelessness • Prison and rehabilitation • LGBT+ communities • Economic disadvantage <p>Funding is available for capital costs – meaning tangible items or work, which includes digital/audio visual equipment, software and websites.</p>
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:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Online contact form: www.clothworkersfoundation.org.uk/contact-us/
Website:	www.clothworkersfoundation.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/

Worshipful Company of Information Technologists Charity		
Aims/priorities:	Funding of IT-related projects and provision of pro-bono IT consultancy which help achieve the WCIT Charity's priorities.	
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from UK registered charities, educational establishments, and other organisations with a formal not-for-profit constitution, such as a community interest company; CICs limited by shares may also apply.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	18 August 2025	
Contact:	Tel: 020 7600 1992 Email: info@wcit.org.uk	
Website:	https://wcitcharity.org.uk/	


ENVIRONMENT

National Lottery Awards for All England – Environment	
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Aims/priorities:	<p>The climate and nature emergency affects us all, but local action can make a real difference. The National Lottery fund community-led projects that improve the environment and help people connect with and enjoy nature where they live.</p> <p>You can use the funding to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Start a new activity or continue an existing one • Help your organisation adapt to new challenges • Run one-off events that have a clear environmental benefit <p>The National Lottery are looking to fund projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help people connect with and care for nature in their area • Make a positive difference to the environment
Who can apply?	Voluntary, statutory or community organisations
Grant amount:	£300 to £20,000 for up to two years
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	17 December 2025
Contact:	Email: general.enquiries@tnlcommunityfund.org.uk
Website:	www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england-environment#section-4

<div> <div> HDH Wills Charitable Trust </div> <div>  </div> </div>	
Aims/priorities:	<p>Grants are available to support registered charities that are concerned with the preservation of wildlife and the environment. The Trust has three funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Grants: supports smaller charities with general charitable activities across a range of issues as well as charities focusing on the conservation of wildlife and the environment. <p>Martin Wills Wildlife Maintenance Trust grants: supports the conservation and maintenance – for the benefit of the public – of the natural environment and its indigenous woodland flora and fauna with particular reference to the conservation and maintenance of the character and amenity of rural areas.</p>


Who can apply?	Registered charities
Grant amount:	<p>Small grants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £500-£2,000 to general charities, which are small enough in size or are applying for support for a modest project such that the charity will benefit substantially from a donation. • £1,000-£2,000 (though occasionally up to £5,000) to wildlife and conservation charities
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 01608 678 051 Email: suetrafford@hdhwills.org
Website:	https://hdhwills.org/

<div> <div> Veolia Environmental Trust </div> <div>  </div> </div>	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Trust currently offers three grant schemes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Grants are for constituted, not-for-profit organisations and local authorities to create or improve community buildings or outside spaces for the benefit of the community. • Environmental Improvement Grants are for Environmental Bodies that are enrolled with ENTRUST, the regulator of The Landfill Communities Fund, and are a registered charity. Grants are available to enable landscape scale improvement projects such as habitat creation/management, and/or species protection. • Habitat and Biodiversity Grants are for constituted, not-for-profit organisations that are enrolled with ENTRUST to support structural improvements to a single habitat, such as a waterway, woodland, or nature reserve. <p>The funder is looking for projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protect and enhance biodiversity and natural habitats • Inspire the creation of a sustainable carbon neutral space. • Promote community action and wellbeing.

	Are inclusive and accessible to everyone and anyone to use.
Who can apply?	<p>Community grant applications will be accepted from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constituted not-for-profit organisations with governing documents that state members or directors receive no financial benefit, have a minimum of two directors, and have been established for a minimum of two years • Local authorities <p>Applicants must use the Postcode Checker to check that their project is located within the proximity of a qualifying Veolia site.</p> <p>Habitat and Biodiversity Grant applications will be accepted from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constituted not-for-profit organisations with governing documents with at least two unrelated trustees that has been established for a minimum of two years • Environmental bodies already enrolled with ENTRUST <p>To be eligible for an Environmental Improvement Grant, organisations must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be already enrolled with ENTRUST as an Environmental Body, and a registered charity • Have experience of delivering projects funded through the Landfill Communities Fund • Have a track record proven expertise in delivering similar successful environmental improvement projects • Have a project located in England that meets ENTRUST requirements
Grant amount:	<p>Three different grants are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community grants of between £10,000 and £75,000 for • Habitat and Biodiversity Grants of between £10,000 and £75,000 for • Environmental Improvement Grants start at £75,000. There is no upper limit
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications will be accepted 21 August 2025 to 2 October 2025, 12pm with a decision by 2 December 2025

Contact:	Tel: 0203 567 6820 Email: UK.Trust@veolia.com
Website:	www.veoliatrust.org/funding/

FAITH


Benefact Trust – Community Impact Grants		 BENEFACT TRUST
Aims/priorities:	<p>Benefact Trust's Community Impact Grants Programme supports projects that will make a positive and transformative impact on lives and communities. This programme empowers Christian organisations across the UK and Ireland, who are doing incredible work tackling major issues in society. At the same time, the Community Impact Grants help churches to grow their congregations and promote the Christian faith. The programme supports direct capital and/or revenue costs, and funding is available under the following programme areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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, and schools and educational institutions with a clear Christian ethos.	
Grant amount:	When completing your application, you will be asked to present the total costs of your project and details of the match funding you have secured, rather than requesting a specific grant amount.	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	Applications are accepted on a rolling basis	
Contact:	Tel: 01452 873 189 Email: info@benefacttrust.co.uk	
Website:	www.benefacttrust.co.uk/grants/community-impact-grants/	

Listed Places of Worship Grant Scheme		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Listed Places of Worship Grant Scheme makes grants towards the VAT incurred in maintenance and repairs to listed buildings that are primarily used for public worship, or which are listed places of worship owned by, or under the authority of, a number of specified organisations that look after redundant places of worship. The scheme applies to listed places of worship of all religions and faith groups throughout the UK.</p>	
Who can apply?	<p>The scheme applies to listed buildings that are mainly used as a place of public worship. To be eligible, the place of worship must be listed with the relevant statutory listing agency (Historic England, CADW, Historic Scotland or Northern Ireland Environment Agency). The listing must be in force when the works are undertaken.</p>	
Grant amount:	<p>The minimum value of invoices (excluding VAT) for any one claim to the scheme is £1,000. An application may comprise a number of smaller invoices, but each claim must apply to works that are eligible under the scheme and together generate combined invoice values of no less than £1,000 excluding VAT. In addition, to allow places of worship undertaking smaller works to benefit from the scheme, each listed place of worship will also be allowed to submit one claim with a value of between £500 and £1,000 (excluding the VAT paid) in any 12 month period.</p>	
Application process:	<p>An application form is available to download from the website</p>	
Deadline:	<p>Applications can be made at any time until 31 March 2026.</p>	
Contact:	<p>Tel: 0800 500 3009</p>	
Website:	<p>https://listed-places-of-worship-grant.dcms.gov.uk/</p>	


Westhill Endowment Trust	
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Aims/priorities:	Grants and other resources are available to support formal and informal religious education projects and faith-motivated activities that enable people to transform their lives and the life of their communities in the UK.
Who can apply?	Not for profit organisations, churches and cathedrals, hospitals and hospices, and higher and further education institutions both in the UK and overseas are eligible to apply.
Grant amount:	Grants are usually made between the values of £500 and £20,000. Larger grants may be considered for projects running over two years.
Application process:	Applicants should email the Trust with a 100-word summary about their project. Those with eligible proposals will then be sent an application form to complete and be advised of the next submission deadlines.
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0121 472 8000 Email: info@westhillendowment.org
Website:	www.westhillendowment.org/funding


GENERAL

B&Q Foundation Grants 	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The funding is intended for registered charities working with people in need (by reason of financial hardship, sickness, disability, other disadvantage or distress) in the UK and who need funding for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Projects that provide, maintain, repair or improve housing or community space • Supporting people experiencing poor housing or homelessness
Who can apply?	UK registered charities based and working in the UK can apply.
Grant amount:	There are two levels of grants:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to £5,000 for garden projects • Up to £10,000 for building or indoor projects
Application process:	<p>There is an online application process.</p> <p>Please note groups will need to create a profile on the Neighbourly platform as part of the B&Q Foundation application process. The profile can also be used to access other types of support on the Neighbourly platform.</p>
Deadline:	20 October - 7 November 2025, 6pm
Contact:	Email: bandq@neighbourly.com
Website:	https://bqfoundation.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/

The Eric Wright Charitable Trust Community Grants		 ERIC WRIGHT CHARITABLE TRUST
Aims/priorities:	<p>Community Grants are aimed at assisting and supporting the development of smaller local charitable organisations which deliver services directly to beneficiaries. While there is no minimum or maximum size requirement for the organisation, it is likely to have an income/expenditure of between £100,000-£500,000 per annum and have been in operation for at least 3 years. The Trust's main areas of interest are the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young Person's Wellbeing • Elderly Services • Education and Training • Health • Carer's Support • Mental Health • Child / Family Support 	
Who can apply?	Registered Charities based in and operating in the North West.	
Grant amount:	Grants of between £5,000 - £20,000 are available	
Application process:	Contact the Trust for an application form	
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time	
Contact:	Tel: 01772 698 822 Email: info@ericwright.co.uk	

Website:	www.ericwright.co.uk/charitable-trust/community-grants/
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Movement for Good Awards 	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Movement for Good Awards is an annual programme of giving that anyone can get involved in, with over £1 million being donated to charities and good causes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nominations are accepted between 1 January to 16 December 2025 • During this time anyone can nominate their favourite charity or charities for an award of £1,000 – it's one nomination per charity, per person • You can nominate a registered charity, not-for-profit organisation or community interest company in the UK, Republic of Ireland, Channel Islands or Isle of Man • There are six £1,000 draws in 2025, so the earlier you nominate, the more chances your charity has of being drawn • Once you've nominated, your charity will be included in all the remaining £1,000 draws in 2025 • The more nominations a charity gets, the better their chances of being drawn
Who can apply?	Registered charities, not-for-profit organisations or community interest companies in the UK, Republic of Ireland, Channel Islands or Isle of Man
Grant amount:	£1,000 or £5,000 for the special draws
Application process:	There is an online application process
Deadline:	<p>Fifth draw takes place on 22 September</p> <p>Sixth draw takes place over 12 weekdays commencing on 1 December and ending on 16 December 2025</p>
Contact:	Email: info@movementforgood.com
Website:	https://movementforgood.com/

HEALTH & WELLBEING

CRH Charitable Trust

Aims/priorities:	The Trust provides a small number of grants each year to support children, young people and adults in north west England who are experiencing a range of mental illnesses and mental disabilities. This can include mental, emotional, behavioural or social difficulties, mental health problems, learning and physical difficulties, homelessness and poverty.
Who can apply?	Charities or not-for-profit organisations working in north west England can apply.
Grant amount:	There is no specific maximum or minimum grant. Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees. Most grants range from £5,000 to £15,000 per annum.
Application process:	Contact the Trust to apply
Deadline:	The Trustees meet normally four times a year and grant applications are considered at the next available meeting.
Contact:	Tel: 01204 414 317 Email: crhcharitabletrust@gmail.com
Website:	The Trust doesn't maintain a website

Inman Charity


Aims/priorities:	<p>Grants are available for UK registered charities carrying out medical, social welfare or general welfare activities within the UK. The funding is for projects with a social welfare focus and those working with disadvantaged people. The directors are particularly interested in supporting the following areas of charitable work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical research • Care of the elderly • General welfare • Hospices • The Deaf and Blind
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Care of the physically and mentally disabled • The Armed Forces
Who can apply?	Registered charities
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £5,000 are available
Application process:	<p>Application is by letter providing the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The registered Charity Number, the aims and objectives of the Charity, and any other relevant factors • Details of the total amount required • Contributions received to date • Proposed timing to complete the work • A copy of the latest annual report • A set of the most recent audited accounts <p>All applications should be sent in writing to: The Inman Charity, BM Box 2831, London, WC1N 3XX</p>
Deadline:	29 August 2025
Contact:	Post: The Inman Charity, BM Box 2831, London, WC1N 3XX
Website:	www.inmancharity.org

<p>London Hearts – Defibrillator Funding</p>		
Aims/priorities:	<p>London Hearts are here to help you with funding for a defibrillator to help support your community and local area. London Hearts aim to ease the cost of defibrillators through fundraising to as many communities in the UK as possible. London Hearts are a defibrillator charity that can help you with starting your defibrillator project and will help supply medical devices that can save those who may experience a cardiac arrest. London Hearts will aid your fundraising efforts and reduce the cost of a defibrillator. London Hearts can help to</p>	

	boost your efforts and bring this essential and lifesaving equipment to the heart of your community quicker.
Who can apply?	Communities across the UK
Grant amount:	A defibrillator
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Online contact form https://londonhearts.org/contactus/
Website:	https://londonhearts.org/apply-for-a-defib/


HERITAGE

AHF Transforming Places Through Heritage Programme – Project Viability Grants		
Aims/priorities:	Grants are to support the development of projects that have the potential to bring new life to high streets by creating alternative uses for redundant or underused historic buildings in town centres. Funding can be used for individual heritage buildings in, or transferring to, community ownership or that of charitable/social enterprise organisations. Projects must be located in England, in places that are or have the potential to be a hub for their community, providing services to a wide catchment population.	
Who can apply?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unincorporated organisations • Charitable incorporated organisations (CIOs) • Charitable companies limited by guarantee • Charitable community benefit societies • Community benefit societies • Not-for-private-profit companies limited by guarantee • Community interest companies (CICs) limited by guarantee • Co-operatives • Parish and town councils 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000 are available	

Application process:	Applicants are advised to initially complete the enquiry form on the AHF website to establish eligibility, then complete an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 020 7925 0199 Email: ahf@ahfund.org.uk
Website:	https://ahfund.org.uk/grants/england/


Historic England – Regional Capacity Building Programme 	
Aims/priorities:	Historic England offers funding support to third sector organisations in England that are working to promote the sustainable management and development of the historic environment. The funding is for projects that have a regional or local focus within England.
Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from third sector organisations that aim to maintain, manage and develop the historic environment whether regionally or locally in England.
Grant amount:	No minimum or maximum grant levels are specified.
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0370 333 0607 Email: customers@HistoricEngland.org.uk
Website:	https://historicengland.org.uk/services-skills/grants/our-grant-schemes/regional-capacity-grants/

OLDER PEOPLE

Barchester Healthcare Foundation 	
Aims/priorities:	The Foundation aims to make a difference to the lives of older people and other adults with a physical, learning or mental

	disability; supporting practical solutions that lead to increased personal independence, self-sufficiency and dignity. The focus is on connecting or re-connecting people with others in their local community. Applications that combat loneliness and enable people to be active and engaged will receive highest priority.
Who can apply?	Small local groups and small local charities
Grant amount:	Grants range from £100 to £5,000
Application process:	Application forms are available to complete online or to download from the website
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0800 328 3328 Email: info@bhcfoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.bhcfoundation.org.uk/group-application/eligibility


The Francis Winham Foundation	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for registered charitable organisations in England whose work benefits older people in England. The Charity makes grants to a wide variety of charities and institutions to assist 'old and aged' people in England to achieve a better quality of life.
Who can apply?	Registered charities
Grant amount:	Most grants tend to be in the £5,000 and £10,000 range, though grants for larger amounts are also awarded.
Application process:	Contact the Francis Winham Foundation for further information on how to apply: Enquiries, Francis Winham Foundation, Flat 4, 2 Dovehouse Street, London, SW3 6BF Tel: 0207 795 1261 Email: francinetrust@outlook.com
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0207 795 1261 Email: francinetrust@outlook.com
Website:	The Francis Winham Foundation doesn't maintain a website

Home Instead Charities		 Home Instead Charities
Aims/priorities:	<p>The aim of the grants scheme is to support small local community groups that are addressing social isolation and loneliness in the over 55s. Funding can be used for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular weekly or monthly events and activities such as weekly cinema club, weekly knit and natter or Thursday lunch club • One off activities such as a day trip or a Christmas lunch • Activities such as yoga or a guest speaker for your group such as a local historian 	
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from small community groups and charities in the UK	
Grant amount:	<p>Small grass roots organisations can apply for up to £500. Small local registered charities can apply for up to £1,500. Larger grants can be considered for exceptional projects. The charity will only fully fund a grant request where the organisation holds no more than three months operating costs in reserve. For organisations that have more than this, up to 50% of the project costs will be funded.</p>	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	Open for applications for funding 4 times per year: January; April; July and October.	
Contact:	Tel: 01925 730 273 Email: charities@homeinstead.co.uk	
Website:	www.homeinstead.co.uk/charities/apply-for-a-grant/	


SPORT & RECREATION

Central Social and Recreational Trust	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for sports clubs and organisations in England to provide or assist in the provision of facilities for

	recreation or other leisure time occupation for the benefit of disadvantaged children who are under the age of 21 years.
Who can apply?	Sports clubs and organisations that are affiliated to their governing body, i.e. Amateur Boxing Association of England, National Association of Clubs for Young People, Football Association, are eligible to apply.
Grant amount:	Grants will generally be no more than £1,000 although the Trustees will consider applications above this figure in exceptional circumstances
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Email: beverleygold@btinternet.com
Website:	www.csrt.info/how-to-apply/

Parkinson's UK Physical activity grants for marginalised communities 	
Aims/priorities:	<p>Parkinson's UK new pilot grants programme is aiming to help more marginalised communities to deliver physical activity sessions for people living with Parkinson's.</p> <p>Marginalised communities in the UK can apply for up to £3,000 in funding as part of this new grants pilot. The grants will help more people with Parkinson's from marginalised communities to get active and to engage in local physical activity classes.</p> <p>Parkinson's UK are looking for any innovative new projects that will help marginalised Parkinson's communities who are not currently accessing physical activity opportunities and local authorities with the highest levels of deprivation indicated by the Index of Multiple Deprivation in the UK (2019).</p> <p>Funding can be offered for exercise class provision, consultation with the Parkinson's community and towards engagement events. Applicants can apply for up to 60% of their funding to contribute to physical activity sessions and 40% towards community engagement.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marginalised communities • Ethnic minority groups • Anyone with physical or learning disabilities • Low affluence areas and low socio-economic groups • Anyone from the LGBTQIA+ community • Refugee, asylum-seeking and migrant communities • Anyone who identifies as a woman
Who can apply?	To apply for a grant, you either need to work with or be a part of one of the marginalised communities and community groups listed. Or you work with the Parkinson's community in any of the locations listed.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £3,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	10 August 2025
Contact:	Email: physicalactivity@parkinsons.org.uk
Website:	www.parkinsons.org.uk/information-and-support/physical-activity-grants-marginalised-communities

Sport England – The Movement Fund 	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Movement Fund provides crowdfunding pledges, grants and support to help projects that get more people active. The Movement Fund supports projects that promote physical activity, including active travel, walking, cycling, dance, fitness, and sporting activities. Projects providing opportunities for groups facing barriers to activity are of particular interest, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People living on low incomes • Disabled people or those with long-term health conditions • Older people • People from culturally diverse communities • Pregnant women and parents with very young children • Girls aged 5-16

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LGBTQ+ people • People who are in foster care • People who provide care without pay <p>The fund is also particularly interested in projects that address the challenges faced by individuals with combined characteristics, such as people with long-term health conditions alongside caring responsibilities.</p>
Who can apply?	Not for profit organisations
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £15,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0345 8508 508 Email: funding@sportengland.org
Website:	https://www.sportengland.org/funding-and-campaigns/our-funds/apply-funding#apply-for-funding-32592

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