**Funding Bulletin**

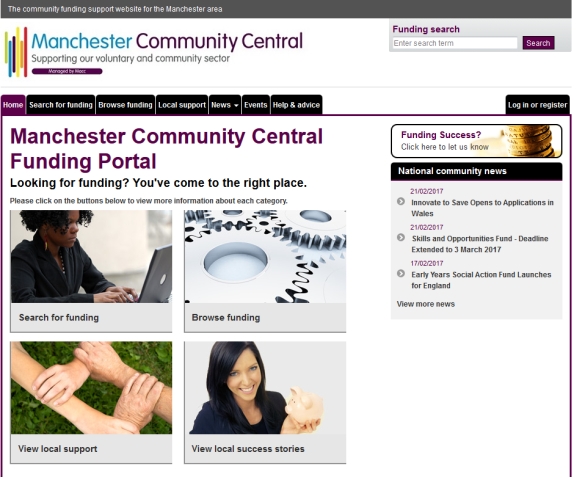
**November 2017**

**Information for the bulletin is compiled from a number of sources including Grantfinder, GMCVO (Greater Manchester Council for Voluntary Organisations) 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!**

**Find the funding that you need**  
Our funding search engine is a straight forward FREE service using information from IDOX Information Solutions that can help voluntary, community, social enterprise sector organisations like yours to find suitable funding.

By becoming a member of Macc you will gain access to our free funding portal of funding opportunities. Please note: To be eligible to access our funding portal you must be a voluntary, community, social enterprise sector (VCSE) organisations working in the City of Manchester with at least 50% of your beneficiaries in the City of Manchester. VCSE organisations working outside of the City of Manchester, consultants, sole traders, statutory bodies, private businesses and infrastructure organisations who become members of Macc aren’t eligible to access our funding portal.

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**LOCAL**

**Adactus Housing Group – Breathe Investment Grants**

**Aims/priorities:** Breathe Investment Grants (BIG) are available to support small scale community projects that will improve the quality of life for Adactus Housing Group residents and make a real difference to the neighbourhoods where Adactus operate.

Successful applicants will be able to demonstrate that their project supports one or more of the following priorities:

* Healthy living
* Environmental improvements
* Young people and children
* Older people
* Sustainability
* Employment and training
* Bring the community together
* Community safety

**Who can apply?** You can apply to BIG if you are a community/residents group, voluntary group, social enterprise, registered charity, individual, school, statutory organisation or parish/town council.

**Grant amount:** You are only permitted to submit one application per grant year, to a maximum value of £2,000

**Application process:** Application form available on the website

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 0300 111 1133 Email: [big@adactushousing.co.uk](mailto:big@adactushousing.co.uk)

**Website:** [www.adactushousing.co.uk/Information/838](http://www.adactushousing.co.uk/Information/838)

**Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** 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?** Organisations must be a registered charity and operate in Merseyside, Greater Manchester or Lancashire and have a bank account in the organisation's name.

**Grant amount:** The maximum amount of grant to be awarded for each individual application is limited to £5,000

**Application process:** Application form which can be downloaded from their website and returned to Greater Manchester Lieutenancy Clerk, Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted anytime

**Contact information:** Greater Manchester Lieutenancy Clerk, Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund Gaddum House, 6 Great Jackson Street, Manchester, M15 4AX Tel: 0161 834 0490

Email: [secretary@gmlo.org](mailto:secretary@gmlo.org)

**Website address:** <http://manchesterlieutenancy.org/lancaster>

**FM Awards – Cash 4 Graft**

**Aims/priorities:** Cash 4 Graft rewards resident involvement and volunteering time with between £50 and £250 to help get community ideas off the ground. The awards are matched with the passion and effort of residents and their neighbours who work together to create and develop projects and are available in various areas of Greater Manchester.

**Who can apply:** Forever Manchester support smaller organisations with a track record of attracting funding or a turnover under £150,000 per annum

**Grant amount:** Awards between £50 and £250 are available

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Application process:** Application form available on Forever Manchester website

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 214 0940 Email:[awards@forevermanchester.com](mailto:awards@forevermanchester.com)

**Website address:** <http://forevermanchester.com/funding/>

Ford**Ford Britain Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** Ford Britain Trust is committed to supporting the communities they work and live in. That’s why they have created the Ford Britain Trust in April 1975 to help fund the education and advancement of their neighbours. Ford Britain Trust pay special attention to projects focusing on education, environment, children, the disabled, youth activities and projects that provide clear benefits to the local communities close to their UK locations, which includes Manchester. The Ford Britain Trust particularly encourages applications from Ford employees, but is open to all, provided that the qualifying organisations meet their selection criteria. Grant applications supporting the following activities will be considered:

* Work that has clear benefits to the local community/environment
* Work with young people/children
* Education/schools (mainstream)
* Special education needs
* People with disabilities

**Who can apply?** Registered charities; Schools/PTAs (Non-fee paying, state sector schools only; Independent/private, fee paying, schools will not be considered); Non-profit organisations (including small clubs and societies)

**Grant amount:** Large grants for amounts over £250 and usually up to a maximum of £3,000

**Application process:** Application form which can be downloaded from their website

**Deadline:** Large grant applications can be submitted from: 1 September to 31 January 2017

**Contact information:** Email: [fbtrust@ford.com](mailto:fbtrust@ford.com)

**Website address:** [www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/AboutFord/CorporateSocialResponsibility/FordBritainTrust/Overview](http://www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/AboutFord/CorporateSocialResponsibility/FordBritainTrust/Overview)

**Fourteen £1k Awards**

**Aims/priorities:** Fourteen is a £3.5m national programme funded by Spirit of 2012, a charity set up by the Big Lottery Fund to connect events to communities across the country; supporting opportunities in sport, physical activity, culture and the arts, volunteering and social action. Forever Manchester is the local partner responsible for managing the money and Harpurhey and Moston is the beneficiary area for the funding. The programme will seek to increase participation in the community through social action and volunteering. Fourteen also seeks to increase inclusion, particularly for young people and people with disabilities.

**Grant amount:** Grants of up to £1,000 are available

**Application process:** Application form available on Forever Manchester website

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 214 0940 Email:[awards@forevermanchester.com](mailto:awards@forevermanchester.com)

**Website address:** <http://forevermanchester.com/funding/>

**Hate Crime Awareness grants**

**Aims/priorities:** Manchester Community Safety Partnership has funding available to tackle hate crime. This funding has been running for several years and paid for some fantastic events and projects. This is the first year that Macc will be involved in the administration of the programme. Hate crime is heavily under-reported. More work needs to be done to highlight where and how reports can be made, to support victims to feel more confident to report hate crime incidents and to challenge hate crime in our communities. The aim of the funding is: to raise awareness of what hate crime is; to increase reporting; and to celebrate diversity in your communities.

A hate crime is an act of violence or hostility based on who you are or what someone thinks you are. The application form will ask for information about which areas of hate crime your event is focused on and how it will make an impact in this area of hate crime. There are six recognised area of hate crimes, which are listed below.

* Disability
* Race
* Religion or belief
* Sexual orientation
* Trans
* Alternative subculture

**Who can apply?** The funding programme is open to groups and organisations which meet all of the following criteria:

* The group or organisation is based in and of benefit to people living in the City of Manchester
* The group or organisation has a bank account in the name of your group/ organisation
* The event/ project is to be held in the city of Manchester
* The group agrees to complete and return the Grant Monitoring Form
* If your event is working with children or vulnerable adults, you will also be asked to provide your safeguarding policy

**Grant amount:** There is up to £400 available to apply for per organisation or group

**Application process:** Applications can be downloaded from the website and should be emailed to: [hcaw@manchester.gov.uk](mailto:hcaw@manchester.gov.uk) or posted to Community Safety Team (HCAW), PO Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester, M60 2LA

**Deadline:** Friday 24 November 2017, 12:00. Successful applicants will be notified by 18 December 2018

**Contact information:** Anna Tate at Macc Tel: 0161 834 9823 Email: [anna@macc.org.uk](mailto:anna@macc.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.manchestercommunitycentral.org/hate-crime-awareness-grants](https://www.manchestercommunitycentral.org/hate-crime-awareness-grants)

**John Grant Davies Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** The charitable purposes of the Trust are:

* Relief of poverty
* Advancement of education (especially amongst children and young people)
* It expends its funds in the hardest pressed areas of Greater Manchester
* It will favour applications from small scale organisations and/or projects
* It will favour applications which show a creative response to a problem in their community and which can be seen as signs of hope
* It will favour projects which show how the money can be retained in the community and which encourages local employment
* It will consider helping Christian and other faith groups who seek to make their faith socially relevant in inner city areas

**Who can apply:** The John Grant Davies Trust provides funding for groups based in areas of urban deprivation within Greater Manchester which are empowering local people

**Grant Amount:** Minimum £100, Maximum £3,000

**Application process:** Contact the John Grant Davies Trust for further information.

**Deadline:** 15 December 2017

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 292 3691 Email: [johngrantdaviestrust@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:johngrantdaviestrust@tiscali.co.uk) Post: Kate Sparkes**,** John Grant Davies Trust, 32 Wellfield Road, Offerton, Stockport SK2 6AT

**Manchester Airport Community Trust Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** The Manchester Airport Community Trust Fund is a registered charity and was established to promote, enhance, improve and protect both the natural and built environment in our local community. To be successful a group must:

* + Carry out positive work in the community and be of charitable nature and be ‘Not for Profit’ status
  + Be community, socially or environmentally focused
  + Based within the area of benefit

**Who can apply?** Community groups and charities that are approximately within a 10-mile radius of the Airport, concentrating on the areas most exposed to aircraft noise

**Grant amount:** Up to £3,000

**Application process:** Online application form

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 489 5281

**Website address:** [www.manchesterairport.co.uk/community/working-in-our-community/community-trust-fund/](http://www.manchesterairport.co.uk/community/working-in-our-community/community-trust-fund/)

## Manchester Guardian Society**Manchester Guardian Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** The Trustees are particularly interested in the following:

* Organisations for young people e.g. scouts, guides, youth organisations
* Provision for the sick and disabled
* Assistance for groups providing for the elderly and disadvantaged members of society
* Support for educational initiatives by arts organisations particularly for children and young people
* Community associations
* Organisations providing services for people in Greater Manchester. (The funding awarded must be used specifically to help people in Greater Manchester)

## **Who can apply:** Grants are available for groups and smaller charities in the Greater Manchester who find it difficult to attract funding.

**Grant amount:** Most grants awarded are between £250 and £2,000.

**Application process:** Applications must be made by post on the Manchester Guardian Society's own application form and 13 copies in total should be supplied.

**Deadline:** Applications may be made at any time and decided on a quarterly basis.

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 934 6190 Email: [joe.swift@addleshawgoddard.com](mailto:joe.swift@addleshawgoddard.com) Post: Joe Swift, Manchester Guardian Society Charitable Trust, Addleshaw, Goddard LLP, 100 Barbirolli Square, Manchester, M2 3AB

**Website address:** [www.manchesterguardiansociety.org.uk](http://www.manchesterguardiansociety.org.uk)

**Near Neighbours Small Grants**

**Aims/priorities:** Near Neighbours has two key

objectives:

* Social interaction – to develop positive relationships in multi-faith and multi-ethnic areas, i.e. to help people from different faiths and ethnicities get to know and understand each other better
* Social action – to encourage people of different faiths and of no faith and of different ethnicities to come together for initiatives that improve their local neighbourhood.

**Who can apply:** Grants are available for local groups and organisations who are working to bring together neighbours, to develop relationships across diverse faiths and ethnicities in order to improve their communities in Greater Manchester.

**Grant Amount:** Grants are available up to amaximum £5,000

**Application process:** An application form can be found on the website

**Deadline:** 17 November 2017

**Contact information:** Tel: 0161 828 1409 Email: [lily@greatertogethermanchester.org](mailto:lily@greatertogethermanchester.org) Post: Lily Axworthy**,** Church Urban Fund, Greater Together Manchester, Church House, 90 Deansgate, Manchester, M3 2GH

**Website address:** [www.cuf.org.uk/near-neighbours-small-grants](http://www.cuf.org.uk/near-neighbours-small-grants)

**Neighbourhood Investment Funds**

**Aims/priorities:** These are funds available to communities to make their neighbourhoods better places to live. £20,000 of neighbourhood investment funding is available to every area (ward) in Manchester each year – to help groups carry out events and activities that benefit people in their local neighbourhood.

**Who can apply?** The fund is open to established groups, voluntary groups and other community groups, as well as groups of residents working together for the first time. School Parent Teacher Associations can also apply if they have the support of local residents and parents and the project benefits the wider community as well as the school.

**Grant amount:** Applications should not exceed £10,000

**Application process:** Online application form

**Deadline:** Ongoing, apply at any time

**Contact information:** Discuss your ideas with your Neighbourhood officer before applying – contact details can be found here: <https://secure.manchester.gov.uk/site/scripts/home_info.php?homepageID=777>

**Website address:**

[www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100003/people\_and\_communities/202/neighbourhood\_investment\_funds](http://www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100003/people_and_communities/202/neighbourhood_investment_funds)

**NOMA Community Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** Applicants should be working with young people between 11 and 25 years old. Activity needs to be taking place and supporting those who live within the boundary of the M60.

**Who can apply?** The NOMA Fund welcomes applications from grassroots community groups working with children and young people within a five mile radius of the NOMA headquarters. Annual income of groups applying to the Fund should be less than £100,000.

**Grant amount:** Up to £1,000

**Application Process:** Application form and guidance available on Forever Manchester website

**Deadline:** none specified

**Contact Information:** Tel: 0161 214 0940 Email:[awards@forevermanchester.com](mailto:awards@forevermanchester.com)

**Website address:** <http://forevermanchester.com/noma-community-fund/>

**Young Manchester Youth and Play Fund 2018-2020**

**Aims/priorities:** The purpose of this fund is Youth and Play, delivered by neighbourhood and city wide voluntary and community sector (VCS) partners to ensure children and young people aged 5-19 (up to 25 for care leavers and those with additional needs) have sufficient good quality access to Youth and Play services in their local areas and where the needs are greatest.

**Who can apply?** The fund is open to voluntary and community sector organisations based in Manchester or delivering services to children and young people that live in Manchester. This means not-for-profit, non-governmental, community-based organisations that are value-driven and that reinvest surpluses to further social, environmental or cultural objectives for the community.

Organisations must also:

* Be constituted
* Have a set of objectives that allows them to undertake the activities they are proposing
* Be value driven
* Be non-party political
* Provide services or activities that are not religious in nature and do not promote religious affiliation
* Have at least three trustees or directors (who are not related to each other and are not paid shareholders)
* Have a bank account in the organisation’s name

**Grant amount:** The Fund – Pot 1. Universal Youth and Play with Social Action as a key driver in service delivery.

* Small grants up to £150k over 2 years
* Medium grants up to £250k over 2 years
* Large grants over £250K+ over 2 years

The Fund – Pot 2. Strategic Leadership – building capacity across the programme with a specific focus on proposals for driving change at local level.

* £180k over 2 years

**Deadline:** Stage 1 deadline: 15 November 2017, 12:00, Applicants will be informed on 23 November 2017 if they have been invited to Stage 2. Stage 2 deadline: 13 December 2017, 12:00

**Application process:** There is a 2 stage application process

**Contact information:** Email: [enquiries@youngmanchester.org](mailto:enquiries@youngmanchester.org)

**Website address:**[www.manchestercommunitycentral.org/young-manchester-youth-and-play-fund-2018-2020](http://www.manchestercommunitycentral.org/young-manchester-youth-and-play-fund-2018-2020)

**ARTS**

**Paul Hamlyn Foundation – Arts-based Learning Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** These are:

* To support imaginative people to nurture exciting ideas
* To widen access and participation in the arts
* To improve people’s education and learning through the arts
* To show that the arts make a difference to people’s lives
* To support the development and growth of organisations investing in young people and positive change
* To improve support for young people who migrate, and strengthen integration so that communities can live well together

The funding schemes offered by the PHF are designed to support innovation, give people a voice, work with others and make lasting commitments.

**Who can apply?** Charities, community organisations, social enterprises and not-for-profit companies active in the arts are eligible to apply. Applicants must be working in partnership with schools or other formal education settings.

**Grant amount:** The Arts-based Learning Fund offers two levels of funding:

* ‘Explore and Test’ grants of up to £60,000 for up to two years. Funding is designed to help explore and test both new approaches and ways of addressing new issues. Up to 20% of the grant may be allocated as a contribution to organisational running costs
* ‘More and Better’ grants of up to £400,000 for up to four years. Funding is intended to help organisations, or the sector more broadly, to deliver more effective arts-based learning

**Application process: Explore and Test:** A one-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form can be filled in online on the PHF website. An acknowledgement will be sent by email. **More and Better:** A two-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form for stage one is available to complete online.

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Website address:** [www.phf.org.uk/funds/arts-based-learning-fund/](http://www.phf.org.uk/funds/arts-based-learning-fund/)

**D'Oyly Carte Charitable Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** Grants are available for charities in the United Kingdom in support of causes connected with the arts, medical welfare and the environment.

**Who can apply?** Grants are available for charities in the United Kingdom

**Grant amount:** Grants between £500 and £5,000 are available

**Application process:** Application forms are available to complete online at the Trust's website.

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time and are considered in March, July and November each year

**Contact information:** Tel: 01285 841900 Email: [info@doylycartecharitabletrust.org](mailto:info@doylycartecharitabletrust.org)

**Website address:** [www.doylycartecharitabletrust.org](http://www.doylycartecharitabletrust.org/)

**CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE**

## Logo of Buttle UK - For children and young people**​Buttle UK – Young People Programme**

**Aims/priorities:** Funding is available to enable vulnerable young people in the UK to overcome financial barriers preventing them from achieving their education, training or employment goals. Support is available to the following young people who are:

* Age 16 to 20 years
* Estranged or orphaned and living outside the family home, receiving little or no financial or emotional support from family members
* In financial hardship
* Committed to pursuing a defined goal in relation to education, training or employment
* Working closely with support services
* Normally resident in the UK with the intention to remain in the country long term

The application must be completed by a lead professional in collaboration with the young person.

**Grant amount:** £2,000

**Application process:** Application forms are available from the Buttle UK at the address below.

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted anytime

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7828 7311 Email: [info@buttleuk.org](mailto:info@buttleuk.org)

**Website address:** [www.buttleuk.org/need-support](http://www.buttleuk.org/need-support)

**Bowland Charitable Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** Grants for charitable organisations with outdoor and character-building projects for young people in the North West England as well as for educational, religious and cultural activities and institutions in the North West of England.

**Who can apply?** The Bowland Charitable Trust offers grants to charitable organisations active in the UK

**Grant amount:** Funding is available at the discretion of the Trustees. Grants tend to be in the range of between £1,000 and £20,000

**Application process:** This Trust does not maintain a website. Applications must be made in writing

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 01254 688 051 Email: [carole.fahy@cannco.co.uk](mailto:carole.fahy@cannco.co.uk)

## **Clara E Burgess Charity**

## **Aims/priorities:** The Charity offers funding to support projects which will benefit the health and well-being of children and young persons, in particular by the provision of facilities and assistance to enhance the education, health and physical well-being of such children, in order that their conditions of life may be improved, but having particular regard to children under the age of 10 years and those who have lost either one or both parents.

**Who can apply: R**egistered charities in the UK

**Grant amount:** Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees. As a guide, the majority of previous grants have been for under £5,000, however, larger grants of up to £40,000 have also been awarded.

**Application process:** The Charity does not have a website, an email address, or a formal application form. Applications should be made in writing, providing background details about their charity, the project they want funding for, and a breakdown of the funding costs. Annual accounts are also required. Applications should be as brief as possible.

**Deadline:** Applications can be made at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 01245 292 492 Email: [rbscharities@rbs.com](mailto:rbscharities@rbs.com)

## Wooden Spoon**Wooden Spoon Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The funding is for projects that enhance the quality of life of children and young people in the UK who are mentally, socially or physically disadvantaged. This could be through sensory rooms, specialist playgrounds and sports activity areas, respite, medical and community care.

**Who can apply?** Grants are available for organisations that are working to support disadvantaged and disabled children in the UK

**Grant amount:** Minimum value £5,000

**Application process:** Application forms are available on request

**Deadline**: Applications may be made at any time

**Contact information**: Tel: 01252 773 720 Email: [projects@woodenspoon.org.uk](mailto:projects@woodenspoon.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.woodenspoon.org.uk/apply-for-funds](http://www.woodenspoon.org.uk/apply-for-funds)

## Image result for Esmee Fairbairn Foundation logo**Esmee Fairbairn Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The aim is to:

* Ensure care leavers are more easily able to form healthy relationships that help them make a successful transition to adulthood
* Ensure young people leaving care receive a consistently high standard of statutory support that has been informed by their views

**Who can apply?** Applications are accepted from organisatios carrying out charitable work to support young care leavers

**Grant amount:** There is no minimum or maximum level of grant

**Application process:** Applications can be submitted at any time

After completing the online Eligibility Quiz, applications should be submitted via the Foundation's first stage online application process.

**Deadline:** Applications can be submitted at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7812 3700 Email: [info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk](mailto:info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk)

**Website address:** <http://esmeefairbairn.org.uk/what-we-fund/young-people-leaving-care>

**COMMUNITY**

## **Cloth Worker Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** This Foundation awards grants in the following areas:

* Alcohol and substance misuse – projects supporting people affected by drug and/or alcohol dependency, and their families
* Disabled people – projects providing services for people with physical and/or learning disabilities, and/or for people with mental health issues (projects which focus only on meeting the requirements of the Disability Discrimination Act will not be considered)
* Disadvantaged minority communities – projects that work with minority communities facing both disadvantage (e.g. economic or cultural) and discrimination (e.g. due to ethnicity, sexuality, faith) to promote integration between minority communities and mainstream society
* Disadvantaged young people – projects which support disadvantaged young people, particularly, but not restricted to, those in or leaving care, or not in employment education or training (NEET)
* Domestic and sexual violence – projects supporting people affected by domestic or sexual violence or abuse
* Older people – projects providing services for older people, in particular people living in areas of high deprivation and/or where rural isolation is an issue

**Who can apply?** Capital grants are available to UK registered charities

**Grant amount:** There are two programmes:

* Main Grants Programme: there is no maximum project cost or grant amount. The average grant amount is £25,000
* Small Grants Programme: offers grants of up to £10,000, the average amount is £7,000. The total cost of the project must be less than £100,000

**Application process:** Applicants must first complete an online eligibility quiz to get access to an online application form which is universal and can be used for both the Main and Small grants programmes

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information**: Enquiries, Clothworkers' Foundation, Dunster Court, Mincing Lane,   
London, EC3R 7AH

**Website address:** [http://foundation.clothworkers.co.uk](http://foundation.clothworkers.co.uk/)

## Image result for Paul Hamlyn Foundation - Arts-based Learning Fund**Paul Hamlyn Foundation – Access and Participation Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** The Paul Hamlyn Foundation – Strategy 2015 identifies six strategic priorities relating to changes the PHF wishes to see in the UK. These are:

* To support imaginative people to nurture exciting ideas
* To widen access and participation in the arts
* To improve people’s education and learning through the arts
* To show that the arts make a difference to people’s lives
* To support the development and growth of organisations investing in young people and positive change
* To improve support for young people who migrate, and strengthen integration so that communities can live well together

The funding schemes offered by the PHF are designed to support innovation, give people a voice, work with others and make lasting commitments

**Who can apply?** Not-for-profit formally constituted organisations are eligible to apply

**Grant amount:** The Access and Participation Fund offers two levels of funding:

* ‘Explore and Test’ grants of up to £60,000 for up to two years. Funding is designed to help explore and test both new approaches and ways of addressing new issues. Up to 20% of the grant may be allocated as a contribution to organisational running costs
* ‘More and Better’ grants of up to £400,000 for up to four years. Funding is intended to increase the impact and effectiveness of work which has already shown promise or positive impact

**Application process: Explore and Test –** A one-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form can be filled in online on the PHF website

**More and Better –** A two-stage application process is in place for this stream. An application form for stage one is available to complete online

Applicants will be informed if they have been successful in reaching the second stage within four weeks of the closing date, at which point further questions will be asked and a visit may be arranged.

**Deadline:** Contact the Paul Hamlyn Foundation for further information.

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7812 3300 Email: [information@phf.org.uk](mailto:information@phf.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.phf.org.uk/funds/access-and-participation-fund/#the-purpose-of-the-fund](http://www.phf.org.uk/funds/access-and-participation-fund/#the-purpose-of-the-fund)

## The ACT Foundation**ACT Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The funding is for projects that make a transformational change and have a high level of impact on individuals, their families and communities.

Grants generally fall into the following areas:

* Building – funding modifications to homes (where a Disabled Facilities Grant has already been awarded), charities, special schools, hospices, etc.
* Equipment – provision of specialist wheelchairs, other mobility aids and equipment including medical equipment and technology to assist independent living
* Respite – help towards the cost of short-term respite breaks at a registered respite centre.

The current priorities are:

* People with physical and mental disabilities
* The aged and those in need
* Hospices and end of life care
* Support of young carers

**Who can apply?** UK Charities must have been registered for at least three years may apply

**Grant amount:** Funding is at the discretion of the Trustees

**Application process:** Charities and overseas Charitable Organisations must submit a letter on the organisation’s headed paper

**Deadline:** Applications may be submitted at any time and are considered four times a year. The Trust does not publish the dates of the Trustees' meetings

**Website address:** [www.theactfoundation.co.uk](http://www.theactfoundation.co.uk/)

## **Allen Lane Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** To be eligible, the work must directly benefit adults from the following groups, or generalist work which includes significant numbers from more than one such group:

* Asylum seekers and refugees (but not groups working with a single nationality)
* Gypsies and Travellers
* Migrant communities
* Offenders and ex-offenders
* Older people
* People experiencing mental health problems
* People experiencing violence or abuse

**Who can apply?** Small registered charities, voluntary groups and charitable organisations in the UK can apply

**Grant amount:** One-off grants of between £500 and £15,000 are available. The average grant is between £5,000 and £6,000. Grants repeated for more than one year vary from around £500 per annum up to £5,000 per annum, for a maximum of three years.

**Application process:** There is no formal application form. Applications should include a completed registration form which can be found on the Foundation's website. An application should be no more than four sides of A4 and should be accompanied by the budget for the work, plus a copy of the budget for the whole organisation, the organisation's latest annual report and accounts. Processing an application tends to take between two and six months.

**Deadline**: Applications can be made at any time. The Foundation processes applications throughout the year, and will come back to applicant within a couple of weeks with their initial thoughts.

**Contact information**: Tel: 01904 613 223 Email: [gill@allenlane.org.uk](mailto:gill@allenlane.org.uk)

**Website address:** [https://allenlane.org.uk](https://allenlane.org.uk/)

## Image result for Bailey Thomas Charitable Foundation**Bailey Thomas Charitable Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The main grants and small grants programmes provide funding to aid the care and relief of those affected by learning disability. The Charity will fund projects concerning children and adults with the conditions generally referred to as severe learning difficulties or autism.

* Employment schemes, including woodwork, crafts, printing and horticulture
* Play schemes and play therapy schemes
* Day and social activities centres including building costs and running costs
* Support for families, including respite schemes
* Support in the community schemes

Research grants are directed towards the initiation of research into learning disability with the intention that the research can progress to a point where it becomes eligible for support from other major funding bodies.

**Who can apply?** Grants are available to voluntary organisations and charities in the UK for research into learning disability or to assist with the care and relief of those affected by learning disability in the UK

**Grant amount:** The Charity operates the following grant schemes:

* General Grants from £250 upwards
* Small Grants of up to £5,000
* Research Grants from £250 upwards (with no upper limit). A limited fund is available for research projects

**Application process:** Application forms are available to complete online at the Fund's website.

**Deadline**: Applications can be submitted any time. Small grants of less than £10,000 are considered on a monthly basis. Applicants should keep checking the website as submission deadline dates may be subject to change.

**Contact information:** Tel: 01582 439 225 Email: [info@bailythomas.org.uk](mailto:info@bailythomas.org.uk)

**Website:** [www.bailythomas.org.uk](http://www.bailythomas.org.uk/)

**Environmental**

## **Cobb Charity**

**Aims/priorities:** The scheme aims to benefit projects promoting a more sustainable environment through education. Eligible education topics include:

* Traditional country skills
* Recycling
* Food and health
* Organic food production

**Who can apply?** Grants are available for small UK charities

**Grant amount:** Funding amounts are at the discretion of the Trustees.

**Application process:** Application forms may be requested from the Charity.

**Deadline**: Applications can be submitted anytime

**Contact information:** Email: [eleanor.allitt@btinternet.com](mailto:eleanor.allitt@btinternet.com) Post: Eleanor Allitt, Cobb Charity, 2 New Cottages, Village Street, Offchurch, Leamington Spa. CV33 9AP

**Website address:** Applicants should note that the Trust does not maintain a website

## Image result for Ernest Cook Trust**Ernest Cook Trust**

**Aims/priorities:** The Ernest Cook Trust Educational Grant is intended to support registered charities and not-for-profit organisations that provide educational programmes to young people that have a direct link to the National Curriculum or another recognised qualification.

In particular, the initiative wishes to fund activities that promote:

* Environmental awareness
* Arts, crafts and architecture
* Literacy and numeracy

**Who can apply?** Grants are available for UK-based educational projects

**Grant amount:** The Trust operates the following grants programmes:

Small grants programme for awards of under £4,000. Most awards are in the region of £1,000 to £1,500. Large grants programme for awards of more than £4,000. Most awards are in the range of £4,000 to £12,000.

**Application process:** Application forms may be requested from the Charity

**Deadline**: Applications may be made at any time. Meetings to consider applications for the small grants programme take place bi-monthly throughout the year. Due to high demand, applicants are advised to submit an application at least six months ahead of the project start date.

**Contact information:** Tel: 01285 712492 Email: [grants@ernestcooktrust.org.uk](mailto:grants@ernestcooktrust.org.uk)

**Website address:** <http://ernestcooktrust.org.uk/grants/>

**Faith**

## **Westhill Endowment Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** Funding is available for projects that have a commitment to values shared by Christianity and other major faiths, and a determination to encourage the exchange of ideas and actions across religious and cultural boundaries

**Who can apply?** The Westhill Endowment Trust, a registered charity, offers grants to charities and other not-for-profit organisations for faith-motivated religious education and community transformation projects in the UK

**Grant amount:** Grants are usually made between the values of £1,000 and £20,000

**Application process:** A standard application form is available upon request by using the request form on the Trust's website

**Deadline**: Applications can be made at any time

**Contact information**: Tel: 0121 472 8000 Email: [westhilltrust@btconnect.com](mailto:westhilltrust@btconnect.com)

**Website address:** [www.westhillendowment.org](http://www.westhillendowment.org/)

**HEALTH & WELLBEING**

## Image result for rayne foundation**Rayne Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The focus is to connect communities, building bridges between marginalised groups and mainstream society, and to enable individuals to reach their full potential. Within these broad criteria, the foundation has a number of areas of special interest:

* Young people’s improved mental health
* Arts as a tool to achieve social change
* Improved quality of life for carers and for older people

**Who can apply?** Grants are available for UK charities

**Grant amount:** Maximum value: £20,000 and a minimum value: £10,000

**Application process:** The Foundation receives far more applications than it can fund and for this reason has a two-stage application process

**Deadline**: Applications may be made at any time

**Contact information:** Tel: 020 7487 9656 Email: [mcarew@raynefoundation.org.uk](mailto:mcarew@raynefoundation.org.uk)

**Website address:** [www.raynefoundation.org.uk/our-work/grantmaking-uk](http://www.raynefoundation.org.uk/our-work/grantmaking-uk)

## Home**Barchester Healthcare Foundation**

**Aims/priorities:** The Foundation aims to make a difference to

the lives of older people and other adults (aged 18+ years) with a physical, learning or mental disability; supporting practical solutions that lead to increased personal independence, self-sufficiency and dignity

**Who can apply?** UK registered charities

**Application process:** Application forms are available to complete online or to download from the Foundation's website.

**Deadline**: Applications can be made at any time

**Contact information**: Tel: 0800 328 3328 Email: [info@bhcfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@bhcfoundation.org.uk)

**Website:** [www.bhcfoundation.org.uk](http://www.bhcfoundation.org.uk/)

**SPORT**

## **Central Social and Recreational Fund**

**Aims/priorities:** Due to limited funds, the Trust is currently giving priority to the following applications for equipment:

* Amateur Boxing Clubs
* Amateur Martial Arts clubs
* Youth Services providing a social and community service

Funding is available for equipment for the use of all members of the club and maintenance of properties, as long as the property is owned by the club or there is a significant lease period.

**Who can apply?** 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.

**Grant Amount:** Grants will generally be no more than £1,000

**Contact information**: Tel: 020 7386 6106 Email: [beverleygold@btinternet.com](mailto:beverleygold@btinternet.com)

**Website address:** [www.csrt.info/how-to-apply.html](http://www.csrt.info/how-to-apply.html)

## Image result for Peter Harrison Foundation – Opportunities through Sport**Peter Harrison Foundation – Opportunities through Sport**

**Aims/priorities:** The Trustees welcome applications for the following types of project:

* Projects which provide a focus for skills development and confidence building through the medium of sport
* Projects that have a strong training and/or educational theme within the sporting activity
* Projects that provide sporting equipment or facilities for disabled or disadvantaged people
* Projects with a high degree of community involvement
* Projects that help to engage children or young people at risk of crime, truancy or addiction

**Who can apply?** Registered charities and Community Amateur Sports Clubs (CASC) in the UK are eligible to apply

**Grant Amount:** There is no minimum or maximum level of grant available. Each grant request will be reviewed on its own merits.

**Application process:** Applications are made through a two-stage process. Interested organisations should in the first instance submit an initial enquiry online. Only selected entries will then be invited to complete a full application.

**Deadline**: Applications may be submitted at any time

**Contact information**: Tel: 01737 228000 Email: [enquiries@peterharrisonfoundation.org](mailto:enquiries@peterharrisonfoundation.org)

**Website address:** [www.peterharrisonfoundation.org/grant-programme/eligibility](http://www.peterharrisonfoundation.org/grant-programme/eligibility)

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