



Funding Bulletin

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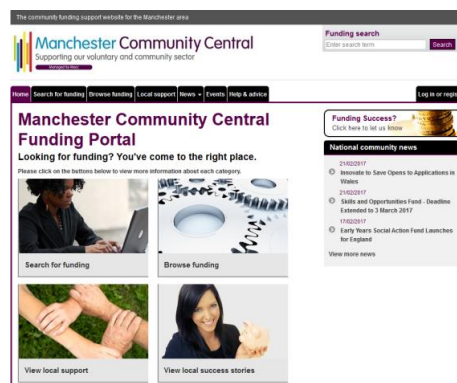
Information for the bulletin is compiled from a number of sources including Grantfinder, and direct from funders themselves. It showcases just a few of the hundreds of funding opportunities available for local community, voluntary and faith organisations.

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!

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 (VCSE) 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 VCSE organisation 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. To sign up to become a member of Macc to access our funding portal, [complete our membership form here](#)

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COVID-19

To search for the latest Covid-19 related funds please visit our [website](#)

LOCAL

Auto Trader Community Fund		 The Auto Trader Community Fund
Aims/priorities:	The Auto Trader Community Fund aims to encourage and support grassroots community organisations based in any of the ten boroughs of Greater Manchester. Local groups understand how they can best work in their communities, so we don't want to limit the type of request you can make. You just need to let us know what you want to do and what positive things your activity will provide for those in your community. All activity must be Covid-19 safe and undertaken in line with current government guidance.	
Who can apply?	Small, community-based and locally controlled groups that manage themselves, encourage people to get involved as volunteers and need a bit of financial help to be able to work with their community in the way they'd like. Applicants must be based in one of the ten boroughs of Greater Manchester and have an annual income of less than £50,000.	
Grant amount:	The maximum award that will be considered is £1,000	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	14 January 2022, 12pm	
Contact:	Email: awards@forevermanchester.com	
Website:	https://forevermanchester.com/auto-trader-community-fund/	


The Charity Service – Cinderella Charitable Fund		 the Charity Service
Aims/priorities:	The Cinderella Fund can be used by groups or individuals to support the cost of a short respite holiday, day trip or activity for disabled, sick, convalescent or disadvantaged children whose family are unable to afford the cost. Grants are available to	


	residents who live within the geographical areas of Greater Manchester, East Lancashire, North East Cheshire and North West Derbyshire.
Who can apply?	Individuals or groups/organisations within the Greater Manchester area. Individual applications must be supported by a Charitable Organisation or a sponsor such as a Social Worker, GP or other professional person who live in the UK (and hold a British or Irish passport). The organisation or sponsor should complete the application on behalf of the individual.
Grant amount:	The average grant award is £1,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0793 691 7679 Email: pete.yarwood@charityservice.org.uk
Website:	https://charityservice.org.uk/cinderella-charitable-fund/

The Charity Service Grant Fund		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Charity Service welcome applications for all charitable purposes however they wish to focus their support on four priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reducing social isolation • Preventing homelessness • Emergency support for vulnerable families and children • Improving access to employment <p>Grants are available to assist with the purchase or supply of amenities, activities or equipment to improve general welfare of the local community or individuals. New project costs, including staff costs for a specific period, may be considered.</p>	
Who can apply?	Registered charities, CICs and voluntary organisations who work with disadvantaged communities and/or people living within the Greater Manchester area.	




Grant amount:	The average grant award is £1,000. In exceptional circumstances larger grants, up to a maximum of £3,000, may be considered.
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 0793 691 7679 Email: pete.yarwood@charityservice.org.uk
Website:	https://charityservice.org.uk/the-charity-service-grant-fund/

The Charity Service – Winter Fund		
Aims/priorities:	20 £250 grants are available for small charities, community or voluntary groups in Greater Manchester who want to do something towards alleviating social isolation/loneliness or provide support to the homeless or vulnerable families and children this winter. This can include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Festive Parties (traditional or online) for any age group! • ‘Get togethers’ with tea and cakes • Bingo or quiz nights • Children’s ‘goodie bags’ • Food parcels 	
Who can apply?	Small charities, community or voluntary groups in Greater Manchester	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £250 are available	
Application process:	Contact Pete Yarwood on 0793 691 7679 for an initial chat and if your project sounds suitable he will email you a short application form.	
Deadline:	Not specified	
Contact:	Tel: Pete Yarwood 0793 691 7679 Email: pete.yarwood@charityservice.org.uk	
Website:	https://charityservice.org.uk/winter-fund/	


David Wilson Homes North West – Our Space Your Place Grants		
Aims/priorities:	<p>Provided by housebuilding company David Wilson Homes North West, the Our Space Your Place grant scheme is an initiative that offers a small amount of funding each year to help improve and enhance local communities in the North West of England. Eligible projects could include providing a charitable service, enhancing the local environment or offering educational facilities.</p>	
Who can apply?	<p>Any companies and organisations, including community groups and charities, that are based in Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Staffordshire, Merseyside, Flintshire, Wrexham and Lancashire. To be eligible, applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a bank or building society account • Be able to use the grant within four months of receiving it • Be willing to take part in any media or press activities that may take place • Have their registered office address or place of business in the North West of England 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £1,000 are available	
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website	
Deadline:	Not specified	
Contact:	Email: hannah@unsworthsugden.co.uk	
Website:	www.ourspaceyourplace.co.uk/applications/	

Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund		 DUCHY of LANCASTER BENEVOLENT FUND <small>1 Lancaster Place, Strand, London WC2E 7ED</small>
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Greater Manchester Trustees are particularly interested in the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Causes with which the Duchy has historical association such as Church livings, Estates etc. within the boundaries of the three Counties (Greater Manchester, Lancashire and Merseyside) and purposes which will benefit the community 	


	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 the elderly, inform and disadvantaged members of society • Community Associations that benefit local people • Organisations for young people e.g. 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:	A single grant will only be made to an organisation within a two year period and will normally be between £250 – £1,000
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time. The panel considers all applications on a quarterly basis.
Contact:	Tel: 0161 834 0490 Email: secretary@gmlo.org
Website:	http://manchesterlieutenancy.org/lancaster

easyfundraising	  <p>Free funding for your organisation</p> 
Aims/priorities:	We are working in collaboration with fundraising website easyfundraising to help organisations generate additional income. It's a very simple idea – register your organisation as a good cause with easyfundraising and you will be able to collect free donations when anyone connected to the organisation shops online with 4,300 well known retailers including Amazon, eBay, Argos, John Lewis, Trainline, Booking.com, Currys, Aviva and Waitrose and Direct Line. It's

	<p>free to register and use. Your organisation does not need to be a registered charity to use easyfundraising and it is open to voluntary organisations of all shape and size. The benefits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free to register and use • Regular, ongoing revenue stream for your organisation • Easy to set up and requires minimal management
Contact:	Email: becky@easyfundraising.org.uk
Website:	www.easyfundraising.org.uk/manchester

Heart of the Community Fund		
Aims/priorities:	<p>Virgin Money Foundation are on a mission to support community regeneration by backing people who can make big changes happen locally. Virgin Money Foundation would love to support projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Run by smaller local registered charities. That means annual running costs of less than £500,000 • Working in the parts of Greater Manchester South (Manchester City, Salford, Trafford, Stockport and Tameside) • With strong local roots • Benefiting the wider community <p>Funds can be used to buy materials and equipment, make improvements to a community building or sports facility, clean up an area of wasteland or support an event. The money could also pay for staff to run an activity.</p>	
Who can apply?	Smaller local registered charities	
Grant amount:	Every two months three local charities can win £1,000 – with awards of £500 and £250 for the two runners up	
Application process:	There is an online application form. The awards will go to the charities with the most votes from Virgin Money customers and Lounge members.	
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time	
Contact:	Tel: 0330 123 3624	


	Email: info@virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk
Website:	https://virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk/grants-programme/heart-community-fund/

Irwell Valley Foundation		
Aims/priorities:	Funding is intended to support local groups and residents who are seeking local solutions to local problems and who want to provide positive change within the community. The Foundation helps people find local solutions to local problems and encourages positive change within the communities. The Foundation encourages personal development and wellbeing, as well as projects and initiatives that benefit the wider community.	
Who can apply?	<p>Applications are accepted from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People who live in an Irwell Valley home • People who don't live in Irwell Valley home but have an idea that will benefit the specified communities • Voluntary, community groups and not for profit agencies that work in the specified communities <p>Projects must benefit residents in areas where Irwell Valley provide homes and services: Bolton, Bury, Salford, Trafford, Manchester, Tameside and Stockport, Pendle and Rossendale.</p>	
Grant amount:	<p>To benefit individual people: up to value of £5,000</p> <p>For long term benefits to a whole community: up to the value of £10,000</p>	
Application process:	Applications must be submitted online and are reviewed every other month (February, April, June, August, October and December)	
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time	
Contact:	Tel: 0300 561 1111 Email: contact@irwellvalley.co.uk	
Website:	www.irwellvalley.co.uk	

Manchester Airport Community Trust Fund




<p>Aims/priorities:</p>	<p>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 the local community. To be successful a group must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 <p>The project should offer / be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve, enhance, protect and conserve the natural and built environment; or offer heritage conservation • Promote or advance social welfare • Provide better appreciation of the natural and urban environment • Create a safe habitat for flora and fauna • Demonstrate lasting benefit to the community • Benefit all members of the community regardless of race, gender or religion • Be from an established group or charity able to demonstrate clear banking or financial records, and not an individual or commercial organisation working for profit
<p>Who can apply?</p>	<p>Community groups and charities that are approximately within a 10-mile radius of the Airport, concentrating on the areas most exposed to aircraft noise</p>
<p>Grant amount:</p>	<p>Grants of up to £3,000 are available</p>
<p>Application process:</p>	<p>There is an online application form</p>
<p>Deadline:</p>	<p>6 March 2022, 5pm</p>
<p>Contact:</p>	<p>Tel: 0161 489 5281</p>
<p>Website:</p>	<p>www.manchesterairport.co.uk/community/working-in-our-community/community-trust-fund/</p>


Manchester Guardian Society Charitable Trust		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Manchester Guardian Charitable Trust is a grant making charity, which makes donations to a wide variety of community based organisations in the Greater Manchester area. The Trustees are particularly interested in the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	
Who can apply?	Small community groups with charitable aims that are based and working within Greater Manchester	
Grant amount:	Most grants awarded are between £250 – £2,000	
Application process:	Applications can be submitted at any time	
Deadline:	An application form can be downloaded from the website	
Contact:	<p>Tel: 0161 934 6190</p> <p>Email: joe.swift@addleshawgoddard.com</p>	
Website:	www.manchesterguardiansociety.org.uk	

Manchester Wellbeing Fund		
Aims/priorities:	<p>A budget of £1.5m has been allocated for the three-year Manchester Wellbeing Fund, for community groups and GMMH service users who have great ideas about how to support their communities. The main objectives of the Fund are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To develop community support around people's mental health needs 	


	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To promote mental health and wellbeing • To challenge the stigma around mental illness
Who can apply?	The Fund is for groups and service users who are passionate about mental wellbeing in their communities. It is designed to support individual projects rather than provide core funding for organisations.
Grant amount:	Grants of between £250 – £3,000 are available
Application process:	Applicants need to first complete an online expression of interest form. For grants of up to £500 applicants will only have to submit an expression of interest form.
Deadline:	31 March 2022
Contact:	Tel: 0161 271 0477 Email: mwf@gmmh.nhs.uk
Website:	www.gmmh.nhs.uk/manchester-wellbeing-fund

Neighbourhood Investment Funds		 MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL
Aims/priorities:	Neighbourhood Investment Funds are 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:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time	
Contact:	Discuss your ideas with your Neighbourhood officer before applying, the contact details can be found here: http://bit.ly/2kn6zW Email: nif@manchester.gov.uk	


Website:	www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100003/people_and_communities/202/neighbourhood_investment_funds
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Parks improvements funding 2021		 MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL
Aims/priorities:	<p>Manchester City Council want to hear from local groups and organisations with ideas to use this funding to build upon, add to, or improve park assets. Applications for the Parks In Partnership funding must show how they support at least one of these four themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks at the heart of neighbourhoods • Vibrant parks, vibrant communities • A Manchester quality standard • Productive partnerships in parks 	
Who can apply?	<p>Applications can be submitted by local community and voluntary groups, Friends of groups, current parks operators, charities and companies (registered companies or charities that apply will need to provide at least two years financial accounts.)</p>	
Grant amount:	<p>The £12.5m will be split between:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks in Partnership will invest £960,000 directly into local parks via local groups and organisations, with each Manchester ward receiving £30,000 for capital projects that raise standards (one year funding) • Parks Development Programme will support larger capital projects from £30,000 up to £2.5m (four year programme.) Working with external bodies and partners to secure match funding for major works will maximise the impact of this programme. 	
Application process:	<p>There is an online application form</p>	
Deadline:	<p>Applications can be submitted at any time</p>	
Contact:	<p>Email: parksdevelopment@manchester.gov.uk</p>	
Website:	<p>https://secure.manchester.gov.uk/info/200047/grants/8151/parks_improvements_funding_2021</p>	

ARTS


<p>Andrew Lloyd Webber Foundation</p>	 <p>Andrew Lloyd Webber Foundation</p>
<p>Aims/priorities:</p>	<p>Grants of up to £25,000 per year will be offered to arts, culture and heritage projects that enrich lives, support potential, improve skills and reach diverse communities. In challenging circumstances, this fund will support sustainable access to the arts and arts education, with an emphasis placed on projects reaching diverse communities and enabling career development through the provision of professional education, training, apprenticeships and work place experience.</p>
<p>Who can apply?</p>	<p>Registered Charities, or not-for-profits e.g. Companies Limited by Guarantee, constituted community groups. Companies limited by shares are only eligible to apply if the grant is treated as restricted and will not make a profit for the organisation. Organisations that can be validated and provide their most recent set of accounts no more than 18 months old. Organisations that comply with all statutory laws and regulations relating to the work they will deliver and have Employers and Public Liability insurance in place.</p>
<p>Grant amount:</p>	<p>Up to £25,000 per year for up to 3 years</p>
<p>Application process:</p>	<p>Applicants should first complete preliminary questions on the website to make sure you are eligible for funding. If you are eligible, you will be asked to complete a short Stage 1 online application about your organisation and the work you would like funded. If your work is a good fit, you will be invited to submit a Stage 2 online application where you will be asked for further details of your work.</p>
<p>Deadline:</p>	<p>Deadline Stage 1 applications: 28 February 2022 Deadline Stage 2 applications: 31 March 2022</p>
<p>Contact:</p>	<p>Online contact form</p>
<p>Website:</p>	<p>www.andrewlloydwebberfoundation.com/blog/funding-round-now-open</p>

Arts Council – Let’s Create Jubilee Fund		
Aims/priorities:	The funding is to support voluntary and community organisations to deliver creative activity as part of the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee celebrations. The focus of this fund is to empower community organisations to work collaboratively with artists and cultural organisations in a way they might not have before, to produce creative events that are driven by them and highlight their ideas and creativity. Community organisations are encouraged to think about what creative activity would mean the most to their local communities and why.	
Who can apply?	Voluntary and community organisations will be encouraged to partner with established artists, creatives and cultural organisations to develop their activities.	
Grant amount:	Grants of between £750 - £10,000	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	28 February 2022	
Contact:	Online contact form	
Website:	www.artscouncil.org.uk/our-open-funds/let%E2%80%99s-create-jubilee-fund	

Foyle Foundation Main Grants Scheme		 FOYLE FOUNDATION
Aims/priorities:	<p>Grants are available to registered charities in the UK to support the performing or visual arts and for projects that facilitate the acquisition of knowledge and learning. The Foundation aims to benefit charitable causes in either the Arts or Learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts – This strand is designed to improve the sustainability of the arts and support groups which work to achieve this. • Learning – This strand is designed to support projects that facilitate the acquisition of knowledge such as through 	


	increased access to places of learning (e.g. museums and libraries) and which have a long-term strategic impact.
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from UK organisations with charitable status and a core remit of arts or learning.
Grant amount:	The majority of grants will be in the range of £10,000 to £50,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time
Contact:	Tel: 020 7430 9119 Email: mgs@foylefoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.foylefoundation.org.uk

BAME


Lloyds Bank Foundation for England and Wales – Racial Equity Funding		LLOYDS BANK FOUNDATION England & Wales 
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Foundation’s Racial Equity funding strand is aimed at charities where more than half of their Trustee Board self-identify as belonging to a Black, Asian or Minority Ethnic community. The charity must have a focus on supporting people from specific Black, Asian or Minority Ethnic communities to overcome any of the following 11 Complex Social Issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addiction and dependency on alcohol, drugs and/or gambling • Asylum seekers and refugees • Care leavers • Domestic and sexual abuse • Homeless and vulnerably housed • Learning disabilities • Mental health • Offending, prison or community service • Sexual exploitation • Trafficking and modern slavery • Young parents 	

	The funding is intended for charities that can demonstrate that some of the services they provide are in-depth, holistic, and targeted at a particular Complex Social Issue.
Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from registered charities that are led by and for members of specific Black, Asian or Minority Ethnic communities (more than half the Trustee Board must self-identify as belonging to a Black, Asian or Minority Ethnic community).
Grant amount:	Successful applicants will receive: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two-year unrestricted grants of £50,000 • Support from the Foundation's regional managers who will work with them to access a wide range of organisational development support to help meet identified needs
Application process:	The first step in the application process is to read the eligibility criteria and then complete the short eligibility checker, on the website
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time as there are no closing dates.
Contact:	Tel: 0370 411 1223 Email: enquiries@lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/we-fund/racial-equity

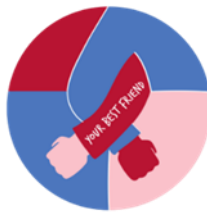
CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

Lawrence Atwell's Charity – Charities Programme	
Aims/priorities:	The Lawrence Atwell's Charity aims to help young people free themselves from poverty and disadvantage by heading into the job they want. In line with this aim, its Charities Programme has been established to award grants to registered charities in England and Wales for projects to support young people to move into employment or become employment ready.

Who can apply?	Applications will be accepted from registered charities and non-profit organisations based in England and Wales. To be eligible, applicants must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have an annual turnover not exceeding £1 million. • Be able to provide at least one set of audited or independently examined annual accounts. • Not be seeking a grant that represents more than 20% of the current annual running costs of the organisation.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £10,000 per year are available, with awards for three years open to consideration.
Application process:	Prospective applicants are requested to contact Lawrence Atwell's Charity by email with a short outline of their project. If they are eligible, the Charity will then contact the organisation with full details of how to apply.
Deadline:	4 March 2022
Contact:	Tel: 020 7213 0561 Email: atwell@skidders.org.uk
Website:	www.skidders.org.uk/atwell/charities

Toy Trust	
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Toy Trust grant scheme is provided and administered by the British Toy and Hobby Association. It is available to registered charities working with children in the UK and throughout the world.</p> <p>The funding is intended to help disadvantaged children under the age of 13 years and their families to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alleviate suffering • Support children through awful experiences • Encourage achievement through adversity • Purchase vital equipment • Provide care • Bolster existing initiatives • Initiate brand new projects • Satisfy basic needs

	<p>Projects should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Show real benefit for relieving hardship and suffering to beneficiaries • Run for a minimum of one full year • Be in support of children and projects regardless of faith, sex or disability <p>Funding can be used for equipment and services.</p>
Who can apply?	<p>Registered charities in support of disadvantaged children aged below 13 years and that are based in the UK or Ireland are eligible to apply. Organisations must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting up to date financial accounts • Been running for a minimum of one full year • Ratio of administration and overhead to income of less than 30% • Unrestricted net assets of not more than £200,000 or of less than one year's income
Grant amount:	Grants are up to £5,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	28 February 2022
Contact:	Email: tracey@btha.co.uk
Website:	www.toytrust.co.uk


<p>Your Best Friend Fund</p>		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Fund will empower all 13-24 year old girls, young women, and non-binary people with knowledge and confidence to help their friends. The Your Best Friend project will help each other understand young people's relationships, what happens when they become unsafe and provide you and other young people with the knowledge and confidence to help yourself or your friends. Through the Your Best Friend Fund we are distributing £300,000 in grants to organisations and groups based in</p>	

	<p>England and Wales to create their own ideas and projects that support Your Best Friend's aims. Think about what a good way to raise awareness about toxic relationships in your community might be. Could you collect and share stories, have a poster campaign, write and perform a play or song or run an event? What about setting up, or adapting, a peer support group in your youth club or school?</p>
Who can apply?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Schools (pastoral teams, peer mentors, feminist societies, sports and drama teams etc) • Colleges and universities (student union, societies, sports and drama clubs, pastoral teams etc) • Community-based social and health services (inc sexual health, pregnancy and young mums' support) • Charities and community groups (national, regional and/or local) • Religious groups • Youth clubs, groups and societies (inc activism, sports, drama, music, Scouts and Guides, adventure, craft, support groups etc)
Grant amount:	30-40 small grants of £1,000 - £10,000 and 6-8 large grants between £10,000 and £25,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	<p>Large grant (£10,000 - £25,000): 8 February 2022</p> <p>Small grant (£1,000 - £10,000) this is a rolling programme so you can apply at any time</p>
Contact:	Email: yourbestfriend@safelives.org.uk
Website:	https://yourbestfriend.org.uk/fund

DIGITAL


Fat Beehive Foundation	 <p>THE Fat Beehive FOUNDATION</p>
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Aims/priorities:	Grants are available to small UK registered charities for building websites or digital products that enable them to carry out their work in a more efficient and effective way, resulting in positive social benefit.
Who can apply?	UK registered charities with an annual income of less than £1 million
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £2,500 are available
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	7 January 2022
Contact:	Tel: 020 7739 8704
Website:	www.fatbeehivefoundation.org.uk

Vodafone – Charities connect		
Aims/priorities:	1.5 million households in the UK don't have access to digital technology. Vodafone are committed to bringing an end to digital poverty and ensuring nobody is left behind. Vodafone want to delivery connectivity to one million people by the end of 2022. If you're a charity that needs support for digital inclusion programmes, you can apply for free Vodafone SIMs, each loaded with 20GB data plus unlimited calls and texts to be used over 6 months. The SIMs can be used these however you like – for example, to help stay in touch with service users, or delivery training to people in need.	
Who can apply?	Registered Charities	
Grant amount:	Supports projects of all sizes	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	Until 1 November 2022, or until supplies last	
Website:	www.vodafone.co.uk/mobile/everyone-connected/charities-connected	

ENVIRONMENT


Cobb Charity	
Aims/priorities:	Grants are available for small UK charities working to promote a sustainable environment through education. The funding is for educational projects that encourage the awareness and application of environmental care and sustainability.
Who can apply?	Smaller up and coming charities in the UK are eligible to apply
Grant amount:	Funding amounts are at the discretion of the Trustees
Application process:	Application forms should be requested from the Cobb Charity
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time
Contact:	Tel: 01223 977 919 Email: info@cobbcharity.org
Website:	The Trust does not maintain a website

D'Oyly Carte Charitable Trust		
Aims/priorities:	The funding is to be used for core costs and projects. The Trustees favour small-scale, locally based initiatives. Projects that fall within the following fields of interest are eligible for support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Arts • Medical Welfare • The Environment 	
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from UK registered, exempt or excepted charities working within the UK for the benefit of UK residents	
Grant amount:	Grants generally range from £500 to £6,000.	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	9 February 2022	
Contact:	Tel: 0203 637 3003 Email: info@doylycartecharitabletrust.org	
Website:	https://doylycartecharitabletrust.org/	


The Shears Foundation	 The Shears Foundation
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Aims/priorities:	<p>The Shears Foundation welcomes applications for grants of £5000 from registered charities who are working in one of our priority areas. These are currently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The development of culture and the arts • The development and provision of educational opportunities for adults and / or children • Protection, preservation or enhancement of the natural environment • Creating stronger / better / more sustainable communities • Promoting health and medicine, with an emphasis on research or education <p>The Shears Foundation will support core costs, including staffing but will not contribute to capital projects.</p>
Who can apply?	Registered Charities
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £5,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	24 March 2022
Contact:	Tel: 0754 438 0316
Website:	www.shearsfoundation.org/how-apply-funding

FAITH


Henry Smith Charity – Christian Projects		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The Christian Projects programme provides grants to support projects that explicitly promote the Christian faith in the UK, and grants are only awarded to work that comes from an Anglican context or that is fully ecumenical. The funding is for projects that meet at least one of the fund's three priorities, which are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting the spiritual needs of older people, including those with dementia 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reaching out to the unchurched – especially young people and young families – by nurturing spiritual interest and wellbeing • Projects that support and care for Anglican clergy at times of acute need
Who can apply?	Churches, small charities and not-for-profit organisations can apply. Eligible organisations should: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be established (i.e. at least 18 months old and have published their first set of annual accounts) • Have a track record • Have an annual income of less than £1 million
Grant amount:	Grants of over £10,000 are available per year
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	There are no deadlines. Applications will be considered three times a year.
Contact:	Online contact form: www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/contact-us/
Website:	www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/explore-our-grants-and-apply/christian-projects/christian-projects-funding-guidelines/


Westhill Endowment Trust		
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 initially 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

GENERAL


Co-op and Hubbub Foundation Community Fridge Funding		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The funding must be spent on the development of a new Community Fridge which meets the needs of a diverse local community. Applications will be considered that are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From groups that will make sure their fridge is open to everyone • Not be used to provide emergency food • In areas that do not already have a Community Fridge or food project within 2 miles • From groups planning food-related activities like cooking workshops or food growing 	
Who can apply?	<p>You can apply if you're a not for profit group, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constituted community groups with a charitable purpose and at least 3 unrelated people aged over 18 on the management committee • Registered charities • Social enterprises • Community interest companies with 2 or more directors and: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ have not yet set up a Community Fridge ○ will set up the fridge in the next 6 months ○ will run the fridge for at least 3 years ○ have a group bank account 	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £4,000	

Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	1 February 2022
Contact:	Email: communityfridge@hubbub.org.uk
Website:	https://co-operate.coop.co.uk/apply-for-funding-to-set-up-a-fridge/


Morrison's Foundation		
Aims/priorities:	<p>The funding is for new projects that will benefit the local community that groups would like to get off the ground but for which they have no funding. The funding is for specific projects which make a difference to people's lives, with special consideration for vulnerable and disadvantaged groups. The projects should benefit the local community and can cover a wide range of areas including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health • Education • Arts and culture • Community • Other <p>The Foundation does not part-fund projects.</p>	
Who can apply?	<p>UK charities that exist to improve the lives of people and communities in England, Scotland or Wales can apply. To be eligible, applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be registered with the Charity Commission (England and Wales) or the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator (Scotland)(OSCR) for a minimum of one year • Have filed their accounts on time and in accordance with the Charity Commission / OSCR requirements. 	
Grant amount:	Grants up to £25,000 are available	
Application process:	There is an online application form	
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time	
Contact:	<p>Tel: 0845 611 5364</p> <p>Email: foundation.enquiries@morrisonspc.co.uk</p>	

Website:	www.morrisonfoundation.com
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HEALTH & WELLBEING

<p>The Lloyds Bank Foundation – Complex Social Issues</p>	<p>LLOYDS BANK FOUNDATION  England & Wales</p>
<p>Aims/priorities:</p>	<p>To work with hundreds of small and local charities helping people dealing with complex social issues that don't have simple solutions. Problems such as poor mental health, homelessness and dependency. They fund charities helping people whose lives are significantly affected by these complex social issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addiction or dependency on alcohol, drugs, and/or gambling • Asylum seekers and refugees • Care leavers • Domestic and sexual abuse • Homelessness/vulnerably housed • Learning disabilities • Mental health • Offending, prison or community service • Sexual exploitation • Trafficking and modern slavery • Young parents <p>They support charities with a proven track record of helping people on a journey of positive change through in-depth, holistic and person-centred support. They offer unrestricted funding, including around core costs, and tailored development support to help your charity be more effective. Their funding process considers local need, the prevalence of eligible small and medium-sized charities in the area, the nature of the region and the balance of their portfolio.</p>
<p>Who can apply?</p>	<p>Registered charities / CIO's with an annual income of between £25,000 and £1 million in the last set of accounts published on</p>

	the Charity Commission website. Must have less than 12 months free reserves and delivering services for at least one year. Must also have a robust safeguarding policy.
Grant amount:	Unrestricted grants of £50,000 over two years. The Foundation has ringfenced 25% of its funding to charities led by, and which support, minoritised and racialised communities. The Foundation has announced that by the end of Spring 2021, it will open its Racial Equality strand of funding.
Application process:	Online eligibility quiz and those who are eligible will be directed to the application form. Applications once received will be checked by a grants officer, if eligible, you can expect a call from the regional manager to have a discussion and to arrange a meeting.
Deadline:	Applications are open all year round
Contact:	Tel 0370 411 1223 Email: enquiries@lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/we-fund#CSIGRID


The Richardson Brothers Foundation		
Aims/priorities:	In 2006 the family established the Richardson Brothers Foundation to give financial support to projects that improve the circumstances of those less fortunate in society, with a particular focus on education, social projects and assisting disabled service personnel. Currently the funder's focus is feeding the homeless. The priority is for local projects (in the West Midlands) but they can fund outside the West Midlands.	
Who can apply?	Voluntary, charitable and community organisations, including local grassroots groups, are eligible to apply	
Grant amount:	Not Specified	
Application process:	Application form can be downloaded from the website	
Deadline:	Not specified	
Contact:	Tel: 0121 544 8000	
Website:	www.richardsons.co.uk/richardson-foundation	



<p>Aims/priorities:</p>	<p>The Veterans' Foundation, a registered charity, provides funding to charities and other organisations that support serving and former members of the British Armed Forces, and sometimes their dependants, who are in need. Most of the funding is raised through the Veterans' Lottery (VL) which was launched in Summer 2016.</p> <p>The funding can be used for projects covering a range of aspects of social care for the Armed Forces community, including but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homelessness • Employability • Poverty • Disability • Welfare issues • Mental health • Marriage guidance • Care during old age • Confidence building <p>The grants can be used to cover a range of project costs. The Foundation will also consider funding running costs of eligible organisations, provided sustainability is being considered.</p>
<p>Who can apply?</p>	<p>All registered charities and other organisations that support the Armed Forces community (veterans, those serving and immediate dependants), including seafaring veterans who have served on operations, can apply. Eligible organisation types include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charities • Not-for-profit organisations • Community projects <p>Priority is given to charities and organisations who can demonstrate that they are directly involved in the provision of</p>


	support to those in need, as well as well-run organisations of low to medium wealth.
Grant amount:	The maximum grant available is £30,000
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website
Deadline:	28 February 2022
Contact:	Email: grants@veteransfoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.veteransfoundation.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/

HERITAGE

Historic Houses Foundation		
Aims/priorities:	<p>Grants are available to organisations and individuals for repairs and restoration work required to prevent loss of or damage to historic buildings, their gardens, and any outbuildings, located in England or Wales. The objectives of the Foundation are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To advance the preservation, for the public benefit, of buildings of sufficient historic or architectural significance or importance to merit preservation, together with their gardens and grounds • To protect and augment the amenities and furnishings of any such buildings, gardens and grounds 	
Who can apply?	Applicants can be either an organisation or a private individual, having legal responsibility for the repair of an historic building, its gardens and grounds, in England or Wales	
Grant amount:	The minimum grant that can be applied for is £1,000 and the maximum is £250,000	
Application process:	The Foundation operates a two-stage application process. Pre-application forms are available to complete online or download from the Foundation's website. If successful, the Foundation will arrange a site visit to make an initial check of the suitability and feasibility of the project prior to completion of the full application form.	


Deadline:	Pre-applications forms can be submitted at any time. Full application forms are considered at quarterly meetings held throughout the year.
Contact:	Tel: 01453 547 124 Email: info@historichousesfoundation.org.uk
Website:	www.historichousesfoundation.org.uk

National Heritage Memorial Fund		 NATIONAL HERITAGE MEMORIAL FUND
Aims/priorities:	The Fund's aim is to defend the most outstanding parts of the national heritage of the UK. This is achieved by providing grants to enable organisations based in the UK to buy items of outstanding interest and of importance to national heritage. These must either be at risk or have memorial character.	
Who can apply?	Applications will be considered from charities (voluntary and public), not-for-profit organisations, and public bodies that are based in the UK whose main purposes include preserving cultural or built heritage or conserving the natural heritage.	
Grant amount:	There is no set minimum or maximum amount of funding	
Application process:	The first step in making an application is to submit an expression of interest via the online portal. Applicants who are successful at this stage will be invited to submit a full application.	
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time	
Contact:	Tel: 0797 066 1000 Email: Vanessa.Wells@heritagefund.org.uk	
Website:	www.nhmf.org.uk/funding	

National Lottery Grants for Heritage		 HERITAGE FUND
Aims/priorities:	Grants for organisations working with heritage to adapt and respond to the changing environment they are now operating in due to the coronavirus/Covid-19 crisis. The funding is intended to help the UK's heritage sector respond to the impacts of coronavirus/Covid-19 and to adapt and thrive again. This funding is designed to focus on organisational resilience or on	

	<p>projects that deliver inclusion in heritage. The mandatory outcome must be achieved in all projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A wider range of people will be involved in heritage (mandatory) • The funded organisation will be more resilient. <p>Priority will be given to projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boost the local economy • Provide job creation and encourage skills development • Support local health and wellbeing • Encourage rebuilding community cohesion <p>Project partners must demonstrate that they are building long-term environmental sustainability and inclusion into their plans.</p>
Who can apply?	<p>Applications will be accepted from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not-for-profit organisations, local authorities, public sector organisations or private owners of heritage needing to access support for adaptation and greater resilience. Or, partnerships led by any of these organisations/owners. • Organisations or partnerships leading inclusion focused projects led by and/or engaging diverse groups (such as young people, minority ethnic and LGBT+ communities, disabled people and people from lower socio-economic backgrounds).
Grant amount:	<p>Small grants: £3,000 - £10,000 Medium grants: £10,000 - £250,000 Large grants: £250,000 - £5 million</p>
Application process:	An application form can be found on the website
Deadline:	<p>Small and medium grants: no deadlines Large grants: 24 February 2022</p>
Contact:	Tel: 020 7591 6044 Email: enquire@heritagefund.org.uk
Website:	www.heritagefund.org.uk/funding


OLDER PEOPLE


Concertina Charitable Trust		
Aims/priorities:	Funding is intended to provide musical entertainment and related activities for the elderly to provide therapeutic benefit for their health and wellbeing. The Trust awards grants to charitable bodies which provide cultural activities and related facilities for the elderly, in order to improve the quality of life of elderly people.	
Who can apply?	The Trust is keen to support smaller charitable organisations in England and Wales that might otherwise find it difficult to gain funding. These include funds to many care homes for the elderly, to provide musical entertainment for residents.	
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £250	
Application process:	Application forms are available on the website	
Deadline:	Annual deadlines: 30 April and 31 October	
Contact:	Post: Simon Baynes, Administrator, The Concertina Charitable Trust, Bodfach Hall, Llanfyllin, Powys, SY22 5HS	
Website:	www.concertinamusic.org.uk	

Elise Pilkington Charitable Trust		ELISE PILKINGTON CHARITABLE TRUST
Aims/priorities:	The Trust aims to support registered equine charities and charities supporting older people in the UK.	
Who can apply?	Applications will normally only be considered from registered equine and elderly support charities, and hospices that are able to show that they provide equitable care to older people.	
Grant amount:	Funding is at the discretion of the Trust	
Application process:	An application form can be downloaded from the website	
Deadline:	25 February 2022	
Contact:	Post: The Trust Administrator, The Elise Pilkington Charitable Trust, Ridgecot, Lewes Road, Horsted Keynes, West Sussex, RH17 7DY	
Website:	https://elisepilkingtontrust.org.uk/how-to-apply/	


W.G. Edwards Charitable Foundation	
Aims/priorities:	The grant scheme aims to fund the provision of care for older people, to improve their quality of life.
Who can apply?	UK registered charities that are based and working in the UK may apply as long as the aim of their charity is to help people over the age of 65 years.
Grant amount:	There are no maximum or minimum grant levels specified. The average grant is £1,700.
Application process:	There is no formal application form
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time
Contact:	Email: wgedwardscharity@icloud.com
Website:	www.wgedwardscharitablefoundation.org.uk

SPORT & RECREATION


Andy Fanshawe Memorial Trust		 ANDY FANSHAWE MEMORIAL TRUST
Aims/priorities:	The Trust offers funding to support disadvantaged young people to further develop an existing interest in adventurous outdoor activities such as walking, climbing, cycling, kayaking, sailing, horse riding in the UK. The Trust usually supports individuals or small groups.	
Who can apply?	Applications are accepted from individual young people or small groups or from organisations, such as schools or youth clubs, on behalf of a young person for self-planned activities or residential courses at an outdoor centre in the UK. To be eligible, individual applicants must provide a reference from a teacher or care-worker.	
Grant amount:	There are no minimum and maximum amounts	
Application process:	Applications should be made by email	
Deadline:	Applications can be made at any time	
Contact:	Email: kalisang98@outlook.com	
Website:	www.andyfanshawe.org	

Boost Charitable Trust		
Aims/priorities:	The Trust aims to give opportunities to those who wish to fulfil their sporting ambitions, at any level, and provides grants to organisations that support disabled or disadvantaged people to overcome challenges and take part in UK sporting activities.	
Who can apply?	Charities and non-profit making organisations in the UK that have a focus on sport are eligible to apply	
Grant amount:	Funding is at the discretion of the trustees	
Application process:	Eligible applicants must submit their bid, no more than two sides of A4, detailing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name of organisation, what the organisation does and list of beneficiaries • Reason for seeking funding, details of the project and approximate funding requirements 	
Deadline:	Applications can be submitted at any time	
Contact:	Email: liz.turtle@boostct.org Post: Liz Turtle, Boost Charitable Trust, 5 St Bride Street, London, EC4A 4AS	
Website:	www.boostct.org/get-involved	

WOMEN & GIRLS

The Big Give Women and Girls Match Fund		
Aims/priorities:	The Women and Girls Match Fund is a match funding campaign for charities that are working to improve the lives of vulnerable, disadvantaged or underrepresented women and girls in England and Scotland. All public donations made to participating charities via theBigGive.org.uk during the week of the campaign (8 - 15 March 2022) will be matched by DCMS' Tampon Tax Fund until each organisation's ring-fenced match funding award of either	

	£2,500, £10,000 or £25,000 is used up. The campaign will launch on International Women’s Day at midday. Donations will be doubled by the charity’s Champion funds until the match funds have been exhausted or the campaign has closed, whichever comes first.
Who can apply?	<p>To be eligible to apply, charities must meet all of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charities that are led by, for and with women and girls. To assess this, we will look at whether your governing document specifically mentions women and/or girls, whether you have a majority female board, who your beneficiaries are and your web presence (if your organisation has one) • Charities that are working to improve the lives of vulnerable, disadvantaged or underrepresented women and girls in England and Scotland • UK-registered charities with at least one year of filed accounts and an annual income of at least £25,000 (as per last filed accounts), or organisations with tax-exempt status for charitable purposes • Charities which are registered on theBigGive.org.uk (free to register) • Charities seeking to raise either £2,500, £10,000 or £25,000 in public donations (to be doubled by the match funds)
Grant amount:	£2,500, £10,000 or £25,000 in match funding
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	11 January 2022
Contact:	Online contact form: www.thebiggive.org.uk/s/contact-us
Website:	www.thebiggive.org.uk/s/women-and-girls-match-fund

Rosa’s Rise Fund	
Aims/priorities:	Rosa’s Rise Fund provides organisational development funding for Black and minoritised-led women’s and girls’ organisations across the UK. The funding is for organisational development

	<p>work relating to areas such as strategy, governance, leadership, alliances and partnerships, funding, demonstrating impact and systems and processes. This funding is available to specialist organisations led by and for Black and minoritised women and girls, working across all four of Rosa’s areas of work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership and representation • Safety • Health and wellbeing • Economic justice
Who can apply?	Rosa’s Rise Fund is for Black and minoritised-led women’s and girls’ organisations which have been established for at least three years and which have an average annual income of less than £100,000.
Grant amount:	Grants of up to £40,000
Application process:	There is an online application form
Deadline:	10 January 2022, 5pm
Contact:	Email: grants@rosauk.org
Website:	https://rosauk.org/funds/rise-fund/

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