

Funding Journal

January 2018

New for January 2018

PLEASE NOTE: Any items listed in italics are open to registered charities only.

Advice: At the end of the Funding Journal there is a new advice section with articles on running voluntary groups, holding fund-raising activities and applying for grants.

To Search the Funding Journal: The best way to search the Journal for funding opportunities is to pick key words relating to your project such as 'young people' and use the 'find' facility on your computer.

Name of Fund	Description
Bereavement Care Grants of Hospices – Masonic Charitable Foundation	<p>Hospice UK has opened a new grants programme funded by the Masonic Charitable Foundation. The aim of the programme is to develop and extend bereavement support services in hospices; the effect of these services would enhance the well-being of bereaved families or individuals.</p> <p>Grants of up to £20,000 are available to support projects running over a period of 18 months. This allows for up to 3 months setup phase and 12 months project delivery – with a further 3 months to cover any unforeseen delays mid project.</p> <p>The funding will enable hospices to initiate build or develop approaches to bereavement care. This can be through a number of ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Putting into practice the recommendations or findings from a local scoping exercise• Piloting a new project based on a robust needs assessment• Adapting existing activities where, through the investment of additional resources, greater impact can be achieved through adoption of new roles and approaches.• All in line with the Bereavement Care Standards 2014 <p>Total available funding in this grant round is £150,000. The Foundation expect to award between seven and eight grants in</p>

	<p>this round. To be eligible for funding the applicant must be a full member of Hospice UK.</p> <p>The deadline for submissions is 2nd January 2018.</p> <p>https://www.hospiceuk.org/what-we-offer/grants/open-grant-programmes/details/masonic-charitable-foundation</p>
<p>UK Theatres Small Grants Scheme – Theatres Trust</p>	<p>A capital fund that awards up to £5,000 to theatres across the UK run by charities and not-for-profit groups that can clearly demonstrate the value capital improvements to their theatres would make to their work in local communities.</p> <p>Priorities include projects that address urgent building repairs, improve operational viability, introduce environmental improvements and enhance physical accessibility. Please note that applications for technical equipment and refurbishment of soft furnishings are a low priority for the scheme.</p> <p>In reviewing applications Trustees take into account a project's urgency, other resources available to the applicant and the extent to which the grant would make a significant difference to promoting the better protection of theatres. Funds are generally awarded where they are considered to have the most impact in realising an applicant's capital project.</p> <p>The deadline for applications to the next round of the scheme is 7th January 2018.</p> <p>http://www.theatretrust.org.uk/uk-theatres-small-grants-scheme</p>
<p>DCLG Planning Delivery Fund</p>	<p>The Department for Communities and Local Government is inviting local authorities and third sector organisations to apply for funding to help deliver much-needed new homes and infrastructure across England.</p> <p>The new £25 million Planning Delivery Fund has been established to support ambitious authorities in areas of high housing need to plan for new homes and infrastructure, equipping them with the resources needed to deliver the agenda set out in the housing white paper of February 2017 and the Autumn Budget.</p> <p>Funding is also offered to local authorities and third sector organisations (in partnership with local authorities, or on their own) to stimulate and support innovation in the way planning services are delivered.</p> <p>Expressions of interest are to be submitted by 11th January 2018.</p>

	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/planning-delivery-fund-prospectus</p>
Archives Revealed Programme – National Archives and The Pilgrim Trust	<p>The only funding stream available in the UK dedicated to cataloguing and unlocking archives, this fund is comprised of two strands:</p> <p><u>Cataloguing Grants</u></p> <p>Up to £40,000 for archives to create catalogues of important archival collections. The grants will open up access to collections that matter to both researchers and communities and increase public engagement with history. The application deadline for phase 1 of Cataloguing Grants is 12th January 2018.</p> <p><u>Scoping Grants</u></p> <p>Up to £3,000 helping archives conduct collection analysis to support development of plans for future cataloguing priorities and projects. The scoping grant fund will open in February 2018.</p> <p>http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/archives-sector/funding/archives-revealed/</p>
Grants for National Vegetarian Week (14 th – 20 th May 2018) – The Vegetarian Society	<p>If you are planning an activity or event for National Vegetarian Week or in the two weeks beforehand, you may be eligible for a small grant of up to £200 or large grant of up to £2,000. Grant applications should come from not for profit organisations and be for activities which promote a vegetarian diet to the wider community. The deadlines are:</p> <p>Large Grants: 21st January or 25th February Small Grants: 25th February or 22nd April</p> <p>http://www.nationalvegetarianweek.org/grants/</p>
Tampon Tax Fund - DCMS	<p>The scheme provides funding for projects that focus on one of the following categories:</p> <p><u>Violence against Women and Girls</u> - applications will be considered from organisations that support women and girls affected by or at risk of violence or abuse. This includes domestic violence and abuse, sexual violence, so-called ‘honour-based’ violence, stalking and prostitution and sex work, and applications are encouraged from consortia that cover multiple crime types. Projects should include early intervention and prevention of VAWG crimes, as well as victims’ services. Proposals must provide additional activity not currently within mainstream provision.</p>

	<p><u>Mental Health and Wellbeing</u> - applications will be considered from organisations that promote mental wellbeing and the prevention of mental illness for vulnerable and disadvantaged women and girls. This includes applications that promote public health prevention, early intervention, digital innovations, community based provision and working across sectors. Proposals should provide additional activity not currently within mainstream provision.</p> <p><u>General Programme</u> - applications will be considered from organisations working to improve the lives of disadvantaged or underrepresented women and girls.</p> <p>Applications will be considered for projects that are genuine new developments of previously funded projects provided that there are new potential outcomes and there is a proven need for the proposed service.</p> <p>The budget for the Fund for 2018/19 is £15 million. The minimum grant is £1 million. There is no maximum level of grant. The grant must represent more than 50% of the applicant's collective annual income. Grants may be for one or two year projects, with a maximum of two years up until 31 March 2020. This is primarily a revenue fund, although funding can include a capital element if it relates directly to the project.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: grants payments will be made in arrears through the scheme. Applicant organisations must therefore demonstrate the financial capacity to fund projects.</p> <p>The deadline for applications is 11.59pm on Sunday 28th January 2018.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/tampon-tax-fund-application-form-2018-2019-funding-round</p>
<p>GLL Sport Foundation Bursaries – GLL Sport Foundation</p>	<p>A reminder about this support for talented athletes across the UK.</p> <p>The GLL Sport Foundation is the largest independent athlete support programme in the UK. Last year over 30 talented athletes (from 19 different sports) from across Bath and North East Somerset were funded to help them towards achieving their goals. For many athletes, this is the only source of funding they receive.</p> <p>The next deadline is 20th February 2018</p> <p>http://www.gllsportfoundation.org/eligibility-terms-and-conditions</p>

<p>Rethinking Parks – Big Lottery, Heritage Lottery and Nesta</p>	<p>A fund to support innovative ideas to address the challenges faced by parks across the UK. (The previous Rethinking Parks fund ran in 2014). The funding will be split between:</p> <p><u>Prototyping awards</u> of between £150k and £200k to support ideas that use technology; digital tools and data in ways that will ultimately support parks to attract resources and develop more sustainable operating models and will favour ideas that can demonstrate a clear link to this wider aim.</p> <p><u>Replication awards</u> of between £70k and £100k over 9 – 15 months to replicate and run promising and innovative operating models for parks, especially those that can draw upon that which was learned in the 2014 Rethinking Parks programme.</p> <p>There is particular interest in organisations that are interested in setting up a Parks Foundation or including a focus on parks within a Business Improvement District.</p> <p>Not-for-profit organisations, social enterprises and local authorities can apply for either award. Applicants must be based in the UK and have identified a public park/s or park service/s to work with. Applicants must have the landowners permission if they do not directly own the land.</p> <p>Proposals will be accepted from organisations working in partnership as long as one eligible organisation is nominated as the lead.</p> <p>The deadlines for initial applications are:</p> <p>27th February 2018 for Replication Awards 28th March 2018 for Prototyping Awards</p> <p>There is a two stage application process. Those who are successful at the initial stage will be selected to work with Nesta to develop their applications for a second selection stage. Final funding decisions will be made in Spring 2018 and work should begin in June 2018.</p> <p>https://www.nesta.org.uk/project/rethinking-parks</p>
<p>The Gilchrist Educational Trust</p>	<p>This Trust offers educational grants to individuals, organisations and to fund expeditions.</p> <p><u>Grants to Individuals</u></p> <p>Grants usually in the region of £500. Applicants must be full-time students at a British University. Awards are made to those who</p>

have made proper provision to fund a degree or higher education course but find themselves facing unexpected financial difficulties which may prevent completion of it. Applications will normally be made during the last year of the course. Awards are also made to those who, as part of a degree course, are required to spend a short period studying in another country. Examples are the fieldwork necessary for a thesis or dissertation, or medical students' elective period of study.

Applications can be made at any time.

Grants to Organisations

Grants of between £500 and £4,000 to fill academic educational gaps or make more widely available a particular aspect of education or learning. The following criteria need to be met:

- the project should be capable of benefiting a number of people
- the funds sought will be used for a particular academic educational project, or for a specific purpose such as furniture or equipment and not as an addition to the general funds of the applicant. Funds are not available for social educational projects
- if the project is overseas, the application must come from an organisation in the UK
- the proposals should not duplicate work already being done by another organisation, or by this Trust.
- the organisation must be either registered as a company in the UK or registered as a Charity in the UK

The following are not eligible to apply:

- primary or secondary schools
- organisations or groups seeking funds to be used exclusively to build or renovate buildings
- organisations or groups which show evidence of party - political bias
- organisations or groups formed for medical purposes, unless there is a significant educational element in the proposal for which funds are sought
- organisations or groups seeking funds to help meet administrative or running costs
- organisations or groups seeking such a large sum that any contribution from this Trust would be a mere "drop in the ocean"

The application deadline is **28th February** annually for consideration in April or May.

	<p><u>Grants to Expeditions</u></p> <p>Applications from small or medium-sized British expeditions are considered by the Trustees in April each year. They should meet the following criteria:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the team comprises three or more members, based in a university or research institute, museum or similar not-for-profit agency, the majority of whom are of British nationality • the team proposes to carry out research of a scientific nature • the majority of the team is studying, or has studied, subjects relevant to the expedition's stated objectives • the expedition has been well planned, has attainable objectives and is not likely to place the lives of the team members at risk • the members of the team are making adequate personal contributions to help meet the cost of the expedition • the host country is keen for the proposed research to be carried out and the results will be a welcome addition to the corpus of knowledge on the subject(s) which already exists • if appropriate, local counterparts will be involved in the proposed research <p>The application deadline is 28th February annually for consideration in April or May.</p> <p>http://www.gilchristgrants.org.uk/grants-to-organisations.html</p>
<p>The Waterloo Foundation Child Development Programme</p>	<p>TWF is interested in the psychological and behavioural development of our children, and particularly in certain neurodevelopmental conditions and the factors that influence them. They fund research, as a main priority but also dissemination of research and to a lesser extent intervention projects.</p> <p>Funding is currently available for the following research projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developmental Trauma • Sleep and/or exercise • Motor Impairments <p>Levels of funding are typically up to £50,000 per research project in the United Kingdom. Applications are welcomed from registered charities and organisations with projects that have a recognisable charitable purpose.</p>

	<p>Applications for practical or dissemination projects will be accepted throughout the year. The 2018 closing dates for applications are:</p> <p>4th March 2018 - Developmental Trauma; Sleep and/or Exercise 1st July 2018 - Motor Impairments; Diet and/or Microbiome.</p> <p>Decisions will be made at their Trustees' meeting around four months later.</p> <p>http://www.waterloofoundation.org.uk/GrantProgrammes.html</p>
<p>RDPE Growth Programme – Rural Payments Agency and Defra</p>	<p>You could be eligible for a Growth Programme grant if your business is carrying out a project to create jobs or bring more money into the rural economy.</p> <p>There are 3 types of grant:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business development • Food processing • Rural tourism infrastructure <p>The grants are funded by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), which is part of the European Structural Investment Funds (ESIF). The whole aim of the RDPE Growth Programme is to create jobs and growth in the rural economy. Applications will need to show how projects will help do this. The expression of interest (EOI) deadline has been extended to 31st May 2018.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/rdpe-growth-programme</p>
<p>#iwill Take Action Fund – Virgin Money Foundation</p>	<p>The Virgin Money Foundation is match funding £850,000 from Big Lottery Fund to create a £1.7million, three year #iwill Take Action Fund.</p> <p>Funding is available under three themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Our Physical Environment: to foster a sense of community pride and empower young people to make the communities they live in a better place. 2. Our Health: to encourage young people to tackle health issues that affect their community using sport and peer networks to raise awareness and to campaign. 3. Our Culture: to enable the voice of young people to be heard. <p>The Foundation wants young people to use art and media as a tool to raise awareness of the issues that matter to them and</p>

	<p>their communities.</p> <p>They are looking for projects working with young people aged 10 to 20 or up to 25 for disabled people. Applications will be assessed on how well they reflect the #iwill 6 principles of great social action. There is further information on the 6 principles here: http://www.iwill.org.uk/about-us/principles/</p> <p>In addition, each applicant will need to explain how they intend to work with at least one of the following groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young people living in the top 5% deprived areas of the North East • BAME youth • Young parents • Young offenders • Young homeless people <p>Applications can be from £10,000 to £60,000 for up to two years activity.</p> <p>The main grants programme will close to applications in December 2018.</p> <p>https://virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk/grants-programme/iwill/</p>
<p>The Central Social and Recreational Trust</p>	<p>Grants up to £1,000 to support amateur boxing clubs, amateur martial arts clubs and youth services. Grants can be used for:</p> <p>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.</p> <p>All young people who are to benefit must be under 21 years of age. The Trust will also consider the economic and social circumstances surrounding the beneficiaries of the grant.</p> <p>Sports clubs and organisations that are affiliated to their governing body are eligible to apply. The Trust likes to see an element of match funding in all applications.</p> <p>Applications may be submitted at any time.</p> <p>http://www.csrt.info/how-to-apply.html</p>
<p>The Constance Paterson Charitable Foundation</p>	<p>Grants up to £2,500 for the aged, particularly those housing vulnerable older people, children, health, as well as animal welfare in England and Wales. There is no requirement for match funding.</p>

	<p>Applications can be made at any time and must be made in writing, including the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A cover letter, which details the proposal • Copies of the organisation's most recent reports and accounts. <p>The Foundation makes donations once a year</p> <p>The Foundation does not have a website or a formal application form. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=249556</p>
<p>The Bothwell Charitable Trust</p>	<p>Grants between £5,000 and £10,000 to support charitable work across a number of fields, including but not limited to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's causes • Hospices • Countryside projects • Medical research • Disability • Social work <p>Charitable organisations based and working in Great Britain are eligible to apply. Applications can be made at any time.</p> <p>The Trust does not maintain a website, further details can be found on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=299056&subid=0</p>
<p>The Benevolent – Drinks Industry Charity</p>	<p>Practical, emotional and financial help to current and former employees of the drinks industry and their families.</p> <p>The charity can provide one-off or regular financial grants, sheltered accommodation, care home facilities, advice, support and friendship.</p> <p>http://www.thebenevolent.org.uk/</p>
<p>Ideas Mean Business – The Princes Trust and YOU.GOV</p>	<p>The aim of this initiative is to find the next generation of young UK innovators and provide them with support, advice and funding. The programme is open to 18-30 year olds from a wide range of backgrounds who are looking to take their ideas to the next level. It will enable applicants to quickly receive advice,</p>

	<p>guidance and the chance to get access to transformative backing; helping to turn their ideas into reality.</p> <p>The very best ideas will be announced in March 2018 and these future innovators will go on to receive vital funding and ongoing business mentorship.</p> <p>The ‘Young Innovators’ programme of support includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 Regional Innovation Live events across the UK in early January 2018 • Award competition opening in February 2018; and an • Award package being presented in March 2018. <p>The award package will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An allowance to cover living costs (similar to an apprenticeship); • 1:1 coaching and mentoring from an Innovation Champion; • A pot of funding to support specific requirements, e.g. travel to meet customers/partners, attending relevant training courses, equipment, hiring office space and IT support. <p>Applicants who do not win an award package will still have access to the Innovation Module and support offered by Enterprise Online.</p> <p>Applications may be made at any time to the programme – there are no deadlines.</p> <p>https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/help-for-young-people/princes-trust-online/young-innovators</p>
<p><i>The Filey Foundation Ltd</i></p>	<p><i>Small grants to registered charities for education and social welfare.</i></p> <p><i>The Foundation's charitable objectives are:</i></p> <p><i>The advancement of education by providing and assisting in the provision of appropriate facilities required for such purposes; The relief of financial hardship, poverty and sickness by making grants of money for providing or paying for items, services or facilities, or providing such persons with goods or services which they could not otherwise afford through lack of means; and Such other charitable purpose as the Trustees may from time to time authorise</i></p> <p><i>Grant awards are likely to be modest.</i></p>

	<p><i>PLEASE NOTE: the Foundation does not maintain a website, nor does it provide an email address. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>https://beta.companieshouse.gov.uk/company/06603645</p>
Social Investment Fund – Homeless Link	<p>Homeless Link has £4.5m to invest over the next 3 years for charities and social enterprises across England working to reduce homelessness. The programme is said to be the first of its kind exclusively for the homelessness sector and one of very few sector-specific funds in existence.</p> <p>The aim of the fund is to test and learn where social investment can be most effectively used alongside other forms of funding to improve outcomes. It is looking to support organisations to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase the homelessness sector’s knowledge and experience of social investment • develop new models for income generation and funding • improve their long-term sustainability <p>This fund will focus on the potential that smaller unsecured loans can have on creating change. The fund is offering unsecured loans of £25,000 to £150,000, repayable over a maximum term of 48 months.</p> <p>http://www.homeless.org.uk/social-investment</p>

Local Funding and Other Opportunities

Name of Fund	Description
Bath Fundraisers Group – Next Meeting 15 th January 2018	<p>The theme will be: How to make the most of mass participation events.</p> <p>The Panel includes Richard Best of Iconic Cycling Events, Emily Knight of Dorothy House Hospice Care and Cathy Adcock of Julian House</p> <p>It takes place on Monday 15th January 2018, 12.30pm (networking) for 1pm start in the Brunswick Room, The Guildhall, Bath BA1 5AW</p> <p>You are welcome to bring your lunch and drinks with you.</p> <p>Fundraising through mass participation events continues to grow and the Bath Half reported that over £2.25 million was raised by</p>

	<p>charities in 2017. Bike Bath will take place in July 2018 and offers the opportunity for sponsored cyclists to tackle 80, 50 and 25 mile routes. The panel will discuss how best to inspire and engage supporters taking part in challenge events, new opportunities in and around Bath, and look at the benefits and challenges of taking part in mass participation events or organising your own event. Come and share your experiences and learn from other's challenges and successes.</p>
Gigabit Broadband Voucher Scheme	<p>Businesses in Bath & North East Somerset could now benefit from grants of up to £3,000 to get gigabit broadband installed as part of a £2 million trial taking place in just four areas of the country.</p> <p>Suppliers will be offering vouchers worth between £500 and £3,000 each to local businesses which can then be used to pay for the installation of connections that enable speeds of a gigabit, although businesses needn't take the full speed straight away.</p> <p>To see if your business could benefit from this scheme the first steps are to check you are eligible and search for a registered supplier on the scheme portal. The Council will shortly be publishing a list of the suppliers that are willing and able to cover the Bath & North East Somerset area on its website.</p> <p>For more information about the scheme please contact us at E-mail: digital@bathnes.gov.uk or 01225 394378.</p>
Bid Writing Training in Bristol	<p>NFP Bid Writing Workshops taking place in Bristol in the next few months. The fee is £95.</p> <p>http://nfpworkshops.co.uk/</p> <p>Bid Writing : Advanced 18th January 2018 Bid Writing : The Basics 15th March 2018 Bid Writing : Advanced 15th March 2018</p>

See the tables below for more information on these and other funding and opportunities.

Other Support and Advice

New Bill enabling a CIC to convert to a CIO.	Parliament has passed legislation that will enable a Community Interest Company (CIC) and charities with company structures to convert more quickly into a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO).
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	<p>CIOs, which allow charities to enter into contracts as corporate entities with limited liability for trustees and members, were included in the Charities Act 2006. After lengthy delays, they finally became a new legal structure in 2013. Since then 12,500 CIOs have registered with the Charity Commission.</p> <p>This recent legislation will allow charities wishing to convert to do so swiftly as part of a phased timetable (see below) just announced by the Commission.</p> <p>The timetable allows organisations with annual incomes of less than £12,500 to be the first to convert. Organisations with incomes above £500,000 will need to wait until August 2018.</p> <p>The timetable is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday 1 January 2018 for CICs with an annual income of £12,500 or less; • Thursday 1 March 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £12,500 and £25,000; • Tuesday 1 May 2018 for CICs with an income of between £25,000 and £100,000; • Friday 1 June 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £100,000 and £250,000; • Sunday 1 July 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £250,000 and £500,000; and • Wednesday 1 August 2018 for CICs with an annual income of greater than £500,000. <p>Further information about how a charity structure can be changed is available on the GOV.UK website.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/change-your-charity-structure</p>
<p>Civil Society Media – Charity Awards 2018</p>	<p>Civil Society Media is currently accepting entries to the 19th annual Charity Awards from charities of any size based anywhere in the UK who have achieved something exceptional in their work.</p> <p>The annual Charity Awards were established in 2000 by Civil Society Media ‘to recognise those charities that are innovative, exemplify best practice, and deliver sustainable benefit to communities and society in general’.</p> <p>The application deadline is Friday 23rd February.</p> <p>The Awards take place on Thursday 7th June, at The Pavilion, in the grounds of the Tower of London.</p> <p>https://www.civilsociety.co.uk/news/charity-awards-2018-open-</p>

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FUNDING SOURCES

Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline
JANUARY 2018 DEADLINES				
The Countryside Stewardship Woodland Creation Grant	Defra	https://www.gov.uk/government/news/13-million-fund-to-increase-englands-woodland	<p>A stand-alone capital grant offering funding to farmers and other land managers in England to plant young trees that will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protect wildlife • Boost the timber sector • Reduce flood risk <p>The grant provides a one-off payment towards the cost of supplying and planting trees and associated items needed to create new woodland. The maximum available grant per hectare for a given woodland creation application is £6,800 for capital items, covering both planting and protection.</p> <p>Farmers, foresters and land managers can apply for these grants, as long as the land parcels in their application are under their full control for the length of the agreement period.</p> <p>Under the grant annual maintenance, payments are available for 10 years. The following persons or bodies will qualify for assistance: partnerships; tenants; landlords; land owned by public bodies; and businesses receiving other funding or</p>	Opens in January 2018

			<p>managing the land under other agreements.</p> <p>The scheme will open in January 2018 and the application forms and guidance will be available in September 2017.</p>	
Bereavement Care Grants of Hospices	The Masonic Charitable Foundation and Hospice UK	https://www.hospiceuk.org/what-we-offer/grants/open-grant-programmes/details/masonic-charitable-foundation	<p>The aim of this programme is to develop and extend bereavement support services in hospices; the effect of these services would enhance the well-being of bereaved families or individuals.</p> <p>Grants of up to £20,000 are available to support projects running over a period of 18 months. This allows for up to 3 months setup phase and 12 months project delivery – with a further 3 months to cover any unforeseen delays mid project.</p> <p>The funding will enable hospices to initiate build or develop approaches to bereavement care. This can be through a number of ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Putting into practice the recommendations or findings from a local scoping exercise • Piloting a new project based on a robust needs assessment • Adapting existing activities where, through the investment of additional resources, greater impact can be achieved through adoption of new roles and approaches. • All in line with the Bereavement Care Standards 2014 	2 nd January 2018

			Total available funding in this grant round is £150,000. The Foundation expect to award between seven and eight grants in this round. To be eligible for funding the applicant must be a full member of Hospice UK.	
The Commonwealth Foundation Grants	The Commonwealth Foundation	https://commonwealthfoundation.com/	<p>Grants up to £50,000 for projects that strengthen civic voices so that they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are more effective in holding governance institutions to account • Enhance involvement in policy processes • Shape public discourse <p>Projects should address one or both of the following two areas and may include the use of creative expression to achieve project aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stronger civic voice engaging in policy processes to hold government to account • Public discourse more reflective of less-heard voices <p>Registered national and regional civil society/Third Sector organisations are eligible to apply for a grant of up to £50,000 per year over a period of up to 4 years.</p> <p>There is a match funding requirement of at least 10% of the total project cost.</p>	Preliminary applications will be accepted until 5pm on Wednesday 3rd January 2018.

			<p>Projects must take place in any eligible Commonwealth Foundation member country. This includes the United Kingdom, Canada, India and Australia.</p> <p>The average of the applicant's total income over the last two years must be less than £3 million.</p>	
The Share Lab	Nesta	https://www.nesta.org.uk/sharelab-fund	<p>Grants of between £15,000 and £30,000 to support and fund ideas that use collaborative digital platforms to address a social need, thereby helping to relieve pressure on existing local public services.</p> <p>These platforms are likely to take the form of a web-based digital tool, such as an app or a website that helps find, connect or mobilise assets, time, skills, money, resources or people to address a social challenge.</p> <p>The theme of this year's fund is "Prevention".</p> <p>The ideas Nesta wishes to fund should be focused on preventing social problems from starting, from growing worse, or from creating follow-on needs. To be considered for funding, ideas submitted must:</p> <p>Make use of a collaborative digital platform, broadly defined as: "a web based digital tool, such as an app or a website that helps find, connect or mobilise assets, time, skills, money,</p>	<p>The deadline for submitting an Expression of Interest is Friday 5th January 2018.</p> <p>The deadline for full applications is Monday 5th February 2018.</p>

			<p>resources or people to address a social challenge”</p> <p>Clearly demonstrate the ability to contribute to the aim of prevention: directly or indirectly preventing problems from starting, growing worse, or creating follow-on need</p> <p>Focus on areas of prevention that are likely to help relieve pressure on existing local public services provided by local authorities or other public sector organisations.</p> <p>The grants can be used to test an innovative idea, or move from prototype to pilot and can cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct project costs • Related staff costs • Learning and development / user research <p>Nesta is particularly looking for applications from individuals and organisations that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are passionate about the opportunities that new technologies and ways of working can bring to public sector and social challenges • Have a commitment to taking part in workshops and events as part of idea development • Are supported by a competent team who are open to being challenged and supported to grow their idea 	
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			<p>Example initiatives could include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connecting the elderly • Addressing transport poverty • Sharing community resources • Reducing waste and improving sustainability • Supporting communities to help themselves • Supporting people with low-level care needs • Encouraging children to learn and play • Addressing anxiety and mental health issues in young people • Tackling homelessness 	
UK Theatres Small Grants Scheme	Theatres Trust	http://www.theatrestrust.org.uk/uk-theatres-small-grants-scheme	<p>A capital fund that awards up to £5,000 to theatres across the UK run by charities and not-for-profit groups that can clearly demonstrate the value capital improvements to their theatres would make to their work in local communities. Priorities include projects that address urgent building repairs, improve operational viability, introduce environmental improvements, and enhance physical accessibility. Please note that applications for technical equipment and refurbishment of soft furnishings are a low priority for the scheme.</p> <p>In reviewing applications Trustees take into account a project's urgency, other resources</p>	Deadline for this 'round is 7 th January 2018.

			available to the applicant and the extent to which the grant would make a significant difference to promoting the better protection of theatres. Funds are generally awarded where they are considered to have the most impact in realising an applicant's capital project.	
Archives Revealed	National Archives and The Pilgrim Trust	http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/archives-sector/finding-funding/archives-revealed/	<p>Archives Revealed Programme – National Archives and The Pilgrim Trust The only funding stream available in the UK dedicated to cataloguing and unlocking archives, this fund is comprised of two strands:</p> <p><u>Cataloguing Grants</u></p> <p>Up to £40,000 for archives to create catalogues of important archival collections. The grants will open up access to collections that matter to both researchers and communities and increase public engagement with history.</p> <p><u>Scoping Grants</u></p> <p>Up to £3,000 helping archives conduct collection analysis to support development of plans for future cataloguing priorities and projects.</p>	<p>Cataloguing Grants – Phase 1 deadline is 12th January 2018</p> <p>The Scoping Grant programme will open in February 2018.</p>
Funding for community gardening	Grow Wild	https://www.growwilduk.com/project-funding	Grow Wild is awarding funding of £2,000 or £4,000 to groups and projects that:	15 th January 2018

			<p>Stand out from the crowd - think something creative, or even better something that hasn't been done before!</p> <p>Focus on UK native wildflowers, plants and/or fungi, highlighting the importance of these species for the environment, and for quality of life.</p> <p>Will engage one or more of these groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young people aged 12-18 • Students and young people aged 18-25 • People living in urban areas • People experiencing hardship and reduced access to services • Adults that are less engaged with their community and environmental activities <p>Will encourage large scale community involvement, ideally in the hundreds!</p> <p>Will deliver the project in a space or location that is accessible to the general public i.e. is not in a restricted or controlled area.</p>	
Planning Delivery Fund	DCLG	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/planning-delivery-fund-prospectus	<p>The Department for Communities and Local Government is inviting local authorities and third sector organisations to apply for funding to help deliver much-needed new homes and infrastructure across England.</p> <p>The new £25 million Planning Delivery Fund has</p>	Expressions of interest are to be submitted by 11th January 2018.

			<p>been established to support ambitious authorities in areas of high housing need to plan for new homes and infrastructure, equipping them with the resources needed to deliver the agenda set out in the housing white paper of February 2017 and the Autumn Budget.</p> <p>Funding is also offered to local authorities and third sector organisations (in partnership with local authorities, or on their own) to stimulate and support innovation in the way planning services are delivered.</p>	
Beyond Places of Safety	Department of Health	http://www.crisiscareconcordat.org.uk/beyond-places-safety-bpos/	<p>The Department of Health has launched the new £15 million Beyond Places of Safety scheme to better support people at risk of experiencing a mental health crisis in England.</p> <p>The new fund follows on from the £15 million Improving Places of Safety scheme (2015-2017) that aimed to reduce the number of people who end up in a police cell following detention under the Mental Health Act.</p> <p>The scheme is now open to receive bids from Crisis Care Concordat leads. Bidders should download the Beyond Places of Safety Grant Application Guidance and complete the BPos Grant application form. The minimum bid is £5,000.</p>	Final bids must be received in the email inbox bpos@dh.gsi.gov.uk by 23:59 on Sunday 21st January 2018.
National	Vegetarian Society	http://www.nationalvegetarian.org.uk/	If you're planning an activity or event for National	Large Grants

Vegetarian Week (14 th – 20 th May 2018)		arianweek.org/grants/	Vegetarian Week or in the two weeks beforehand, you may be eligible for a small grant of up to £200 or large grant of up to £2,000. Grant applications should come from not for profit organisations and be for activities which promote a vegetarian diet to the wider community.	21st January or 25 th February Small Grants 25 th February or 22 nd April
Local Full Fibre Networks Challenge Fund	DCMS	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/local-full-fibre-networks-challenge-fund	<p>DCMS is providing a £190 million capital grant programme available to public sector organisations in the UK to help deliver the fastest and most reliable digital communications network available.</p> <p>The Local Full Fibre Networks (LFFN) Challenge Fund will support projects that create the conditions to stimulate more commercial investment in order to deliver more gigabit capable connectivity and meet both of the Programme's delivery objectives of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directly maximising the availability and benefit of gigabit capable broadband services to public sector, business and residential users • Improving commercial investment conditions, in local areas (for example, improving the business case for the market to provide more gigabit capable broadband) <p>Projects should enable gigabit capable</p>	26 th January 2018

			<p>connections to key public buildings and/or businesses, with the expectation that this leads to operators creating additional points of connection and access networks available to additional local premises.</p> <p>Projects should be planned and delivered in ways that improve the viability for suppliers to make commercial investments in full fibre in applicants' local area.</p> <p>Applications may come from any public sector body, or group of public bodies in the UK. This includes all tiers of local government and other public sector bodies, for example NHS Clinical Commissioning Groups. Collaborative proposals which cover wide geographical areas that cut across local authority boundaries are welcomed, for example matching a Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) footprint, or Combined Authority areas.</p>	
Tampon Tax	DCMS	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/tampon-tax-fund-application-form-2018-2019-funding-round	<p>The scheme provides funding for projects that focus on one of the following categories:</p> <p><u>Violence against Women and Girls</u> - applications will be considered from organisations that support women and girls affected by or at risk of violence or abuse. This includes domestic violence and abuse, sexual violence, so-called 'honour-based' violence, stalking and prostitution and sex work, and applications are encouraged from consortia</p>	28 th January 2018

			<p>that cover multiple crime types. Projects should include early intervention and prevention of VAWG crimes, as well as victims' services. Proposals must provide additional activity not currently within mainstream provision.</p> <p><u>Mental Health and Wellbeing</u> - applications will be considered from organisations that promote mental wellbeing and the prevention of mental illness for vulnerable and disadvantaged women and girls. This includes applications that promote public health prevention, early intervention, digital innovations, community based provision and working across sectors. Proposals should provide additional activity not currently within mainstream provision.</p> <p><u>General Programme</u> - applications will be considered from organisations working to improve the lives of disadvantaged or underrepresented women and girls.</p> <p>Applications will be considered for projects that are genuine new developments of previously funded projects provided that there are new potential outcomes and there is a proven need for the proposed service.</p> <p>The budget for the Fund for 2018/19 is £15 million. The minimum grant is £1 million. There is no maximum level of grant. The grant must represent more than 50% of the applicant's</p>	
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			<p>collective annual income. Grants may be for one or two year projects, with a maximum of two years up until 31 March 2020.</p> <p>This is primarily a revenue fund, although funding can include a capital element if it relates directly to the project.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: grants payments will be made in arrears through the scheme. Applicant organisations must therefore demonstrate the financial capacity to fund projects.</p>	
Community Led Buildings Grant	Locality	http://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/community-led-buildings/	<p>Any Town or Parish Council, Neighbourhood Forum or qualifying community group can apply for Pre-Feasibility grants (£1000 to £10,000) and Project Support grants (£5000 to £40,000) to help move a community-led building or community-led housing project to the point at which a Community Right to Build Order, or (in the case of community led housing projects only) a traditional planning permission application, can be submitted. These are revenue grants which means that they do not cover the capital costs of land acquisition or actually constructing a building.</p> <p>Funds must be spent by 31st December 2017.</p>	Applications for grant for 2017-18 can be submitted from 1 st February 2017 until 31 st January 2018.
Flexible Learning Fund	Department for Education	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/further-education-flexible-learning-fund	Grant funding up to £1m to develop and expand evidence and insight into the effectiveness of scalable learning delivery methods that make learning more attractive and easier to access for adults.	31 st January 2018

			<p>The Department for Education (DfE) is accepting proposals incorporating the expertise of Further Education (FE) providers, Higher Education Institutions (HEI), research organisations, provider representative bodies, and business support providers.</p> <p>The programme will support a range of projects that will improve the way learning is delivered to adults who:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are either in paid work, or are looking to return to the labour market following an absence • Hold Level 2, 3 or 4 technical skills (or equivalent) and/or have yet to secure basic skills in English, maths or digital, up to and including Level 2. <p>Each project proposal should demonstrate that its target audience fits both of these criteria, and how the method of delivery will cater specifically to the needs of this audience.</p> <p>The Fund has four broad categories of interest. Project proposals should clearly demonstrate that they correspond to one or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delivery on a more flexible or convenient timetable • Making online and blended learning work for adults 	
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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delivery outside the classroom • Delivery methods that allow for caring responsibilities and returning to the labour market <p>A maximum of £1 million in grant funding is available per project. However, the Department for Education is actively encouraging proposals which request a variety of levels of funding, including those requesting amounts significantly lower than this maximum. Under exceptional circumstances DfE will consider proposals which request a grant totalling more than £1 million. Such projects will need to present exceptionally good value for money, and lend itself to more valuable and robust evaluation than would have been possible using only £1 million.</p> <p>There is an expectation that applicants will contribute an element of match funding.</p> <p>Funding may be awarded for two different types of costs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development costs - to support the design and development phase of the project or • Delivery costs - the Department for Education will also consider awarding money, in addition to development costs, to contribute to the additional costs that non-standard forms of delivery accrue, over and above the core costs of delivering 	
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			the provision in the standard way.	
Neighbourhood Planning Grants	Locality	https://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/neighbourhood-planning/	<p>All groups writing a neighbourhood plan or neighbourhood development order are eligible to apply for between £1000 and £9,000 in grant. Groups facing a range of complex issues are able to apply for further support from the programme. This support can come in two forms:</p> <p>Technical support provided by AECOM – there are a range of technical support packages that groups are able to apply for as and when they become needed. Groups are also be eligible to apply for a further grant of up to £6,000 giving a total grant ceiling of £15,000 in the period 2015-18. If your group has already received £8,000 in funding and are still working on your plan, you may apply for further funding up to the maximum of £9,000 (or £15,000 for complex groups). The current programme runs from 2015-18. You can only apply for funds that you can spend within six months or before the end of the current financial year, whichever is the earliest.</p>	Extended from 1 st October 2017 to 31 st January 2018, with funds to be spent by 31 st March 2018.
FEBRUARY 2018 DEADLINES				
GLL Sport Foundation Bursaries	GLL Sport Foundation	http://www.gllsportfoundation.org/eligibility-terms-and-conditions/	<p>Support for talented athletes across the UK.</p> <p>The GLL Sport Foundation is the largest independent athlete support programme in the UK. Last year over 30 talented athletes (from 19 different sports) from across Bath and North East Somerset were funded to help them towards achieving their goals. For many athletes, this is</p>	20 th February 2018

			<p>the only source of funding they receive.</p> <p>See the website for further details.</p>	
Charity Awards 2018	Civil Society Media	https://www.civilsociety.co.uk/news/charity-awards-2018-open-for-entries.html	<p>Civil Society Media is currently accepting entries to the 19th annual Charity Awards from charities of any size based anywhere in the UK who have achieved something exceptional in their work.</p> <p>The annual Charity Awards were established in 2000 by Civil Society Media 'to recognise those charities that are innovative, exemplify best practice, and deliver sustainable benefit to communities and society in general'.</p> <p>The Awards take place on Thursday 7th June, at The Pavilion, in the grounds of the Tower of London.</p>	23 rd February 2018
Rethinking Parks	Big Lottery, Heritage Lottery and Nesta	https://www.nesta.org.uk/project/rethinking-parks	<p>A fund to support innovative ideas to address the challenges faced by parks across the UK. (The previous Rethinking Parks fund ran in 2014). The funding will be split between:</p> <p>Prototyping awards of between £150k and £200k to support ideas that use technology; digital tools and data in ways that will ultimately support parks to attract resources and develop more sustainable operating models and will favour ideas that can demonstrate a clear link to this wider aim.</p> <p>Replication awards of between £70k and £100k</p>	<p>The deadlines for initial applications are:</p> <p>27th February 2018 for Replication Awards 28th March 2018 for Prototyping Awards</p>

			<p>over 9 – 15 months to replicate and run promising and innovative operating models for parks, especially those that can draw upon that which was learned in the 2014 Rethinking Parks programme.</p> <p>There is particular interest in organisations that are interested in setting up a Parks Foundation or including a focus on parks within a Business Improvement District.</p> <p>Not-for-profit organisations, social enterprises and local authorities can apply for either award. Applicants must be based in the UK and have identified a public park/s or park service/s to work with. Applicants must have the landowners permission if they do not directly own the land.</p> <p>Proposals will be accepted from organisations working in partnership as long as one eligible organisation is nominated as the lead.</p> <p>There is a two stage application process. Those who are successful at the initial stage will be selected to work with Nesta to develop their applications for a second selection stage. Final funding decisions will be made in Spring 2018 and work should begin in June 2018.</p>	
The Esmee Fairbairn Collections Fund	The Esmee Fairbairn Foundation and the	http://www.museumsassociation.org/collections/18022011-esmee-	Grants of between £20,000 and £120,000 for museums, galleries and heritage organisations for a project lasting up to three years which develops	There are two application rounds each

<p>- grants for museums, galleries and heritage organisations</p>	<p>Museums Association</p>	<p>fairbairn-collections-fund</p>	<p>collections to achieve social impact. Between 2017 and 2019 it is offering a total of £3.5m in grants, as well as providing events and resources for the whole sector.</p> <p>There are two application rounds each year in March and September, with a short initial application form. Shortlisted applicants are then invited to make a full application. They advise that the guidance for applicants has changed substantially and all potential applicants should read it carefully before applying.</p> <p>They are looking for high quality proposals to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • work with an existing collection or collections to improve understanding of them and increase their use • through that collections work, involve, inspire and have impact on people, communities and audiences <p>To be successful applications will need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • engage local communities and/or those who aren't typical museum attendees and think about social impact • be developmental for the organisation or sector • think about the project's legacy, even if this is hard to define at the start of the project 	<p>year in March and September, with a short initial application form.</p> <p>The deadline for the current round is 5pm on 28th February 2018</p>
<p>MARCH 2018 DEADLINES</p>				

<p>Child Development Programme</p>	<p>The Waterloo Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.waterloofoundation.org.uk/GrantProgrammes.html</p>	<p>This Foundation is interested in the psychological and behavioural development of our children, and particularly in certain neurodevelopmental conditions and the factors that influence them. They fund research, as a main priority but also dissemination of research and to a lesser extent intervention projects.</p> <p>Funding is currently available for the following research projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developmental Trauma • Sleep and/or exercise • Motor Impairments <p>Levels of funding are typically up to £50,000 per research project in the United Kingdom. Applications are welcomed from registered charities and organisations with projects that have a recognisable charitable purpose.</p> <p>Applications for practical or dissemination projects will be accepted throughout the year.</p> <p>Decisions will be made at their Trustees' meeting around four months after the closing dates.</p>	<p>4th March 2018 - Developmental Trauma; Sleep and/or Exercise 1st July 2018 - Motor Impairments; Diet and/or Microbiome</p>
<p>Artists International Development Fund</p>	<p>Arts Council</p>	<p>http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/artists-international-development-fund</p>	<p>Grants of between £1,000 and £5,000 to support international collaboration between artists in England and another country and to aid artistic development.</p> <p>Proposals can be in any of the following art forms:</p>	<p>See website. Next deadline is 7th March 2018</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined arts • Literature • Music • Theatre • Dance • Visual arts <p>Although the programme is aimed at individual artists, small groups of artists who normally collaborate in their work may also apply. This could include, for example, musicians and visual artists who usually create work together, or writers and their translators.</p> <p>Artists that can be funded by this programme include those</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who have received recognition for their work in England; • Who do not have extensive international experience; • Whose work will benefit from launching better international networks - either artistically or in terms of developing an audience for their work; and • Who can demonstrate an interest in their work from an overseas partner/host. <p>Applicants will need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct their own research and have identified and communicated with a potential partner/host in the country they 	
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			<p>wish to visit; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include one or two international visits (for English applicant to travel overseas or overseas partners/collaborators to visit England or both). 	
Grants for the Arts Libraries Fund	The Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/apply-funding/apply-for-funding/grants-arts-libraries-fund/	<p>The aim of the Grants for the Arts Libraries Fund is to inspire innovative partnerships between local authority public libraries and arts organisations, and encourage library users and those living locally to take part in artistic and cultural activities. Applications can be for between £1,000 and £100,000 and may cover activities lasting up to three years. Applications should support arts activities, i.e. time-limited arts projects with their own artistic aims and outcomes. This includes a wide range of arts activities that support, enhance and enrich public libraries' core work, and develop libraries' role as a cultural provider in their communities. Activity must be additional to public libraries' core work. Work that a library service receives funding through the local authority to deliver can't be grant funded through the scheme. The programme can include funding activities involving any of the art forms that come under the Arts Council's remit.</p>	Saturday 31 st March 2018
Post Office Community Fund	Post Office	http://postofficecommunityfund.co.uk/ Contact details for the Fund are:	<p>This £20 million scheme may be of particular interest to rural communities, especially those in which Post Office branches, outreach or satellite services play a particularly important social role in the local community.</p>	Expected to end in March 2018

		<p>Network Transformation Community Fund Post Office Limited 112-114 Camden High Street London NW1 0RR</p> <p>Tel: 0845 266 8790</p> <p>Email: nt.communityfund@post office.co.uk</p>	<p>The Community Branch Fund offers investment for sub-postmasters to support the growth of their Post Office business and help to underpin its long term viability. It can be used for a wide range of improvements such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changing the branch format to open plan New signage or a shop front facelife New flooring, shelving, doors or lighting Improved storage space Market research to better understand customer needs Preparing for new services such as Click & Collect <p>Funding is also available for Outreach and Satellite services. Funded projects must be able to demonstrate how the works undertaken, benefit the overall profitability of the business and improve customers' experience.</p> <p>Grants are generally for up to £10,000, although larger amounts can be awarded. There is no match funding requirement.</p> <p>The Fund is expected to run until 2018 and applicants may consider making more than one application over this period.</p> <p>Other support available through the Community Branch Fund includes professional independent</p>	
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			<p>advice on how to develop the whole business. The Post Office's Retail Support Team can help to develop a potential retail business (the team has already supported many sub-postmasters boost their businesses).</p> <p>While there are no specific exclusions in the programme, potential applicants are requested to liaise with Post Office Limited in the first instance to discuss eligibility, using the contact details provided below.</p> <p>Interested parties are required to complete an application form including details of their investment idea and how much they'd like to apply for. Once the application has been received, the funder may get in touch to talk through some of the details.</p> <p>If the application is successful, Post Office Limited will send confirmation of the investment within 28 days.</p>	
MAY 2018 DEADLINES				
RDPE Growth Programme	Rural Payments Agency and Defra	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/rdpe-growth-programme	<p>You could be eligible for a Growth Programme grant if your business is carrying out a project to create jobs or bring more money into the rural economy.</p> <p>There are 3 types of grant:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business development 	EOI 31 st May 2018

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food processing • Rural tourism infrastructure <p>The grants are funded by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), which is part of the European Structural Investment Funds (ESIF). The whole aim of the RDPE Growth Programme is to create jobs and growth in the rural economy. Applications will need to show how projects will help do this.</p>	
DECEMBER 2018 DEADLINES				
#iwill Take Action Fund	Virgin Money Foundation	https://virginmoneyfoundation.org.uk/grants-programme/iwill/	<p>The Virgin Money Foundation is match funding £850,000 from Big Lottery Fund to create a £1.7million, three year #iwill Take Action Fund.</p> <p>Funding is available under three themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Our Physical Environment: to foster a sense of community pride and empower young people to make the communities they live in a better place. 2. Our Health: to encourage young people to tackle health issues that affect their community using sport and peer networks to raise awareness and to campaign. 3. Our Culture: to enable the voice of young people to be heard. <p>The Foundation wants young people to use art and media as a tool to raise awareness of the issues that matter to them and their communities.</p>	December 2018

			<p>They are looking for projects working with young people aged 10 to 20 or up to 25 for disabled people. Applications will be assessed on how well they reflect the #iwill 6 principles of great social action. There is further information on the 6 principles here: http://www.iwill.org.uk/about-us/principles/</p> <p>In addition, each applicant will need to explain how they intend to work with at least one of the following groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young people living in the top 5% deprived areas of the North East • BAME youth • Young parents • Young offenders • Young homeless people <p>Applications can be from £10,000 to £60,000 for up to two years activity.</p>	
2019 DEADLINES				
Customer and Communities Improvement Fund	GWR	https://www.gwr.com/about-us/supporting-our-community/customer-and-communities-improvement-fund	This fund offers the chance to bid for funding to allow communities to undertake projects that have a social need, educate, or engage with the community throughout the Great Western rail network. It is designed to support schemes that are of real benefit to the community and are not for commercial gain. The type of schemes they are looking for relate to:-	Round 3 will open in April 2018 and close in March 2019.

			<p>Education Outreach Disused Buildings Promotion/Information Provision Station Enhancements Research Cycling Walking</p> <p>The fund is valued at £750k per year until the franchise ends in 2019.</p>	
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LOCAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES				
Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline/s
Community Empowerment Fund	Bath and North East Somerset Council	<p>For more information about the fund and to obtain an application form go to:</p> <p>http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/neighbourhoods-and-community-safety/connecting-communities/community-empowerment-fund</p>	<p>Bath & North East Somerset Council has launched a new, small grants scheme designed to support improvements to a local area or neighbourhood. There is a particular focus on public realm projects such as community gardening and enhancing publicly accessible spaces.</p> <p>The amount of funding available has been based on an allocation of 50p for each resident. This has provided a lump sum for the unparished area of Bath. For the rest of Bath and North East Somerset, a sum per parish will be provided with</p>	31 st January 2018

			<p>a minimum amount of £250 available. Match funding will be required but this can take the form of volunteer time or expertise.</p> <p>Anyone interested in applying will need to obtain endorsement from either the Bath City Forum for projects in the unparished area of Bath, or their local Town or Parish Council. Please be advised that your local Town or Parish Council may have already submitted a project.</p>	
Gigabit Broadband Voucher Scheme	Via Bath and North East Somerset Council		<p>Businesses in Bath & North East Somerset could now benefit from grants of up to £3,000 to get gigabit broadband installed as part of a £2 million trial taking place in just four areas of the country.</p> <p>Suppliers will be offering vouchers worth between £500 and £3,000 each to local businesses which can then be used to pay for the installation of connections that enable speeds of a gigabit, although businesses needn't take the full speed straight away.</p> <p>To see if your business could benefit from this scheme the first steps are to check you are eligible and search for a registered supplier on the scheme portal. The Council will shortly be publishing a list of the suppliers that are willing and able to cover the Bath & North East Somerset area on its website.</p> <p>For more information about the scheme please</p>	Ongoing

			contact us at E-mail: digital@bathnes.gov.uk or 01225 394378.	
Stoke Park Group Friends' Fund Grant	Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/stoke-park-group-friends-2/	<p>Grants up to £2,000 for care trusts, families, carers or other bodies that represent and/or support people who previously enjoyed the facilities provided by the Stoke Park Hospital Group and its outreach provisions, together with other people with learning disabilities who may have used these facilities.</p> <p>Beneficiaries must be living in Bristol, Bath & North East Somerset, North Somerset or South Gloucestershire, except where an individual living outside this area has a clear historic connection with Stoke Park Hospital Group.</p>	Ongoing
Older Person's Grant	Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/older-people/	<p>Grants up to £5,000 for small, local voluntary and community organisations where a small amount of money can make a significant difference. Applications from groups that are making a positive difference to older people's lives are encouraged.</p> <p>Applicant groups must be based and working in Bristol, Bath & North East Somerset, North Somerset or South Gloucestershire.</p>	Ongoing at present
Big Fund for Local Food	Radstock and Westfield Big Local	http://radstockwestfield.org.uk/big-fund-2/	Big Fund for Local Food – Radstock and Westfield Big Local Grants are available from the Big Local Radstock and Westfield for Local Food Projects. These can be any type of project which	Ongoing at present

			<p>enables the residents of Radstock and Westfield to learn more about growing and sourcing local food.</p> <p>There is no maximum grant but applications must be from constituted groups and match funding is required. Applications will be considered on their merit (how much of a lasting change it will bring about and how many people will learn new skills) and value for money.</p> <p>They are also keen to know how the project will be self-sustaining and encourage organisations to build resilience so that they are in a good position to carry on into the future.</p>	
Bath Half Marathon Fund	Bath Half Marathon	http://bathhalf.co.uk/charities/grants-from-the-bath-half-marathon-fund/	Grants of up to £2,000 for local charities, community groups and sports clubs to help local residents who are isolated or facing disadvantage to play, stay fit and improve their health.	Usually end of June annually.
Peasedown St John Parish Council Community Grants Scheme	Peasedown St John Parish Council	http://www.peasedownstjohnparishcouncil.gov.uk/Core/Peasedown-St-John-PC/Pages/CommunityGrants_2.aspx	The Parish Council provides grants to organisations that benefit the community of Peasedown St. John. Village Event Grants are also available if the events are open to all parishioners and have a minimum of 500 people expected to attend. Organisers should be able to demonstrate past achievements in running events.	See website
Peasedown Party in the Park	Peasedown Party in the Park	http://www.peasedownpartyinthepark.org.uk/index.html	Grants of up to £500 for applicants who are part of an organisation that's either based in	See website

Grant Fund		ex.php/latest-news?id=219	Peasedown St John or has beneficiaries in the community that will directly benefit from the funding. The organisation should be not-for-profit, a registered charitable trust, or seeking funding for one-off costs that cannot be met from their existing finances.	
General Funding	The McGreevy No. 5 Settlement	The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information about the Trust is available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=280666&subid=0	The McGreevy No. 5 Settlement A grant-making Trust, established in 1979 that funds across the UK but with some preference for Bristol, Bath and well-known national causes. Grants have been awarded locally to the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance and Julian House. The Trust awards grants to registered charities in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people • Health and well-being • General charitable causes 	Ongoing
Somer Valley Small Grant Programme	Via Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/somer-valley-small-grants-programme	This programme is now open and will remain so until all funds have been awarded. Grants of up to £1,000 are available. To be eligible for a grant from the Somer Valley Programme your work/activity must benefit people who are disadvantaged. The beneficiaries may be disadvantaged due to poverty, disability, age, location or culture. The work/activity should reflect the concerns and	Ongoing until all funds committed.

			<p>priorities of the target beneficiaries and fit well with existing community provision and must be delivered in the Somer Valley.</p> <p>For the purposes of this funding, the Somer Valley is defined as Camerton, Chilcompton, Coleford, Farrington Gurney, High Littleton, Holcombe, Kilmersdon, Midsomer Norton, Paulton, Peasedown St John, Radstock, Shoscombe Stratton-on-the-Fosse, Timsbury and Westfield.</p>	
Express Grant	Quartet Community Fund	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/express/	To be eligible for a grant from the Express Grant Programme the work/activity must benefit people who are disadvantaged. The beneficiaries may be disadvantaged due to poverty, disability, age, location or culture. The work/activity should reflect the concerns and priorities of the target beneficiaries and fit well with existing community services/activities. Express Grants are targeted at small organisations with charitable aims where a small amount of money can make a significant difference. Applicant organisations can be awarded up to a maximum of £5,000 in any 12 month period.	Ongoing
Paulton Parish Council	Grants Scheme	http://www.paultonparishcouncil.org.uk/paulton-pc/Default.aspx	This scheme aims to support events, projects and items in the village of Paulton. Grants are normally less than £2,000 but more may be granted up to a maximum of £4,000 in exceptional circumstances.	See website

Grants for people in need living within a 5 mile radius of Midsomer Norton	Ralph and Irma Sperring Trust	No website. Contact: Thatcher & Hallam Solicitors Island House Midsomer Norton BA3 2HJ Telephone: 01761 414646 Email: sperringcharity@gmail.com	Grants for people in need who live within a five-mile radius of the Church of St John the Baptist in Midsomer Norton. Apply in writing to the charity's contact address. Applications will be considered quarterly.	Ongoing with quarterly decisions.
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ONGOING WITH ANNUAL DEADLINES				
Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline/s
Educational Grants	The Gilchrist Educational Trust	http://www.gilchristgrants.org.uk/grants-to-organisations.html	<p>This Trust offers educational grants to individuals, organisations and to fund expeditions.</p> <p><u>Grants to Organisations</u></p> <p>Grants of between £500 and £4,000 to fill academic educational gaps or make more widely available a particular aspect of education or learning. The following criteria need to be met:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the project should be capable of benefiting a number of people 	28 th February annually

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the funds sought will be used for a particular academic educational project, or for a specific purpose such as furniture or equipment and not as an addition to the general funds of the applicant. Funds are not available for social educational projects • if the project is overseas, the application must come from an organisation in the U.K. • the proposals should not duplicate work already being done by another organisation, or by this Trust. • the organisation must be either registered as a company in the UK or registered as a Charity in the UK <p>The following are not eligible to apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • primary or secondary schools • organisations or groups seeking funds to be used exclusively to build or renovate buildings • organisations or groups which show evidence of party - political bias • organisations or groups formed for medical purposes, unless there is a significant educational element in the proposal for which funds are sought • organisations or groups seeking funds to help meet administrative or running costs • organisations or groups seeking such a large sum that any contribution from this 	
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			<p>Trust would be a mere “drop in the ocean”</p> <p><u>Grants to Expeditions</u></p> <p>Applications from small or medium-sized British expeditions are considered by the Trustees in April each year. They should meet the following criteria:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the team comprises three or more members, based in a university or research institute, museum or similar not-for-profit agency, the majority of whom are of British nationality • the team proposes to carry out research of a scientific nature • the majority of the team is studying, or has studied, subjects relevant to the expedition’s stated objectives • the expedition has been well planned, has attainable objectives and is not likely to place the lives of the team members at risk • the members of the team are making adequate personal contributions to help meet the cost of the expedition • the host country is keen for the proposed research to be carried out and the results will be a welcome addition to the corpus of knowledge on the subject(s) which already exists • if appropriate, local counterparts will be involved in the proposed research 	
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			This Trust also awards grants to individual students with no deadline. See ongoing grants section for further information.	
Grants for organisations providing legal advice	South West Legal Support Trust	http://www.swlst.org.uk/current-round.html	<p>Grants of between £500 and £5,000 to organisations providing, or facilitating the provision of, free legal advice or assistance in the South West.</p> <p>Preference will be given to activities that enable the provision of free legal advice to members of the public who would otherwise be disadvantaged, though other types of funding needs may be considered.</p> <p>Examples of the type of project that could be supported through the fund include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IT or other equipment that increases an organisation's proven capacity to undertake casework • Help with feasibility or research work on a strategic social welfare legal issue covering a wider than local area • Assistance to match fund other income streams that have been secured for legal advice work • Help with staff training or organisational development that increases effectiveness <p>The Trust will only fund not-for-profit activity.</p>	December annually

Grants for trees for schools and communities	The Tree Council	http://www.treecouncil.org.uk/Grants	<p>Provides grants up to £700 to support tree planting in schools and communities during National Tree Week. This grant is for the planting up to four trees – if more are required, they also run an ‘Orchard Windfalls’ grant scheme.</p> <p>They are scheduled to re-open their funding on 4th December 2017 and close it on 31st March 2018 for tree planting projects taking place during National Tree Week 2018.</p>	31 st March annually for trees to be planted in November of that year.
Grants for agriculture	The Frank Parkinson Agricultural Trust	http://www.afcp.org.uk/node/79	<p>Grants for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The improvement and welfare of British agriculture • The undertaking of agricultural research or the provision of grants in aid of agricultural research • The establishment of scholarships, bursaries and exhibitions at any University, College or other technical institution or under any scheme of training in any branch of the agricultural industry. • The granting of financial assistance in any form and under any conditions to enable young persons of ability who are in need of assistance and are working in the agricultural industry to improve their education and experience by working, training or otherwise • The establishment of convalescent homes, 	21 st December annually for decision the following April. (Smaller grants may be made on an ad hoc basis)

			<p>hospitals, hostels and social and welfare amenities of all kinds for people who work in the agricultural industry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The encouragement and assistance of the social and cultural welfare of people who work in the agricultural industry • The making of grants to any charity or organisation which is carrying on any work in connection with the provision of any of such benefits as aforesaid <p>The Trust will fund universities, colleges or similar organisations where agriculture is taught within Britain. Charities are also eligible to apply.</p> <p>Applicants are advised to apply by the end of the autumn (21st December) to be considered by the Trust at its annual meeting in April.</p> <p>Applicants shortlisted by the trustees are invited to attend the annual meeting to make an oral presentation of the case for funding their project. The Trust will normally give a decision on each grant application within 10 days of the annual meeting.</p> <p>If the request for funding is less than £1,000, the Chairman of the Trust has authority to approve small grants between annual meetings, following consultation with the other Trustees.</p>	
Support for	Ron Pickering	http://rpmf.org.uk/apply-	Financial support for talented young athletes in	November

young athletes	Memorial Fund	grant/	<p>Great Britain aged between 15 and 23 (grants for athletes aged over 23 can be made in exceptional circumstances), ideally while they are still in education.</p> <p>The Fund is designed to assist young athletes with their training and equipment costs and encourage them to continue participating in sport in order that they can reach their potential and learn the ethic of fair play.</p> <p>Grants range in value depending on the athlete's age, ability and personal circumstances but have always had an impact on the athlete's ability to develop with a view to helping recipients make the difficult transition from junior to senior level through support for equipment, specialist coaching or travel and importantly help build the athlete's confidence and self-esteem through recognition.</p> <p>The charity also assists coaches, athletic clubs and the Schools Athletics Associations and in the past has supported the development of Sportshall Athletics around the UK in order to Introduce more young children to athletics.</p> <p>There is no minimum or maximum grant award level for this fund, although allocations are generally less than £500.</p> <p>Applications to the 2018 programme will open in</p>	annually
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			September 2017 for decisions made in January 2018.	
External Grants	Royal British Legion	http://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-support/finance/grants/external-grants/	<p>The Royal British Legion's External Grants programme is open to applications from organisations running, or planning, charitable activities in support of the Armed Forces community.</p> <p>Applications for projects supporting the following outcome themes will be prioritised:</p> <p>Employment and training Family support Homelessness and outreach Supporting the elderly</p> <p>Please note that the Legion is not inviting applications for multi-year funding at this time. Applications will only be considered for 'one off' payments. Continuation funding may be applied for in following years.</p> <p>The typical grant award is not likely to exceed £50,000 – smaller applications are encouraged.</p>	See website
Grants for work or study related to natural history and/or the environment.	Alice McCosh Trust	http://www.thealicemccoshtrust.org.uk/index.htm	<p>Alice McCosh Trust One-off grants of between £300 and £1,000 to advance education by providing or assisting with grants for work or study related to natural history and/or the environment.</p> <p>Examples of suitable activities include:</p>	There is just one round of applications each year, usually between 1st October and

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A school field trip or project • An expedition as part of a research project • The development of new teaching materials for schools or institutes of higher education. <p>While match funding is not an essential requirement, if additional funding is required to complete a project, the applicant must show where the other funding has been obtained from. Applicants must begin their work within 12 months of receiving the award.</p>	30th November. Applications received outside of this timeframe are automatically rejected.
General charitable purposes	The Jenour Foundation	<p><i>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=256637</p> <p>Contact details for the Trust are: Jacqueline Deacy The Jenour Foundation Deloitte PCS Ltd 5 Callaghan Square Cardiff CF10 5BT</p>	<p><i>Grants up to £10,000 for UK charitable organisations carrying out a variety of general charitable purposes in the UK, with a particular - but not exclusive - preference for causes that benefit people in Wales</i></p> <p><i>Applications should be made by submitting a letter, providing brief details of the project and what the funds will be used for.</i></p>	Ongoing but with decisions made each January.

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Grants for countryside conservation projects	Four Winds Trust	<p>No website. Contact</p> <p>Jane Cadbury Secretary The Four Winds Trust 54 Chandos Street Hereford HR4 0EX Tel: 01432 371175 Email: fourwindstrust@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>Grants of between £500 and £1,500 for voluntary organisations undertaking countryside conservation projects in the UK focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The provision and upkeep of youth hostels or special holiday camps • Encouraging people to enjoy the beauties and joys of the countryside • Preserving the open country and rural amenities. <p>Funding is not available for overseas work, expeditions, buildings or individuals</p>	Annual Deadline of 31 st January
<i>Grants for young adults with learning disabilities</i>	<i>Margaret Dobson Further Education Trust</i>	<p>http://www.margaretdobsontrust.btck.co.uk</p>	<p><i>Grants to registered charities working with young adults with learning disabilities on projects that give them the skills to lead more fulfilled and independent lives. Funding can cover salaries, equipment, printing/marketing and in some circumstances, running costs.</i></p>	Annual Deadline of 31 st March
The Association for Industrial Archaeology (AIA) Grants	The Association for Industrial Archaeology (AIA)	<p>http://industrial-archaeology.org/aia-awards/restoration-grants/</p>	<p>Grants for the restoration of historically, technically, architecturally, and/or archaeologically important industrial buildings, structures, machinery, vehicles and vessels within the UK. The application will usually relate to a single, tangible structure or artefact and can be used either for new projects or projects that have begun but need further funding for completion.</p>	Annual Deadline of 31 st March

Grants for Summer Play Schemes	The Hilden Charitable Fund	http://www.hildencharitablefund.org.uk/summer%20playcheme%20guidelines.htm	<p>Grants of between £500 and £1,500 to support community groups with summer play schemes for children in disadvantaged communities. Some priority will be given to projects which show they are inclusive of children from refugee families, and show BME involvement. Trustees look to fund:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Projects for children aged 5 to 18 years • Locally based schemes lasting from 2 to 6 weeks • Schemes with strong volunteer support <p>Applications are accepted from voluntary agencies with an income of less than £150,000. Trustees will accept applications from across the UK.</p>	The 2017 deadline was 24 th May.
Grants for Sports Groups	Cash4Clubs	http://www.cash-4-clubs.com/	Grants of up to £1,000 for sports groups to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications and generally invest in the sustainability of their club.	2017 deadline was 26 th May
The M&S Energy Community Energy Fund	Marks and Spencer	https://www.mandsenergyfund.com/	Are you a not-for-profit project that wants to use renewable energy to provide community benefits? Whether you're a community energy group, a sports club or simply an organisation that wants to have a positive impact on the environment, this is for you.	The 2017 deadline was 3 rd July
Grants	Information	https://ico.org.uk/about-	The Information Commissioner's Office invites	The 2017

Programme	Commissioner's Office	the-ico/what-we-do/grants-programme/	<p>organisations to bid for funding to support independent research into privacy and data protection issues and develop privacy enhancing solutions.</p> <p>The programme is open to academic institutions, civil society groups, trade and industry associations and organisations with a genuine commitment to public benefit outcomes. A number of awards will be made each year of between £20,000 and £100,000.</p>	deadline was 28th July
The Dream Fund	People's Postcode Lottery	http://www.postcodedreamtrust.org.uk/dream-fund	<p>Grants of between £500,000 and £1 million available for 3 or 4 British charities to deliver a project between 2018 and 2020.</p> <p>An element of match funding is not essential, but is encouraged.</p> <p>There are four funding priorities for 2018-2020:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supporting families; 2. Green communities; 3. Young people; 4. Improving people's lives through animals 	August annually
Jeans for Genes/Genetic Disorders UK	Jeans for Genes/Genetic Disorders UK	http://www.geneticdisordersuk.org/grantprogramme/	Grants of up to £5,000 for UK registered charities and support groups for projects (one year duration or less) that benefit children aged 18 years or under who are affected by genetic disorder.	The 2018 programme opened on 1 st August 2017

<p>Grants for disadvantaged groups</p>	<p>The Edgar E Lawley Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.edgarelawleyfoundation.org.uk/</p>	<p>The Edgar E Lawley Foundation prefers to support small charities that engage in and run community projects for the benefit of disadvantaged groups. In particular</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elderly people in need • Educational purposes with reference to the arts, commerce and industry • Children and young people • Medicine and medical research • People with disabilities • Hospices and other miscellaneous projects. <p>Grants typically in the region of £1,500</p>	<p>No earlier than 1st August for deadline of 31st October for decision in January</p>
<p>Kickstart Awards</p>	<p>Baldwin's Accountants</p>	<p>https://www.baldwinsaccountants.co.uk/kickstart/about</p>	<p>An annual award programme for young entrepreneurs who have a good idea and would like to start their own business. The programme is run by Baldwins Accountants to find and develop young entrepreneurs by giving them financial support, mentoring and business advice. The programme is open to young people aged between 18 and 25 who either have an idea and a business plan but are yet to start trading, or a newly founded start-up businesses where trading commenced on or after 31 August 2016. The winner of the award will be given a grant of £10,000 coupled with £10,000 worth of mentoring and accountancy advice. Two runners-up will be presented with £5,000 worth of accountancy advice and mentoring fees over a period of one</p>	<p>Deadline of August</p>

			year.	
Grants for South West projects – music, children and young people’s welfare, arts	The Joyce Fletcher Charitable Trust	http://www.joycefletchercharitabletrust.co.uk/application-details.html	Grants of between £500 and £2,000 (occasionally up to £5,000) to support projects in South West England with the following themes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Music in a social or therapeutic context • Music and special needs • Children and young people’s welfare • Arts activities 	Annual deadline of 1 st November applications by September preferred.
The Aviva Community Fund	Aviva Insurance Company	http://www.aviva.co.uk/good-thinking/community-fund/	The Community Fund operates like a competition with the most-voted for projects receiving funding or going forward to a judging panel depending on the amount of funding requested. Awards will be made against the following 6 categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health, Disability and Well-being • Supporting the Younger Generation – • Supporting the Older Generation • Sport in the Community • Environment in Association with the Mirror • Community Support 	Deadline in October annually.
<i>Grants for charitable purposes</i>	<i>The Jug of Oil Trust</i>	<i>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</i> http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=	<i>This is a Bath based charity that makes modest financial grants to small charities operating in the UK and overseas. At present the Trust is particularly interested in helping disadvantaged communities, young people and the socially excluded. The Trust does not accept requests from charities with an annual income of more than £100,000. Grants are made at the end of the</i>	<i>Ongoing with grants usually considered at the end of November.</i>

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<i>Grants for older people</i>	<i>The Robert McAlpine Foundation</i>	<i>No website. Contact: Gillian Bush Robert McAlpine Foundation Eaton Court Maylands Avenue Hemel Hemstead Hertfordshire HP2 7TR Email: foundation@srm.com</i>	<i>Grants between £2,500 and £10,000 for registered charities undertaking projects for the benefit of older people. Funding is not available for individuals or overhead costs. Eligible organisations must meet the following requirements:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Be a registered charity;</i> • <i>Have an annual income of less than £1 million</i> 	<i>Applications may be made at any time for consideration each November</i>

ONGOING WITH MULTIPLE DEADLINES				
Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadlines
Grants, mentoring and advice	The Bulldog Trust and The Fore	http://www.thefore.org/charities/	<p>The Bulldog Trust is launching a major expansion of its funding programme – The Fore (a part of the Bulldog Trust) will elevate dynamic small charities with funding and expertise to increase connections, share skills and strengthen society as a whole.</p> <p>Over the next three years up to 2020, the Fore will develop, scale up or improve the highest-quality early-stage charities and social enterprises. Dynamic small charities will be</p>	March, July and early December 2018

			<p>empowered to succeed in collaboration with carefully selected members of the business community.</p> <p>The Trust will provide grants of up to £30,000 over 1 to 3 years and access to business expertise, including mentoring, strategic advice, governance support or other assistance to help successful applicants achieve their goals.</p> <p>Applicants need to be UK registered, and should be a charity, social enterprise or community interest company to apply. Organisations that are unregistered are unable to apply.</p> <p>Funding can be used for a wide range of charitable causes in areas such as the arts, community, education, environment and wildlife, health and micro-finance and the developing world. (Funding for charitable activities overseas will only be awarded to organisations based in the UK.)</p> <p>The funding is intended for charities and organisations where the grant will do one or both of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generate a result which is proportionately much greater than just the small sum of money received; and/or • Allow the organisation to overcome a temporary hurdle, setting it on track to 	
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			<p>succeed in what it aims to do</p> <p>The grant should have the potential to transform the organisation being supported; enabling the grant recipient to take a step forward in its development and do something that it was not able to do before.</p> <p>To apply for funding, organisations must register at the start of each funding round. Numbers for each round are capped to ensure the Trust is able to give every applicant the attention it deserves.</p> <p>Registration is run on a first-come, first-serve basis and once the cap is reached, the round is closed. Therefore, applicants are advised to register as early as they can.</p> <p>Once successfully registered, organisations are invited to submit a simple application via a secure weblink.</p>	
Grants for contemporary music	The Hinrichsen Foundation	http://www.hinrichsenfoundation.org.uk/	<p>Grants up to £1,000 to support the performance of contemporary music, including the commissioning of new work, non-commercial recording or publication.</p> <p>The Foundation will also occasionally provide funds for research projects not being conducted under the umbrella of an academic institution.</p> <p>Grants are assessed on a quarterly basis and</p>	Decisions made quarterly from February each year.

			individuals, organisations and charities may apply.	
<i>Funding for the Arts, Medical Welfare and the Environment</i>	<i>The D'oyly Carte Charitable Trust</i>	<i>http://www.doylycartecharitabletrust.org/how-to-apply/</i>	<p><i>Grants of between £500 and £5,000 to UK registered charities for core and project costs in the following fields:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• The Arts</i> <i>• Medical Welfare</i> <i>• The Environment</i> <p><i>The vast majority of grants awarded are one-off and must be spent within 12 months of the award. An element of match funding is welcomed. Applicants who have been unsuccessful with an application to the Trust may not re-apply for a period of two years.</i></p>	<i>February, June and October</i>
<i>Grants to charities for a range of purposes</i>	<i>The Robert Clutterbuck Charitable Trust</i>	<i>http://www.clutterbucktrust.org.uk/</i>	<p><i>The Robert Clutterbuck Charitable Trust awards grants up to £3,000 to registered charities for projects in the following fields:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• Personnel within the armed forces and ex-servicemen and women</i> <i>• Sport and recreational facilities for young people</i> <i>• The welfare, protection and preservation of domestic animal life Natural history and wildlife</i> <i>• Charities which would have had particular appeal to the founder</i> 	<i>31st December and 30th June.</i>

			<p><i>While the Trust has a clearly stated preference for funding charitable initiatives in Cheshire and Hertfordshire, it will fund other projects in England and Wales.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust will not award grants to individuals or to cover running costs.</i></p>	
<p><i>Grants to sustainably improve lives of The sick; the elderly; the disabled; the disadvantaged</i></p>	<p><i>The Green Hall Foundation</i></p>	<p><i>http://greenhallfoundation.org/how-to-apply/</i></p>	<p><i>Grants of between £1,000 and £10,000 to UK registered charities to sustainably improve lives among:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• The sick</i> <i>• The elderly</i> <i>• The disabled</i> <i>• The disadvantaged</i> <p><i>PLEASE NOTE, however, that each financial year the Trustee nominate a specific charitable sector for support. For 2017 the Foundation provided grants to cover research projects and projects requesting the purchase of specific equipment.</i></p> <p><i>The Foundation's preference is to fund in the UK (with some additional emphasis on Yorkshire), although overseas projects are also supported provided that the applicant charity is registered in the UK.</i></p> <p><i>Priority is given to appeals where the Foundation can meet a significant proportion of the funding required and to appeals where permanent</i></p>	<p><i>Application periods open on 1st May and 1st November each year at 9am. Only the first 100 applications will go forward to the Trustees for consideration at each meeting. Once the limit has been reached, the application cycle will be closed, which is normally within a couple of days</i></p>

			<p><i>equipment or building is needed, as opposed to funding salaries or the charity's running costs.</i></p> <p><i>Applicants are required to register at the Foundation's website to access the online application form. Only online applications are accepted.</i></p>	
Skills and Opportunities Fund	Nat West Bank	http://skillsandopportunitiesfund.natwest.com/	<p>In 2017 Nat West Bank made £2 million available across England and Wales through their Skills & Opportunities Fund. Regional boards (with the help of a public vote) determine the destination of grants of up to £35,000.</p> <p>If you are a not-for-profit organisation and have a project aimed at helping people to help themselves, in the areas of financial capability and enterprise, then keep an eye out for their next application window.</p>	See website
The Esmee Fairbairn Collections Fund - grants for museums, galleries and heritage organisations	The Esmee Fairbairn Foundation and the Museums Association	http://www.museumsassociation.org/collections/18022011-esmee-fairbairn-collections-fund	<p>Grants of between £20,000 and £120,000 for museums, galleries and heritage organisations for a project lasting up to three years which develops collections to achieve social impact. Between 2017 and 2019 it is offering a total of £3.5m in grants, as well as providing events and resources for the whole sector.</p> <p>There are two application rounds each year in March and September, with a short initial application form. Shortlisted applicants are then invited to make a full application. They advise that</p>	<p>There are two application rounds each year in March and September, with a short initial application form.</p> <p>The deadline</p>

			<p>the guidance for applicants has changed substantially and all potential applicants should read it carefully before applying.</p> <p>They are looking for high quality proposals to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • work with an existing collection or collections to improve understanding of them and increase their use • through that collections work, involve, inspire and have impact on people, communities and audiences <p>To be successful applications will need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • engage local communities and/or those who aren't typical museum attendees and think about social impact • be developmental for the organisation or sector • think about the project's legacy, even if this is hard to define at the start of the project 	<p>for the current round is 5pm on 28th February 2018</p>
Grants to support rowing	The Rowing Foundation	http://www.therowingfoundation.org.uk/home/	<p>Grants of between £500 and £3,000 (up to 50% of the overall cost of the project) to support rowing in Britain, with a preference for encouraging participation by young or disabled people through the provision of equipment.</p> <p>Grants are predominantly made to schools, student bodies and for the junior sections of adult clubs in Britain that are involved in the water elements of the sport of rowing and who are</p>	<p>6th November 2017 (there are two funding rounds per year)</p>

			individually affiliated to British Rowing (other than via their governing body).	
Legal Fund for Vulnerable Young Migrants	Esmee Fairbairn Foundation	<p>http://strategiclegalfund.org.uk/how-to-apply/</p> <p>Potential applicants are advised to contact the Programme Manager, Bella Kosmala (details below), before applying.</p> <p>Tel: 0207 251 8383 Email: bella.kosmala@ilpa.org.uk</p>	<p>A new fund with a budget of £450,000 available from October 2017 to September 2020. The maximum grant available is £30,000, although the average grant size is likely to be around £12,000.</p> <p>The Fund will support strategic legal work in any area of law where vulnerable young migrants experience disadvantage or discrimination as a result of migration status. For the purposes of the fund, Young Migrants are defined as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Migrants, or the children of migrants; • Migrants who are aged under 25 years; • Migrants who are living in poverty; and • Migrants who face significant disadvantage or discrimination in connection with their (or their parent's) migration status. <p>Strategic legal work is defined in the UK as work where the impact is likely to go beyond an individual case, and could result in changes to law, policy and practice that will benefit a wider group of people. Applications must be to fund one of two kinds of strategic legal work:</p> <p>1. The research and development of cases pre-litigation including: gathering evidence to test a hypothesis or research to establish authorities' policy and practice, identifying potential</p>	<p>There will be six funding rounds between November 2017 and September 2020. The first three deadlines are:</p> <p>Friday 3rd November 2017 Friday 12th January 2018; and Friday 2nd March 2018.</p>

			<p>plaintiffs/applicants/appellants; researching whether to proceed; translating relevant material; and evaluating a litigation strategy. and/or</p> <p>2. 3rd party "interventions" in existing cases, which allow a non-party intervener to assist the court in arriving in its decision in a case, acting as an amicus curiae, a friend of the court. The funding will cover 'any reasonable revenue costs' that are incurred to undertake proposed pre-litigation research or to prepare third party intervention. This includes temporary staffing, freeing up or extending existing staff hours, volunteer expenses, travel and subcontracting with other voluntary and community organisations.</p> <p>Applications may be made by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UK not-for-profit organisations that provide specialist level legal advice to vulnerable young migrants; or • Firms of solicitors that provide specialist level legal advice to vulnerable young migrants and can demonstrate that the funded work does not include any element of profit and there is a pro bono element included. 	
Grants for marine conservation projects	National Aquarium Ltd	http://www.national-aquarium.co.uk/about-us/	A south west (Plymouth) charity which aims to increase awareness of the marine environment and the need for conservation.	Deadlines are 1st May and 1st November annually.

			<p>Conservation charities, community groups, schools, colleges and individuals are eligible to apply for a grant of (usually) between £1,200 and £5,000 for projects that address the theme of 'Conservation through Engagement' for research-based, conservation-focused, educational or community events. This includes projects which enable individuals and communities to enjoy the seas, learn about the seas and, ultimately, develop active caring attitudes and behaviours.</p> <p>Projects which target disadvantaged groups are encouraged, while those that demonstrate a novel approach are more likely to attract support.</p> <p>The funder prefers to see some match funding in place for all applications.</p> <p>Funding is not available for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student projects • Gap year travel costs • Any project in which the majority of costs are travel related 	
<i>Grants for young people</i>	<i>The Magdalen Hospital Trust</i>	<i>http://www.magdalentrust.org.uk/</i>	<i>Grants of between £500 and £2,000 to promote the welfare of young people under the age of 25 years, who suffer from various effects of social deprivation, abuse, mental and physical handicap, inadequate housing, lack of education or training, and the problems derived from unemployment and broken families.</i>	<i>30th April and 31st October annually</i>

			<p><i>Funding is available for:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Projects that provide training for work and personal development</i> • <i>Clubs</i> • <i>Crime prevention</i> • <i>Emergency care</i> • <i>Play schemes</i> • <i>Mental health support and counselling</i> <p><i>Charities registered with the Charity Commission in the UK with an annual income of less than £150,000 are eligible to apply.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust likes to fund project costs rather than core costs.</i></p> <p><i>Grants are usually made on a one-off basis. There is some expectation that applicants will have a degree of match funding in place</i></p>	
<p><i>Grants to support children, young people and the disabled</i></p>	<p><i>The Sylvia Adams Charitable Trust</i></p>	<p>http://sylvia-adams.org.uk/</p>	<p><i>Grants to charities to support children, young people and the disabled. It is currently only providing funding for Early Years Preventative work in England and Wales.</i></p> <p><i>It is looking to support charities who work with disadvantaged children aged 0-3 years. Grants may be awarded for 1, 2 or 3 years with a maximum grant of £50,000.</i></p>	<p><i>Two deadlines per year – usually 30th April and 30th November</i></p>

Funding for the visual arts – particularly sculpture	The Henry Moore Foundation	https://www.henry-moore.org/grants/grants-programme	The Henry Moore Foundation Grants up to £20,000 for the visual arts – particularly sculpture -including exhibitions, publications, commissions, conferences, workshops and lecture series. Support is available for international sculpture in Britain as well as British sculpture abroad.	8th December 2017. There will be one more in 2017/18, probably during the first week of March
<i>Capital Grants for Homeless Charities</i>	<i>Help the Homeless</i>	http://www.help-the-homeless.org.uk/applyin-g-for-funding/	<p><i>Provides a capital grant scheme to support small and medium-sized UK charities that work to help homeless people rebuild their lives and re-enter society. Grants of up to £5,000 are available.</i></p> <p><i>Funding is targeted at projects to find practical ways to help disadvantaged individuals return to the community through training or residential facility provision, rather than providing short term shelter.</i></p> <p><i>Homeless hostels, drop-in centres and similar charities can be supported. Occasionally, larger amounts of funding can be made available, especially to those organisations which are preparing people to take their place once more in society by becoming less dependent on charitable or state funding.</i></p> <p><i>Applicants must be charities registered with the Charity Commission and have an annual turnover of less than £1 million.</i></p>	<p><i>Applications are considered quarterly. The annual deadlines are:</i></p> <p><i>15th March</i> <i>15th June</i> <i>15th Sept</i> <i>15th Dec</i></p>

Research Project Grants	The Leverhulme Trust	https://www.leverhulme.ac.uk/funding/grant-funding	<p>Grants of up to £500,000 available to support research programmes that run up to 5 years and explore significant issues in the social sciences, humanities and, to a lesser extent, the sciences, by providing financial support for the salaries of research staff engaged on a specific project, together with associated costs directly related to the proposed research.</p> <p>The award is paid directly to the institution at which the applicant is employed.</p> <p>There is no specific requirement for match funding – the Trust will fund the entire cost of a research project. At least 75% of the resources requested must be used to provide funding for research staff (for example, research assistants, doctoral students) who will each work specifically on the project with the applicant, and at least one research assistant, local researcher or PhD student must spend at least 50% of their time on the project. Associated research costs can be included up to a maximum of 25% of the total budget. These costs must be directly related to the research activity.</p> <p>The annual deadlines for detailed applications are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <p>First stage applications must be made using the</p>	<p>Annual deadlines of</p> <p>21st March 1st September 1st December</p>
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			Trust's online grant application procedure. Successful first stage applicants will be invited to apply to the second and final stage.	
Transforming British Tennis Together Fund and Growing the Game Fund	Lawn Tennis Association	https://www.lta.org.uk/	<p>Grants for groups and organisations to increase the number of people playing tennis and improve the quality and standard of tennis facilities in Great Britain.</p> <p>The Lawn Tennis Association (LTA) has two key objectives for the period 2017-2027:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To double the number of children playing tennis. • To double the number of times infrequent adults play tennis. <p>The following funding is available for applicants, who must be a partnership of organisations with a commitment to improving tennis in their area.</p> <p><u>Transforming British Tennis Together Fund</u></p> <p>This is aimed at getting more people playing tennis at a grassroots level and in order to realise this, communities need three critical things:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • accessible facilities where local people can play, rain or shine • great people to operate these facilities • an easy way for players to find and book 	See website

			<p style="text-align: center;">courts</p> <p>The LTA want to see multiple organisations coming together to create hundreds of thriving 'Community Tennis Networks'. The grant prioritises the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Floodlights • Covered courts (primarily framed fabric, bubbles or other low cost structures); • Social facilities (including cafes and clubhouses); • Multi-sports surfaces suitable for tennis; • Accessible facilities that cater for disabled players • Tennis facilities at multi-sport venues, whether indoor or outdoor • Creative ideas on how existing facilities can be altered to support Community Tennis Networks <p><u>Growing the Game Fund</u></p> <p>This fund is designed to support smaller venues who, primarily for geographical reasons, cannot be part of a broader Community Tennis Network. It is primarily focused on refurbishing courts and installing floodlights, however refurbishment of clubhouses/social spaces may be funded for the right projects. The support will be more streamlined for this grant. Bids to the LTA must</p>	
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			<p>include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plans to increase the number of covered or floodlit courts within a network of venues • Plans to implement online booking and a simple court access system in a network of venues <p>Applications for the Growing the Game grants will be accepted at any time and reviewed several times a year.</p> <p>There are no minimum of maximum award levels for the two grant schemes available but match funding is required for both grant programmes.</p>	
Grants for rural communities	The Prince's Countryside Fund	http://www.princescountysidefund.org.uk/grant-giving-programme/grant-programme	<p>Grants of up to £50,000 available for innovative projects that result in a long-term positive impact on rural communities by helping the people that live and work in the countryside. The grant programme currently aims to tackle the following key rural issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To improve the prospects of viability for family farm businesses • To sustain rural communities and drive economic vibrancy • To support aid delivery in emergency and building resilience 	Ongoing – see website for latest deadlines
Grants to raise the standards of	TDS Foundation		This is a charity with a mission to raise the standards of private rented housing management.	Ongoing – see website for

private rented housing management		http://tdsfoundation.org.uk/#apply-for-funding	<p>They are currently keen to fund projects which promote knowledge of landlords' obligations or promote knowledge of tenants' rights & responsibilities. They currently have three funding streams available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A national funding stream for larger projects with national impact (c.£50,000 per project); • An innovation fund to enable riskier projects to be funded (c. £25,000 per project); and • A community stream for local projects broadly £10,000 per project) 	latest deadlines.
Grants for learning difficulties and autism	The Baily Thomas Charitable Fund	http://www.bailythomas.org.uk/applications/meetingsanddeadlines	<p>Grants to assist with the care and relief of those affected by severe learning difficulties or autism. Its funding is focussed on community projects and research.</p> <p>The following grant programmes are available:</p> <p>General Grants from £250 Small Grants of up to £5,000 Research Grants from £250 upwards (with no upper limit).</p> <p>A limited fund is available for research projects.</p> <p>Funding is normally considered for capital or revenue costs and for both specific projects and general running and core costs. Normally one-off</p>	<p>Applications for grants under £10,000 may be made at any time.</p> <p>Deadlines for submitting a request for funding over £10,000 are:</p> <p>1st March for consideration at the June meeting; 1st August for</p>

			<p>grants are awarded but exceptionally, a new project may be funded over two or three years, subject to satisfactory progress reports.</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>consideration at the November meeting. 1st December for consideration at the March meeting</p>
<p><i>Grants which benefit people with a learning disability</i></p>	<p><i>The Rix-Thompson-Rothenburg Foundation</i></p>	<p><i>The Foundation does not maintain a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=285368</p>	<p><i>Grants of between £2,000 and £6,000 to charities registered with the Charity Commission which benefit people with a learning disability, their family and/or carers. The Foundation places a particular emphasis on initiatives that enhance opportunity and lifestyle. Previous awards indicate a strong preference for arts based. There is no requirement for match funding.</i></p> <p><i>All applicants must complete an application form and provide a copy of their latest audited accounts. In the first instance the applicant should discuss the proposed work either by telephone, email or letter to the Administrator, a minimum of four months in advance of a board meeting. An application form will be provided by the Foundation following the discussion with the Administrator and providing the project in question is eligible.</i></p>	<p><i>Applications may be made at any time in writing and are considered twice a year, normally in June and December.</i></p>
<p>Funding for women</p>	<p>The Feminist Review</p>	<p>http://www.feminist-review-</p>	<p>Grants up to £15,000 for projects which:-</p>	<p>31st January</p>

		trust.com/guidelines/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • advance the education of the public in the subject of gender • promote equality of opportunity between women and men in any part of the world • alleviate poverty and hardship by promoting and advancing good health and education among women in any part of the world <p>In 2017 and 2018 the Trust is particularly interested in supporting projects in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lesbian and transgender rights • Violence against women and girls • Disabled women and girls <p>Individuals and organisations in the UK and internationally are eligible to apply.</p>	<p>2018</p> <p>30th April 2018</p> <p>30th September 2018</p>
Community Project Grants	Dunhill Medical Trust	http://dunhillmedical.org.uk/	<p>The Dunhill Medical Trust's key areas for grant support are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The care of older people, including rehabilitation and palliative care; and • Projects which, if successful, could enable applicants to apply for funding from other sources. <p>Applications are accepted from charitable organisations or groups as defined by UK charity law. This includes UK registered charities and</p>	<p>End of March and end of September annually.</p>

			<p>relevant exempt charities.</p> <p>Proposals from non-charitable organisations (such as the NHS or social enterprises) may be considered in exceptional circumstances and where the purposes for which the grant is sought are (a) charitable; and (b) for the public benefit.</p> <p>The Trust offers 3 funding streams:</p> <p>Project grants of between £5,000 and £40,000 for projects lasting up to 36 months; Building and physical infrastructure grants of between £5,000 and £100,000; and Capability development grants of between £100 and £5,000.</p> <p>Match funding of 50% is required for building and infrastructure grants. Match funding is not required for equipment.</p> <p>There are two funding rounds per year with deadlines at the end of March and end of September.</p>	
Grants for cultural activities for the elderly	The Concertina Charitable Trust	http://www.concertinamusic.org.uk/index.html	<p>Small grants of up to £250 to charities that provide musical and cultural activities for the elderly community in need.</p> <p>These include funds to many care homes for the elderly, often to provide musical entertainment or related activities to brighten the lives of residents</p>	The Trust's annual application deadlines are:

			<p>and provide a therapeutic benefit to their health and well-being.</p> <p>The Trust usually wants to see that applicants have attracted matched funding for any proposed activities.</p> <p>Previous awards have included The Bath Recital Artists Trust to organise a tea party for Senior Citizens and then a free concert at the Pump Room, Bath.</p>	<p>30th April</p> <p>31st October</p>
British Small Business Grants	smallbusiness.co.uk	http://britishsmallbusinessgrants.uk/	<p>A monthly grant competition offering funding up to £5,000 to help start-up and early-stage businesses in the UK become established and grow their operations into successful enterprises.</p> <p>Small businesses in the UK that are actively trading, at least one year old and with a turnover between £50,000 and £500,000 annually may apply. Small businesses are those that employ fewer than 50 staff.</p> <p>To apply, business owners should complete the application form and describe their business. They should detail key achievements, using figures and examples where possible, such as turnover growth, key contracts won, partnerships forged, or anything else that helped their company move forward.</p>	Monthly
<i>Benevolent Fund</i>	<i>The Weaver's</i>	http://weavers.org.uk/ch	<i>Grants of up to £15,000 annually for three years</i>	<i>Annual</i>

	<i>Company</i>	<u>aritable-grants</u>	<p><i>to support projects which aim to help young people (5 – 30 years) at risk of criminal involvement to stay out of trouble and assist in the rehabilitation of offenders, particularly young offenders both in prison and after release.</i></p> <p><i>There is a requirement for both match funding and a need to demonstrate how projects will be sustained beyond the funding term.</i></p> <p><i>UK registered charities or organisations in the process of applying for registration are eligible to apply. Priority will be given to smaller organisations which are offering to provide direct services.</i></p>	<p><i>deadlines of</i></p> <p><i>31st March</i></p> <p><i>31st July</i></p> <p><i>30th November</i></p>
<i>Small Grants</i>	<i>The Kusuma Trust UK</i>	<u>http://www.kusumatrust.org/our-work/united-kingdom/small-grants/</u>	<p><i>The Kusuma Trust UK is an independent grant making organisation that aims to facilitate and increase access to education and other life opportunities for children and young people, with a focus on the most disadvantaged. The Trust provides grants up to a maximum of £10,000 for UK that enable disadvantaged young people (aged 11 – 21) to have more opportunities in education or employment.</i></p> <p><i>Particular merit will be given to organisations that meet one of the following criteria:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• Work with young people outside a formal setting</i> <i>• Target young people no longer in school,</i> 	<i>See website</i>

			<p><i>supporting them in life skills or employability</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Further education or apprenticeships</i> 	
Grants for financial life skills - two themed grant rounds per year, four themes rotate through a two year cycle	Money Saving Expert Charity	http://www.msecharity.com/	This Charity has various rounds of funding for projects that focus on delivering financial life skills to different defined groups. The majority of the grants made are for activity costs although some grants fund salaries and running costs. They do not fund capital costs. The majority of grants given are under £5,000 but exceptional applications could go up to £10,000. They limit each grant round to the first 40 applications, so please apply early.	See website
The Litter Innovation Fund	WRAP	http://www.wrap.org.uk/content/litter-innovation-fund	<p>A new £450,000 government scheme managed by WRAP the Waste and Resources Action Programme (WRAP).</p> <p>The scheme is designed to reduce litter by funding innovative approaches in England to pilot, implement and evaluate small scale local research projects that could be replicated more widely.</p> <p>The maximum grant available is £10,000. There is a match funding requirement, which can be in cash or as in-kind contributions.</p> <p>All projects should be completed within six months from the date of the award being confirmed.</p>	Closed for 2017 but see website for further rounds.

			<p>Grants are for projects that fall into at least one of the following three themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Awareness • Economic strategies • Infrastructure 	
Curiosity Fund	BBC Children in Need	http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/5XVRLVfFH69tKhN2K5jkKqj/curiosity	<p>Grants up to £10,000 to UK not-for-profit organisations for projects which engage children and young people experiencing disadvantage in science based activities.</p> <p>Children in Need qualifies 'disadvantage' as beneficiaries who have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An illness, experience distress, abuse or neglect • Any kind of disability • Behavioural or psychological difficulties and/or • Have lived or are living in poverty or situations of deprivation. <p>Eligible projects should focus on 'teaching' science in a more fun and hands-on way than children and young people might experience at school.</p> <p>Applicants do not have to be experts in science or even have delivered science activities before to participate. Partnership applications will also</p>	Further information on future funding rounds will be available in Spring 2018

			<p>be accepted from not-for-profit organisations working with a science partner. However, the lead applicant should be an organisation which specialises in working with disadvantaged children and young people.</p> <p>Schools may also apply, although it would need to be in partnership with another agency such as a local community based organisation.</p> <p>Funded activities should take place between January 2018 and September 2018. Successful applicants will be notified in December 2017.</p>	
Connecting Classrooms	British Council	https://schoolsonline.britishcouncil.org/about-programmes/connecting-classrooms	<p>Global programme to create partnerships between clusters of schools in the UK and clusters of schools in other countries to create an international dimension to young people's learning and improve their knowledge and understanding of other cultures.</p> <p>To facilitate collaboration face-to-face, teachers in the UK can apply for a professional partnerships grant to send a teacher and a school leader to visit the partner school overseas.</p> <p>Successful partnerships will be awarded £3,000.</p>	See website
Small Grants	Alcohol Research UK	http://alcoholresearchuk.org/	Alcohol Research is currently inviting applications to its annual grants scheme. Grants of up to £8,000 are available for small projects lasting up	See website

			<p>to 12 months which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address emerging issues in alcohol research • Employ novel theoretical or methodological approaches and/or • Pilot new work in treatment or service delivery. <p>All applications must describe how research impact will be maximised.</p> <p>On completion of the main research, a brief 'Insight' report must be submitted for publication on the Alcohol Research UK website.</p> <p>Other funding is available for conference attendance, networking and research.</p>	
Free tree packs	The Woodland Trust	http://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/plant-trees/free-trees/	<p>The Woodland Trust currently has 3,250 tree packs to give away to not-for-profit groups, including schools, youth groups, Parish Councils and community organisations in the United Kingdom.</p> <p>Organisations can apply for up to 420 trees in each application cycle. This can be as one large pack or a combination of medium and small ones. Tree packs are available to organisations that can meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The trees will be planted on a publicly 	See website

			<p>accessible site (exceptions are made for schools and youth clubs);</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants have permission to plant from the legal landowner; • The community has been consulted and is supportive of the project; • There will be plenty of volunteer involvement; • Packs are appropriate for the area; • The intended planting site isn't too close to buildings, power lines, roads or other services; and • The grid reference for the planting site has been identified. <p>Trees will be young saplings about 20 - 40cm high, sourced and grown in the UK.</p>	
RBS Skills and Opportunities Fund	Royal Bank of Scotland	http://skillsandopportunitiesfund.rbs.com	The Royal Bank of Scotland set up the RBS Skills and Opportunities Fund in 2015 to support charities, social enterprises, community groups, state-funded schools and colleges that help people in disadvantaged communities develop, create or access the skills and opportunities they need to help themselves, skills that will enable them to get into work or start a business, now or in the future. Grants of up to £35,000 available.	See website
Artists International Development Fund	Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/artists-international-	Grants of between £1,000 and £5,000 to support international collaboration between artists in England and another country and to aid artistic	See website. Next deadline is 13 th December

		development-fund	<p>development.</p> <p>Proposals can be in any of the following art forms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined arts • Literature • Music • Theatre • Dance • Visual arts <p>Although the programme is aimed at individual artists, small groups of artists who normally collaborate in their work may also apply. This could include, for example, musicians and visual artists who usually create work together, or writers and their translators.</p> <p>Artists that can be funded by this programme include those</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who have received recognition for their work in England; • Who do not have extensive international experience; • Whose work will benefit from launching better international networks - either artistically or in terms of developing an audience for their work; and • Who can demonstrate an interest in their work from an overseas partner/host. 	2017
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			<p>Applicants will need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct their own research and have identified and communicated with a potential partner/host in the country they wish to visit; and • Include one or two international visits (for English applicant to travel overseas or overseas partners/collaborators to visit England or both). 	
Grants for crime prevention	Somerset Crime Beat Trust	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/somerset-crimebeat-trust-grant/	<p>Groups can apply to the Somerset Crimebeat Trust for projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote safer communities through the prevention of crime • Give young people the opportunity to use their own energy, imagination and enthusiasm to prevent crime, or reduce the risk of crime • Educate young people on the causes and effect of crime <p>Applications should be submitted 5 weeks before the panel meet.</p>	<p>Trustees meet four times a year to consider applications.</p> <p>The last meeting of 2017 is on 13th December.</p>
Grants to raise the standards of private rented housing management	TDS Foundation	http://tdsfoundation.org.uk/#apply-for-funding	<p>This is a charity with a mission to raise the standards of private rented housing management. They are currently keen to fund projects which promote knowledge of landlords' obligations or promote knowledge of tenants' rights & responsibilities. They currently have three</p>	<p>See website – next deadline is 4th October 2017</p>

			<p>funding streams available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A national funding stream for larger projects with national impact (c.£50,000 per project); • An innovation fund to enable riskier projects to be funded (c. £25,000 per project); and • A community stream for local projects broadly £10,000 per project) 	
Various grants	The Sylvia Waddilove Foundation	http://www.pwwsolicitors.co.uk/charity-grants/13-the-sylvia-waddilove-foundation-uk	<p>Grants up to £10,000 for charities, CICs and Registered Societies relating to the following charitable purposes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education (organic farming, animal husbandry, veterinary science, animal welfare and animal surgery) • The visual and performing arts • The preservation of buildings of architectural or historical significance • The accommodation of those in need • Medical research <p>Grant size varies according to the category.</p>	The Trustees normally meet in January, April, July, and October.
Various grants and support for professional musicians	Help for Musicians UK	https://www.helpmusicians.org.uk/creative-programme/current-opportunities	<p>Help for Musicians UK is the leading UK charity for professional musicians of all genres, from starting out through to retirement. They have a range of support and advice available, including grant programmes.</p>	Various

			For further information, visit their website.	
Funding for human dignity	A B Charitable Trust	http://abcharitabletrust.org.uk/index.htm	<p>Supports charities working where human dignity is threatened and where there are opportunities for human dignity to be affirmed. To be eligible, projects should address at least one of the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Migrants, refugees and asylum seekers • Prisoners and penal reform • Human rights, particularly access to justice <p>The Trust has a particular interest in small and medium-sized charities.</p> <p>Grants vary in size, with most grants being in the range of £10,000 to £20,000. Grants can be used for core costs. However, capital appeals are not normally supported.</p>	<p>2nd March 2018</p> <p>18th May 2018</p> <p>September and December deadlines expected.</p>
Grants for folk dance and song	The English Folk Dance and Song Society	https://www.efdss.org/	EFDSS is the national folk arts development organisation for England. They champion the English traditional arts – music, song, dance, storytelling, customs and traditions – as part of the rich and diverse cultural landscape of the UK. They often have funding and support available.	Various – see website
Funding for young people's music making projects	The Youth Music Programme	http://network.youthmusic.org.uk/Funding/about-youth-musics-grants-programme	Youth Music's grants programme provides funding to not for profit organisations for music-making projects in England. It is made up of three separate funds:	Various – see website

			<p>Fund A offers small grants for high quality music-making projects and involves a simple application process.</p> <p>Fund B offers medium-sized grants for larger programmes of work.</p> <p>Fund C offers grants for strategic programmes to help embed sustainable, inclusive music-making across a local area.</p> <p>The focus is on children and young people (aged up to 25) in challenging circumstances. For further information on their work, the funds and deadlines, visit their website.</p>	
<i>Grants to support young people aged 1 – 21.</i>	<i>Wessex Youth Trust</i>	http://www.wessexyouthtrust.org.uk/	<p><i>Small grants (around £6,000) to UK registered charities that provide opportunities to help support and advance children and young people from the ages of 1 to 21 years.</i></p> <p><i>Preference is given to pump-priming capital and revenue projects for development and more extensive fundraising initiatives. Specific one-off project funding requests are funded. General appeals are likely to unsuccessful.</i></p> <p><i>Match funding is recommended and applicants are required to list other funding that has been secured towards their project.</i></p>	<i>1st May and 1st November annually</i>
<i>Grants for</i>	<i>LandAid</i>	http://www.landaid.org/w	<i>LandAid's vision is a country where no young</i>	<i>Trustees meet</i>

<p>accommodation for homeless young people.</p>		<p><u>hat-we-do</u></p>	<p>person is homeless. They aim to bring about lasting change by tackling the causes of youth homelessness and providing safe, supported housing for those who need it most. To drive this, they award grants to outstanding projects on the ground that work to give young people the shelter and support they deserve.</p> <p>Over the next 3 years LandAid will help charities providing accommodation across the UK to create or bring back into use, 450 bed spaces for young people facing homelessness.</p> <p>They allocate funding under two streams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Renovation: existing properties in need of refurbishment which will provide accommodation, support, and in some cases training, for young people who have been or are at risk of homelessness. This could be either an existing accommodation project or a project which will bring a long-term empty home back into use.</i> • <i>New buildings: new build projects which will ultimately provide safe, secure and affordable accommodation for young people who are experiencing homelessness. This could be brand new accommodation and could also include alternative housing solutions such as modular housing.</i> 	<p>four times per year.</p>
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Heart of Experian Charity Fund	Heart of Experian	http://www.charityfund.org.uk/	<p>Grants up to £5,000 for schools, small local community groups and charities to help them become sustainable or expand their work in their local community.</p> <p>Eligible projects must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make the applicant's organisation or project more sustainable Relate to financial inclusion, financial education, entrepreneurship or developing skills useful in business Have a long-term benefit for the community Have a clear approach or strategy for attracting future funding or otherwise ensuring the continuation of the project Demonstrate that they have a project manager with appropriate experience to be able to successfully deliver the project Have not received funding from the Charity Fund in the past 12 months. <p>Eligible applicants must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A gross annual income of £500,000 or less in the most recent full financial year A written constitution and a management 	Ongoing and reviewed quarterly.

			<p>committee</p> <p>A bank account in the group's name</p> <p>Accounts available to view on the Charity Commission website (or include a copy when submitting an application)</p> <p>Unrestricted reserves that are less than six months' running costs; and</p> <p>A charitable project which requires funding of £5,000 or less and benefits the local community.</p> <p>Grants are not available for:</p> <p>National charities;</p> <p>Supporting individuals</p> <p>Salary costs (unless the applicant has a clear strategy for the position's future sustainability).</p> <p>Applications may be submitted at any time and are reviewed by the charity on a quarterly basis.</p>	
Grants for Peace and Security and Environmental Sustainability	Polden-Puckham Charitable Foundation	http://www.polden-puckham.org.uk/	<p>This Quaker-founded Foundation supports projects that seek to influence values and attitudes, promote equity and social justice, and develop radical alternatives to current economic and social structures. The Foundation's main areas of interest are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peace and Security - the Foundation supports the development of ways of resolving violent conflicts peacefully, and of addressing their underlying causes and • Environmental Sustainability - the Foundation supports work that addresses the pressures and conditions that risk 	Spring and Autumn annually.

			<p>global environmental breakdown.</p> <p>Funding is only available to organisations in the UK that are working to influence policy, attitudes and values at a national or international level. These may be single issue groups working to achieve a particular change, or organisations with a broader remit.</p> <p>Grants are normally between £5,000 and £15,000 per year, for up to three years.</p> <p>The Foundation generally supports the work of UK registered charities with an annual income of between £10,000 and £300,000. Organisations or projects that are not UK registered charities will be considered if they can indicate a UK registered charity that is able to receive funds on their behalf.</p>	
<i>Lloyd's Bank Foundation</i>	<i>Lloyd's Bank Invest Programme</i>	https://www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/	<p><i>The Lloyds Bank Foundation Invest Programme provides longer term core or direct delivery funding for charities and Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs) that are delivering clear outcomes as a result of their work with people experiencing multiple disadvantage. Grants are available for between £10,000 and £25,000 per year for two or three years, with the opportunity for continuation funding for a further period of up to six years in total.</i></p> <p><i>Organisations must be working with people</i></p>	<i>See website for latest deadlines.</i>

			<p><i>experiencing multiple disadvantage at one of the following critical points in their life:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Offending</i> • <i>Children leaving the care of a local authority</i> • <i>People moving from community based or institutional care</i> • <i>Unemployment</i> • <i>Homelessness/vulnerably housed</i> • <i>Independent living for those with a learning disability</i> • <i>Dependency on alcohol, drugs, or gambling</i> • <i>Abusive or exploitative relationships</i> • <i>Trafficking or sexual exploitation</i> • <i>Refugees and asylum seekers</i> • <i>Parenthood for young parents</i> • <i>Those taking on caring responsibilities</i> • <i>Older people losing independence</i> 	
Grants for Individuals engaged in any aspect of crafts, design, the arts or in social care and welfare within the UK, particularly in the South West and South Wales	The Gane Trust	http://www.ganetrust.org.uk/apply	<p>This Trust supports individuals with small grants for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art, craft and design activities (for example, materials, publicity, tools or books); and/or • Social welfare and care activities (for example, costs incurred in education or training). <p>Grants up to £500 are available. There is no</p>	Spring, Summer and early Autumn annually

			<p>stipulated requirement for match funding.</p> <p>Grants are usually made for capital purposes or to meet start-up expenditure. The Trust prefers not to support recurring operational expenditure.</p> <p>Grants may be made to individual recipients to assist them in meeting educational expenses either for themselves or for their children. Grants are normally only made where there is exceptional difficulty in meeting the cost of further education.</p> <p>Funding is available to individuals in the UK. Priority will be given to those in South West England and South Wales, particularly around Bristol, Newport and the surrounding area.</p> <p>Applications are considered at Trustee meetings held three times per year, in Spring, Summer and early Autumn.</p>	
Grants for health, education, social development and innovation	Wesleyan Foundation	www.wesleyan.co.uk/foundation/#sthash.KpPgOJx4.dpuf	<p>Wesleyan is a specialist financial mutual. Charities, community groups and social enterprises can apply to its Foundation for funds of up to £10,000 under four key themes:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health • Education • Social development • Innovation 	Ongoing with quarterly decisions

			<p>Three levels of funding are available:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small grants of £2,000 and under • Medium-sized awards of between £2,000 and £10,000 • Discretionary, large grants of more than £10,000 <p>Every quarter they will invite their customers to vote for the cause they would most like the Foundation to support. The more votes a cause gets, the bigger the share of support it receives.</p>	
<p><i>Grants to registered charities – particularly Methodist causes</i></p>	<p><i>The Gibbs Trust</i></p>	<p>http://www.gibbstrust.org.uk/GibbsTrust.html</p>	<p><i>Grants up to £3,000 for UK registered charities for Methodist Church causes, creative arts and education, with a preference for Bristol, Cardiff and south London.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust's broad policy is to support three main areas of work:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Innovative undertakings by Methodist churches and organisations</i> • <i>Other Christian Causes, especially of an ecumenical nature</i> • <i>A wider category within the fields of the creative arts, education, social and international concern.</i> <p><i>The Trust is prepared to provide 'pump-priming' funding. On occasion, it has committed itself to making regular annual grants for a three-year</i></p>	<p><i>Ongoing. Trustees meet three times per year after Christmas, around Easter, and late in the summer.</i></p>

			<p><i>period.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust does not fund:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Animal charities</i> • <i>Individuals</i> • <i>Medical research</i> • <i>Staff and salaries</i> <p><i>Applications may be submitted at any time. Applications that are too late for one meeting will be considered at the next meeting. Applications should be made in writing and limited to two A4 sides.</i></p>	
Funding for gifted musicians and dancers	The Fidelio Charitable Trust	http://www.fideliocharitabletrust.org.uk/	<p>Grants of up to £5,000 to support individuals or groups of exceptional ability in music and dance, to enable them for example to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receive special tuition or coaching, e.g. in the case of musicians, to attend Master Classes • Participate in external competitions • Be supported for a specially arranged performance; and/or • Receive support for a special publication, musical composition or work of art <p>The Trust welcomes a match funding contribution</p>	<p>1st February 1st June 1st October</p> <p>annually</p>
Grants for Human Rights;	The Bromley Trust	http://www.thebromleytrust.org.uk/	Grants of around £10,000 but up to £30,000 for UK registered charities working in the areas of	Ongoing but Trustees meet

<p><i>Prison Reform and the Environment</i></p>			<p><i>human rights and prison reform. Its Environmental Funding stream is current under review so closed to applications at present. Visit their website for further information.</i></p>	<p><i>in Spring and Autumn</i></p>
<p><i>Grants for charities supporting disabled ex-service</i></p>	<p><i>Queen Mary's Roehampton Trust</i></p>	<p><i>No website. Contact:</i></p> <p><i>Colonel Stephen Rowland-Jones</i> <i>Queen Mary's Roehampton Trust</i> <i>2 Sovereign Close Quidhampton</i> <i>Salisbury SP2 9ES</i> <i>Tel: 01722 501413</i> <i>Email:</i> <i>qmrt@hotmail.co.uk</i></p>	<p><i>Grants of between £2,000 and £40,000 to UK Charities providing services to war disabled ex-Service men and women and their dependents.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust supports people who fall into one of the following two categories:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• Persons who served in any of the Armed Forces of the Crown and who were disabled in such service and the widows and other dependants of such persons</i> <i>• Persons who served in the mercantile marine or in any service established under the Civil Defence Acts 1937 and 1939 and who were disabled in such service, and the widows and other dependants of such persons.</i> <p><i>In practice, ex-service men and women (and Merchant Navy and Civil Defence personnel) are accepted as having been "disabled in service" if they are in receipt of a war disablement pension from the Government.</i></p> <p><i>Seven copies of an application accompanied by three copies of the latest annual report and accounts should be sent to the correspondent.</i></p>	<p><i>Ongoing with applications considered in June and November annually.</i></p>

			<p><i>Details must be given of the number of war disablement pensioners and/or war widows assisted during a recent period of twelve months. In the case of nursing and residential homes, information concerning occupancy is also required.</i></p>	
Funding for charities failing due to financial constraints	The Ariadne Getty Foundation (also known as the Tara Getty Foundation and formerly the Fuserna Foundation)	http://ariadnegettyfdn.org/about/	<p>The aim of this Foundation is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • support existing charities and individual charitable projects that are failing in their objectives due to financial constraints and/or a lack of exposure and publicity. • fund projects that will alleviate poverty and financial hardship, and relieve sickness and poor health <p>The Foundation places an emphasis on self-help, community values and assisting individuals and communities in making changes. Based in Los Angeles with an office in London, the Foundation accepts grant applications submitted directly from charities and other philanthropic projects.</p> <p>All applications must have a clear sense of objective, how to achieve that objective and a high probability of making a real difference in the field in which it operates.</p> <p>Applications should be submitted in writing and include:</p>	Re-opens in 2018. Applications can be submitted anytime for review four times a year.

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A full outline of the project for which funding is needed • The cost of the project • The community affected • The benefits and impact of the project intended • Other sources of funding secured in relation to the project • A full outline of the charity itself, its history, financial position and forecast, as well as its overall strategy <p>In addition, financial statements, management accounts, tax returns and cash-flow statements should also accompany the application.</p>	
Medical Grants	The Hospital Saturday Fund	https://www.hospitalsaturdayfund.org/	<p>Grants to registered health charities operating in the UK (eg hospitals, hospices and medical organisations) for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical projects • Medical care • Medical research • Medical training taking place in the UK • Running costs (Standard Grants only) <p>Two types of grant are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Grants of £2,000; and • Larger Grants of up to a maximum of 	<p>The remaining deadlines for 2017 are:</p> <p>Standard Grants: 9th October 2017</p> <p>Large Grants: Monday 11th September and Friday 1st December</p>

			<p>£10,000</p> <p>Large Grants are normally awarded for projects, equipment or research rather than ongoing running costs.</p>	
Community Project Funding	Music for All	<p>http://www.musicforall.org.uk/</p> <p>Music for All Bailey House 4-10 Barttelot Road Horsham West Sussex RH12 1DQ</p> <p>Tel: 01403 800500 Email: mfa@mia.org.uk</p>	<p>A registered charity, whose patron is the musician and broadcaster Jules Holland. The charity's objectives are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make more musicians and to enable and inspire more people to discover the mental and physical benefits that playing a musical instrument can bring, and • Advance the education of the public and especially young people in all branches of the arts and in particular music. <p>Music in the Community is a new grants programme that aims to give a helping hand to projects and initiatives across the UK that are seeking to bring music to their community.</p> <p>The funding is for groups that need assistance to fulfil their potential in developing sustainable music programmes. Funding is available for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical instruments • Using music to break down barriers • Providing a variety of educational opportunities • Helping to find ways to integrate many 	<p>3 funding rounds per year:</p> <p>1st November for funding requirement in the following January</p> <p>1st February for funding requirement in April</p> <p>1st July for funding requirement in September</p>

			<p>diverse and minority groups positively into society.</p> <p>UK based groups, schools and charitable organisations can apply for a grant of up to £2,500. Match funding is advantageous but not an essential requirement.</p> <p>The following are not eligible for funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retrospective costs • Applicants based outside of the UK and Ireland • Applicants that have been awarded a grant within the last 12 months <p>There are three funding rounds each financial year. The next deadlines for applications are:</p> <p>Wednesday 1 November 2017; and Thursday 1 February 2018</p> <p>An application form is available to download on the Music for All website.</p> <p>Completed forms must be posted to the Music for All office. All applications will be acknowledged in writing:</p>	
Funding for Research and Innovation	The Nuffield Foundation	http://www.nuffieldfoundation.org/grants-research-and-innovation	This Foundation has seven programmes that fund research and innovation in areas of social policy	Twice a year – see website for details.

		innovation-projects	<p>and education. The programmes are:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and Families • Early Years Education and Childcare • Economic Advantage and Disadvantage • Education • Finances of Ageing • Law in Society • Open Door <p>Grants from £10,000 - £350,000 but usually in the region of £50,000 - £200,000.</p> <p>There are two rounds of funding each year.</p>	
Main Grants Scheme	Children in Need Trust	http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/1N4ddmFHns8VPKjyp3PMYwn/apply-for-a-grant	<p>Grants of between £10,000 and £120,000 over 3 years for organisations that are supporting children and young people of 18 years and under who are experiencing disadvantage through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illness, distress, abuse or neglect • Any kind of disability • Behavioural or psychological difficulties; and • Living in poverty or situations of deprivation <p>Organisations must be pro-actively working to combat this disadvantage in order to make a real difference to children and young people's lives. Not-for-profit organisations working with disadvantaged children and young people of 18</p>	Will accept applications at any time but have four rounds per year

			<p>years and under who live in the UK, the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Organisations that already hold a grant from Children in Need can apply for further funding providing the current grant is coming to an end within the next 12 months.</p> <p>As well as this Main Grants Scheme (over £10,000), Children in Need operate a Small Grants Scheme (under £10,000) and a scheme for emergency essentials administered by Buttle UK. For further information visit the website.</p>	
Grants for theatre, music, literature and dance	The Garrick Charitable Trust	https://www.garrickclub.co.uk/charitable_trust	<p>The Garrick Charitable Trust aims to encourage theatre, music, literature and dance across the UK. The Trust has a specific focus on helping</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • professional organisations in need of financial support • actors, directors, writers, musicians, composers and choreographers in the early stages of their careers <p>Grants are normally be in the range of £2,500-£5,000 (the majority of grants are for £2,500) and may be made for more than one year.</p>	Ongoing – Trustee meet four times a year to determine grants.
Grants for social enterprise	The Singer Foundation	No website. Contact: Mr. David Jones Hillcrest	<i>The Singer Foundation is a South West based charitable trust which awards grants to charitable organisations which support social enterprise or individuals. Preference is given to organisations</i>	<i>Ongoing but the Trustees generally meet 3 times per</i>

		Ragnal Lane Nailsworth Stroud GL6 0RU Tel: 01453837586 Email: admin@singer.foundation	that show good governance and have a track record of successfully supporting, inspiring and mentoring individuals.	year
Small grants for disabled or disadvantaged children	The Glebe Charitable Trust	There is no website but further information can be found on the Charity Commission website http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=803495	Small grants for charitable organisations undertaking projects benefitting disabled or disadvantaged children in the UK (applications may be made at any time). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding is not available for: • Dyslexia (if it is the only disability) • A lack of money being the only disadvantage • Tertiary (i.e. above school age) education or • Projects not exclusively involving young people under the age of 21. 	Applicants may apply at any time in writing, but ideally at least a month before a Trustee's meeting, which take place in June and December each year
Community Grants	DWF Foundation	https://www.dwf.law/about-us/dwf-foundation/	Grants up to £5,000 to support local communities that are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tackling a specific community issue • Helping voluntary and community groups become more effective and efficient • Encouraging the involvement in the community of those too often excluded and/or • Enabling young people to develop skills for 	February, May, August and November annually

			<p>the benefit of the community</p> <p>Projects must address one of the following themes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education • Employability • Homelessness • Health and Wellbeing <p>Running costs and salaries can be funded if they are part of a project application.</p> <p>An online application form can be found on the DWF Foundation website</p>	
Momentum Music Fund	Momentum Music Fund	http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/Funding/Momentum-Music-Fund/	<p>The Momentum Music Fund is designed to help talented artists and bands further their careers. It covers a broad range of contemporary popular genres, including innovative and emerging genres. The Fund is open to applications from artists and bands in England that are at a crucial point in their development, with the potential to significantly further their career within the next two years. Applications can be submitted by the artists themselves or those who are working on their behalf (for example, a manager, an independent label or publisher).</p> <p>Other funds are available from the PRS – keep checking their website</p>	Check website

			http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/funding/	
The Open Fund	Performing Rights Society	http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/funding/the-open-fund/	<p>The Open Fund supports the development of outstanding songwriters and composers of all genres and backgrounds and at different stages of their career. Support is available to any music creator or not-for-profit organisation whose project fits with their funding priorities. The Open Fund is split into two distinct strands: The Open Fund for Organisations which supports new music projects led by promoters, talent development organisations, festivals, venues, curators and large performance groups and The Open Fund for Music Creators which supports projects by songwriters, composers, or artists, bands, producers and performers who are writing their own music or commissioning others.</p> <p>Other funds are available from the PRS – keep checking their website http://www.prsformusicfoundation.com/funding/</p>	Check website
<i>The Big Give Christmas Challenge</i>	<i>The Reed Foundation</i>	https://www.thebiggive.org.uk/christmas-challenge/	<i>This is the UK's biggest online match funding campaign and will open for applications from UK registered charities on 5th June 2017. It profiles the work of thousands of UK-registered charities and inspires people to give. It was founded in 2007 by Sir Alec Reed, the chairman of the Reed Foundation, who saw the need for a site where people who wanted to give could be matched with charities that were seeking funding.</i>	<i>See website</i>

Fields in Trust Active Spaces	London Marathon Charitable Trust	http://www.fieldsintrust.org/activespaces	<p>Active Spaces is a new national programme to inspire the most inactive communities to get active and use their local outdoor spaces. The programme will secure 50 new Fields in Trust protected sites across the UK and help increase participation in many different physical activities in local parks, playing fields and green spaces which will be protected for future generations to use and enjoy.</p> <p>Landowners, which will often be local authorities, particularly Parish Councils, can opt to select a programme to be delivered on the site by one of Fields in Trust's national partners to the equivalent value of £5,000, or apply to deliver a programme themselves via a local delivery agent.</p>	See website
Power to Change Community Business Grant	Power to Change Trust	http://www.powertochange.org.uk/funding/grants/community-business-fund/	Grants between £50,000 – £300,000 to community businesses in England.	See website
Grants for Children and Young People	The Quadstar Foundation	http://quadstar.org/	<p>Registered charities, voluntary and community groups, not for profit social enterprises and/or Community Interest Companies may apply for a grant of between £3,000 and £10,000 for projects that are working towards one or more of the following outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving children and young people's emotional resilience and mental wellbeing • increasing children and young people's 	See website.

			<p>opportunities and/or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empowering children and young people to become more confident and pursue their aspirations. <p>Priority will be given to organisations that are attempting to become more financially sustainable. To be eligible, applicants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a local organisation, which is not part of a national enterprise • Have an annual income of less than £300,000; • Have a written governing document, such as a constitution or set of rules • Have a governing body with at least three unrelated members (or two for social enterprises); • Have a UK-based bank or building society account in the organisation's name, with at least two unrelated signatories • Have a Child Protection Policy • Be working in the UK <p>The Quadstar Foundation expects successful applicants to be proactive in identifying areas they require support with, taking part in mentoring and networking events.</p> <p>Beyond the life of the grant, the Foundation anticipates successful applicants will have an on-going relationship with the Foundation to enable subsequent grant holders to benefit from their</p>	
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			skills and experience.	
Grants for charitable projects – human welfare and social reform	The Blyth Watson Charitable Trust	<p>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1071390&subid=0</p>	<p>The Blyth Watson Charitable Trust supports UK registered charities undertaking charitable projects, particularly those that promote human welfare and social reform. All applications for grant support are considered, however.</p> <p>Grants tend to be one-off awards between £1,000 and £5,000, although some causes are supported on a regular basis. Larger grants may be awarded in exceptional circumstances. Match funding is not a specific requirement.</p> <p>Applications must be made in writing, and applicants will only be notified of the result of their enquiry if they are successful or enclose a stamp addressed envelope.</p>	Ongoing with decisions twice a year.
The Heritage Mortgage	The Architectural Heritage Fund	<p>http://ahfund.org.uk/the/</p> <p>Groups are asked to contact a member of the AHF's Investment Team to discuss their project in the first instance.</p>	<p>An interesting new social investment approach from AHF towards the funding of heritage buildings that have been unable to secure grant funding. Heritage Mortgages is a new scheme that offers longer-term social investment available to preserve and restore buildings which are listed or located in conservation areas in the United Kingdom. Loans are available either for the acquisition of a building, or to provide working capital throughout a restoration project. Buildings must be listed, scheduled as an ancient monument or in a Conservation Area. Buildings in Conservation Areas must be of acknowledged</p>	Applications will be considered four times a year.

			<p>historic or architectural significance. Mortgage-style loans of between £150,000 and £500,000 are available, with no penalty for early repayment. The Architectural Heritage Fund can normally lend applicants up to 70% of the estimated open market resale value of any acceptable property or land over which it takes a first charge. If this is the project building for which the loan is required, it can lend up to 70% of the property's estimated "end value" (the projected value once work has been completed).</p> <p>The terms are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interest rates are typically fixed at 4-6%, or they can be linked to Base Rate • The arrangement fee is on application • The term of the loan is typically between 10 and 20 years (up to 30 years by exception) • Security is first legal charge/first ranking standard security; and the loan repayment terms are: capital and interest only, though initial capital and/or payment moratoria can be considered. <p>Formally constituted and incorporated charity, community business or social enterprise whose members have limited liability can apply. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIOs) 	
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Grants for charitable purposes and Botanical Art Award	Finnis Scott Foundation	http://www.finnis-scott-foundation.org.uk/	<p>Revenue and capital grants of between £500 and £10,000 for any charitable purpose but particularly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Horticulture and plant sciences • Fine art • Art history <p>There is no specific requirement for match funding. Preference is given to support smaller charities where the grant would have a significant</p>	Ongoing with decisions made four times a year

			<p>impact. Applications can be submitted at any time and are considered quarterly.</p> <p>They also have a Botanical Art Award which related groups may apply for.</p>	
Friends of Friendless Churches	Will Cottam Trust	http://friendsoffriendlesschurches.org.uk/	<p>Grants up to £20,000 for the purchase of works of art (including bells, statues, murals, paintings, paschal candlesticks, vestments, Commandment Boards, stained glass, altars and altar frontals) to be placed in medieval churches in England and Wales for the advancement of religion.</p> <p>There is a match funding requirement.</p>	Ongoing with decisions made four times a year
Marvellous Family Grants	Roald Dah's Marvellous Children's Charity	http://www.roalddahl.com/charity/family-grants/information-for-parents	<p>Grants of up to £500 to support UK families in financial hardship who are caring for a child (under 25) with a serious, life-limiting illness (excluding all forms of malignant cancer as there are many other sources of funding for this). The family must be living in financial hardship and the grant must benefit the child directly.</p> <p>Applications must be via a health care professional, social services, health visitors or grant co-ordinators within an organisation.</p> <p>Items funded can include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play, art or music therapy sessions • Peer group or counselling sessions • Equipment or expenses so children can 	The third Thursday of each month.

			<p>join in activities with their friends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to social communications technology • Expenses to attend a family support event or conference • Payment of high heating bills because of the child's health condition • Car seats, walkers, bicycles, pushchairs, mobility chairs • Specialist furniture or household appliances required because of the child's health condition • Beds, cots, bedding or clothing • Travel expenses to and from hospital • Respite care <p>This list is not exhaustive. Please note that we do not fund holidays, day trips or driving lesson.</p> <p>All grant requests are assessed monthly and need to be submitted by the third Thursday of each month.</p>	
Various grants to support Church Buildings	The National Churches Trust	http://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/choosetherightgrant	A range of grants to support church buildings across the UK. The Trust is able to fund urgent structural repairs, maintenance, project development and the introduction of new facilities that enable the building to be more widely used by the community, such as kitchens and toilets.	See website
Various grants to support heritage	Historic England	https://www.historicengland.org.uk/services-	A range of grants available for:	See website

		skills/grants/our-grant-schemes/	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People who own or manage individual historic sites and need to repair them or understand them better • Local authorities, for sites and buildings in their area • Organisations who want to encourage better understanding, management and conservation of the historic environment in its many and varied forms 	
Armed Forces Covenant – Local Grants Scheme	Ministry of Defence	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covenant-fund-guidance-on-how-to-apply	<p>Grants of up to £20,000 available to fund projects that help integrate Armed Forces and civilian communities across the UK and/or deliver valuable local services to the armed forces community.</p> <p>Other Funding is also available under this scheme – for the latest information visit:</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/covenant-fund</p>	Ongoing but decisions made four times per year.
Main Grant (over £5,000) and Small Grant (under £5,000) Schemes	The Pilgrim Trust	http://www.thepilgrimtrust.org.uk	<p>This Trust aims to preserve and promote Britain’s historical and intellectual assets <i>and</i> to provide assistance to vulnerable members of society.</p> <p>Heritage includes buildings, artifacts and recorded information such as manuscripts or books.</p> <p>Another aim is to improve the life chances of vulnerable women and girls and supporting early</p>	Ongoing but decisions made four times per year

			interventions that address their needs before these become too deep-seated.	
Small Grants Programme	Growing a Greener Britain	<p>https://www.growingagreenerbritain.org/small-grant-programme/</p> <p>They also have advice on crowd funding for parks</p> <p>https://www.growingagreenerbritain.org/love-your-local-park-this-year-with-crowdfundmypark2017/</p>	<p>A new small grants scheme (up to £1,000) which will support projects that fit into one of the following objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating improvements to free, publicly accessible green space • Providing local employment opportunities through the creation of maintenance projects • Providing training and work experience opportunities for those in the local community • Promoting green open spaces within the local community. 	See website
Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust Grant Programmes	The Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust	<p>https://austin-hope-pilkington.org.uk/</p>	<p><i>Charitable organisations can apply for funding which directly supports the theme selected by the Trust for a particular year. The categories are as follows:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2017: Music and the Arts, and the Elderly • 2018: Medical and Community • 2019: Children and young people <p><i>The project must fall within the relevant category for the year the application is submitted.</i></p> <p><i>PLEASE NOTE: priority is given to projects with a national remit rather than projects with a local</i></p>	Four funding rounds per year

			<p>remit. Charities with an annual income of less than £50,000 are unlikely to be funded.</p>	
Grants for energy efficiency	Scottish Power Energy People Trust	http://www.energypeopletrust.com/content/default.asp?page=s4	<p>Charitable organisations can apply for grants to support projects in the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy Efficiency • Energy Efficiency Measures • Income • Fuel Debt Assistance <p>The ScottishPower Energy People Trust will award funding at levels appropriate to the type of project and the number of people to be helped, from small sums up to a maximum of £50,000. Projects may be funded for a maximum of one year.</p>	<p>2017 Deadlines</p> <p>25th January 24th May 4th October</p>
Grants for the Arts	Golsoncott Foundation	http://www.golsoncott.org.uk/newintroduction.html	<p>Grants of between £250 and £3,000 for voluntary organisations whose focus is primarily on the arts to promote, maintain, improve and advance the education of the public in the arts in general and in particular the fine arts and music.</p> <p>The following are not eligible for funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capital appeals from museums, galleries, theatres, arts complexes or other projects • Applications from individuals and students seeking funding for academic or vocational courses • Schools 	<p>Annual deadlines</p> <p>31st January 31st April 31st July 31st October</p>

<i>Large and Small Grants</i>	<i>The Woodward Charitable Trust</i>	http://woodwardcharitabletrust.org.uk/general_applications/	<p><i>Small grants of up to £5,000 and large grants over £5,000. Applications must be from charities and in support of the following activities within the Trust's current funding priorities:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Children and young people who are isolated, at risk of exclusion or involved in anti-social behaviour;</i> • <i>Minority groups including refugees, gypsies and travellers. (projects that promote integration and community cohesion will be favoured);</i> • <i>Prisoners and ex-offenders (projects that help the rehabilitation and resettlement of prisoners and/or ex-offenders are supported as well as requests to help prisoners' families);</i> • <i>Disability projects which can include rehabilitation and training for people who are either physically disabled or have a learning disability, as well as help to improve employment prospects;</i> • <i>Homelessness, especially affecting young people and women, and covering facilities such as women's refuges;</i> • <i>Arts outreach work by local groups for the benefit of disadvantaged people;</i> • <i>Environmental projects, especially with a strong educational element.</i> 	<p><i>Annual deadlines</i></p> <p><i>31st January</i></p> <p><i>31st July</i></p>
Grants for	The Radcliffe Trust	http://theradcliffetrust.org	The Trust makes grants principally for classical	Annual

classical music, heritage and crafts education		g/guidelines/	music education, and heritage and crafts education. A limited number of grants are also made for conservation and other educational projects. Registered charities, exempt organisations and not-for-profit organisations, including Community Interest Companies (CICs), based in the UK are eligible to apply.	Heritage and Crafts: 31 st January and 31 st July Music: 31 st January and 31 st August
People's Postcode Community Grants	Postcode Community Trust	http://www.postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant	Grants of £500 - £20,000 for projects which:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overcome barriers to participation in community activities in creative and sustainable ways • Increasing social cohesion through developing access to grass-roots, sports, arts and other recreational activities <p>To apply, complete an expression of interest form. If successful after this stage, you will be invited to fill in a full application form on-line.</p>	See website
People's Postcode Local Grants	Postcode Local Trust	http://www.postcodelocaltrust.org.uk/applying-for-a-grant	Grants of £500 - £20,000 for projects that support wildlife areas, sustainability initiatives, local indoor and outdoor spaces and citizenship (local volunteering projects).	See website
Project Viability and Project Development Grants	The Architectural Heritage Fund	http://www.ahfund.org.uk/grants.php	Grants of up to £5,000 and over £5,000 to assist an organisation to cover some of the costs of developing and co-ordinating a project and taking it towards the start of work on site.	Quarterly in mid February

			To qualify, an organisation must have established that the end use of the project is likely to be viable and have decided to take the project forward.	May August November
<i>Grants for humanitarian causes</i>	<i>The Ashworth Charitable Trust</i>	http://www.ashworthtrust.org/	<p><i>A South West based Trust that supports registered charities undertaking humanitarian causes locally, nationally and internationally that share the Trust's vision and underlying principles of:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The oneness of humanity</i> • <i>The establishment of true justice</i> • <i>The paramount importance of education for all</i> • <i>The need to address the situation of the very poor and of those at the margins of society</i> • <i>That all people everywhere should be able to share the fruits of and be empowered to participate in the construction of a just, prosperous and sustainable society</i> • <i>That to achieve these aims, it is necessary to build the capacity of individuals, communities and institutions.</i> <p><i>Grants are typically up to £3,000</i></p>	<i>28th February and 31st August annually</i>
<i>Grants for social welfare projects</i>	<i>The Inman Charity</i>	http://www.inmancharity.org/	<p><i>Grants usually up to £5,000 to UK registered charities for social welfare projects and for charities working with people who are disadvantaged. It is particularly interested in supporting projects in the following fields:</i></p>	<i>28th February and 31st August annually</i>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Care of the elderly.</i> • <i>General welfare.</i> • <i>Hospices.</i> • <i>The deaf and blind.</i> • <i>Care of the physically and mentally disabled.</i> • <i>The Armed Forces; and</i> • <i>Medical research.</i> 	
<i>People with disabilities and/or socially disadvantaged</i>	<i>The Cotton Trust</i>	<i>None – please contact: Mrs J B Congdon The Cotton Trust PO Box 6895 Earl Shilton Leicester LE9 8ZE</i>	<p><i>The Cotton Trust offers grants to registered charities in the UK working in the following areas:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The relief of suffering.</i> • <i>Elimination or control of disease.</i> • <i>Assisting people with disabilities and disadvantaged people of all ages.</i> 	<i>End of February and end of August annually</i>
<i>Grants to foster and sustain family life.</i>	<i>The Kelly Family Charitable Trust</i>	<i>http://www.kfct.org.uk/</i>	<p><i>Grants of between £1,000 and £5,00 to UK-based registered charities whose activities foster and sustain family life. The Trust has a preference for funding newish, smaller, local charities - particularly those with an annual income of less than £500,000 - to help them become more established. Larger charities with innovative projects are also sometimes considered by the Trust for grant support.</i></p> <p><i>The three principal areas that the charity wishes to support are:</i></p>	<i>Deadlines of 1st March and 1st September annually.</i>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Interventions and support that help families to manage better and prevent the fracture of the family unit, eg relationship counseling, mediation</i> • <i>Families where sexual abuse, physical abuse, domestic violence, alcohol abuse and drugs abuse threaten the integrity of the family unit</i> • <i>Prisoners and in particular their families, during and after the period of imprisonment</i> <p><i>Application forms are available to download from the Trust's website.</i></p>	
Grants to prevent bullying	The Ben Cohen Stand Up Foundation	http://www.standupfoundation-uk.org/grants/	Grants of up to £10,000 for UK-based projects that help to stop bullying, help those hurt by bullies, or help remove homophobia from sports.	March and October annually
Grants for education and training	The Peter Cruddas Foundation	http://www.petercruddasfoundation.org.uk/	<p><i>The Foundation prioritises UK charities which provide:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>support into education, training or employment for young people aged 14 to 30 years.</i> • <i>Work experience/skills projects for young people aged 16 to 30 years</i> • <i>Youth work in London for disadvantaged young people aged 16 to 30 years</i> 	<i>1st March and 1st September annually</i>
Arts Award Access Fund	Arts Award	http://www.artsaward.org.uk/site/?id=1975	Grants of between £100-£1500 to Arts Award centres working on projects with young people for whom access and inclusion is an issue.	March and October

				annually
Heritage Enterprise	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/heritage-enterprise	Heritage Enterprise can help communities repair derelict historic places, giving them productive new uses. By funding the repair costs and making these buildings commercially viable, we hope to breathe new life into vacant sites. Not-for-profit organisations work with private partners to generate economic growth and create jobs and opportunities in those places that need it the most. Grants of £100,000 - £5m available.	See website
Heritage Grants	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/heritage-grants	HLF's open programme for any type of project related to the national, regional, or local heritage in the UK. You can apply for a grant of over £100,000. Heritage Grants applications go through a two-round process. This is so that you can apply at an early stage of planning your project and get an idea of whether you have a good chance of getting a grant before you submit your proposals in greater detail.	See website The deadline for grants over £5m is 1 st Dec 17
Grants for War Memorials	War Memorials Trust	http://www.war memorials.org/grants/	War Memorials Trust seeks to help all war memorial custodians, whatever the nature and size of their war memorial by facilitating repair and conservation projects. Grants are currently available up to 75% of eligible costs with a normal maximum of £30,000.	Annual deadlines of 31 st March 30 th June 30 th Sept 31 st Dec
Church Conservation Grants	The William and Jane Morris Fund	https://www.sal.org.uk/grants/morris-fund-conservation-grants/	Grants of between £500 and £3,000 are awarded to churches, chapels and other places of worship in the United Kingdom for the conservation of	Annual deadlines of

			decorative features and monuments (not structural repairs). The decorative feature, monument, etc must be dated before 1896.	31 st March and 31 st August
W H Smith Community Grants	W H Smith	http://www.whsmithplc.co.uk/corporate_responsibility/whsmith_trust/ Tel: 01793 562824 Email: communitygrants@whsmith.co.uk	The scheme offers grants of up to £500 to voluntary organisations and schools from the proceeds of the compulsory carrier bag levies across the UK. Grants are awarded every six months.	Annual deadlines of 31 st March and 30 th Sept
Grants for general charitable purposes	The Hamilton Wallace Trust	<i>No Website. Contact:</i> <i>Mr. Peter Phillips Rubinstein Phillips Lewis LLP 13 Craven Street London WC2N 5PB Tel: 0207 925 2244 Email: thehamiltonwallacetrust@ruphlaw.co.uk</i>	Grants of between £500 and £1,500 to UK charities for general charitable purposes.	<i>The Trustees meet in May and November so applications need to be received during April and October.</i>
Grants for artists	The Elephant Trust	http://elephanttrust.org.uk/docs/theguide.html	Grants of up to £2,000 for artists and those presenting their work to undertake and complete projects when frustrated by lack of funds. The Trust is committed to helping artists, art institutions and galleries that depart from the routine and signal new, distinct and imaginative	The Trust operates four deadlines, one each quarter, annually. The next deadline

			sets of possibilities. Larger grants up to £5,000 are occasionally awarded.	for applications is Monday 15 th January 2018
<i>Grants for equine animals and the relief of the elderly</i>	<i>The Elise Pilkington Charitable Trust</i>	http://elisepilkingtontrust.org.uk/	<p><i>Funding to registered charities working to either:-</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>prevent cruelty to equine animals</i> • <i>promote the relief of the elderly</i> <p><i>Equine welfare grants are normally only considered from charities that are members of the National Equine Welfare Council (NEWC).</i></p>	<i>Trustees generally meet twice a year in the spring and the autumn to consider grant applications</i>
<i>Education and training projects for young people</i>	<i>The British and Foreign School Society</i>	http://www.bfss.org.uk/	<i>Grants for charitable organisations that reach out to children and young people in remote or impoverished areas, improving inclusivity in education and providing much-needed facilities</i>	<i>See website</i>
The Triangle Trust 1949 Fund	Development Grants	http://www.triangletrust.org.uk/	Funding for specialist community and voluntary organisations working with carers, or the rehabilitation of offenders or ex-offenders within the UK. Development Grants up to £80,000 over three years towards an organisation's core costs. Applicants must be registered charities, social enterprises or community interest companies.	Carers' Grants: 4th May 2017 Rehabilitation Grants: 2nd November 2017
<i>Central Grants</i>	<i>DM Thomas Foundation</i>	https://dmthomasfoundation.org/what-we-do/grants/dmtf-central-grants/	<p><i>Grants of up to £30,000 for registered charities working in the areas of education or health with one of our three chosen focus groups:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Children and young people with disabilities</i> • <i>Children and young people who are sick in</i> 	<i>2018 dates</i> <i>6th February</i> <i>8th May</i> <i>24th July</i> <i>9th October</i>

			<p><i>hospital</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people who are life limited (requiring palliative care) 	
The Community Radio Fund	OFCOM	https://www.ofcom.org.uk/tv-radio-and-on-demand/information-for-industry/radio-broadcasters/community-radio-fund	<p>Grants to community radio licensees in the UK, who are broadcasting under a community radio licence (and not to an RSL operator or to an internet-only service, for example).</p> <p>The funding is intended to cover costs including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fundraising to support the station • Management • Administration • Financial management and reporting • Community outreach • Volunteer organisation and support <p>Priority will be given to licensees that have not been awarded a grant in previous funding rounds; to newly-licensed stations. Also applications that focus on posts that promote long-term financial security and may become self-sustaining.</p>	<p>See website.</p> <p>Funding is expected to continue until 2019/20</p>
Urgent Repairs Scheme	Theatres Trust	http://www.theatrestrust.org.uk/grants/urgent-repairs-scheme	<p>Funding up to up £15,000 for theatres in need of immediate repair and maintenance and which could otherwise face closure. The scheme is open to all theatres operating a year-round programme of live performance. Theatres that are not statutory listed will need to demonstrate the architectural significance of their building. The scheme will not fund repairs to equipment,</p>	<p>See website</p>

			<p>fixtures and fittings and plant except where a major failure is proving a significant risk to the theatre's continued operation.</p> <p>The Theatre Trust also operates a Small Grants Scheme.</p>	
Bright Ideas Fund	Locality	http://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/bright-ideas-fund/	<p>The Community Business Bright Ideas Fund aims to give your community group the support and tools to start setting up your community business. It will also give your group the early stage finance that you need need to carry out consultation with local people and feasibility studies to develop a community business idea the community wants and needs. (A community business is set up and led by local people to look after what matters to them. Any profits flow back into the business to deliver positive local impact).</p> <p>For the final round, there is one significant change to the eligibility criteria: the community organisation applying must not have been constituted for more than 5 years at the time of making an application. This is to ensure that only new groups are considered for funding in this round.</p> <p>What the Bright Ideas Fund offers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online induction and ongoing support, either online, by phone or where possible through visits 	<p>Round 3 Opens on 1st November 2017 and closes on 1st December 2017</p> <p>(please note this is the final round)</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Business development plans, to help successful groups shape and develop strategies and plans for their community business • Mentoring and visits, to inspire applicants and give them the opportunity to learn from peers • Regional networking and events, to learn from social finance experts, successful community business leaders, funders and technical specialists. 	
Local Community Projects Fund		https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants	<p>Grants of up to £2,000 available to local groups to deliver projects or provide equipment to people in need at the heart of their local community. All projects must support a community of interest, ie people who are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disabled or suffering chronic illness • Living in poverty • Voluntary carers • Homeless • Isolated older people • Other demonstrable significant need 	2 deadlines per year. The next is 29 th September 2017
Environmental Grant	The Greggs Foundation	https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants	<p>Grants of up to £2,000 to community groups and schools working to improve the physical environment in a way that will improve people's lives. This can include purchase of equipment, sessional salary costs, purchase of trees/plants, small capital projects and learning activities.</p> <p>Priority will be given to projects that also include</p>	2 deadlines per year. The next is 29 th September 2017

			<p>one or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improves the local environment • Ensures involvement of local communities • Delivers a sustainable and measurable difference • Supports people in need 	
Grants	The Edith Maud Ellis Charitable Trust	http://www.theedithmellscharitabletrust.org	<p>Small grants between £500 and £3,000. Also interest free loans up to £5,000 repayable over 5 years to help fund</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quaker work and witness • Peace-building and conflict resolution • Interfaith and ecumenical understanding • Community development work in the UK and overseas • Work with forced migrants, including internally displaced people • Sustainable development 	Applications to be sent before the end of June and end of December annually.
Grants for rural communities	NFU Mutual Charitable Trust	https://www.nfumutual.co.uk/company-information/charitable-trust/	<p>The NFU Mutual Charitable Trust offers grants in the UK to further its charitable objectives. Applicants do not have to be a registered charity to apply. Following a recent strategic review, the Trust has indicated that it will focus on providing funding to larger initiatives, which would have a significant impact on the rural community. The Trust is especially interested in funding initiatives in the areas of education of young people in rural areas and relieving poverty within rural areas.</p>	Annual deadlines of June and November

<p>Grants for charities</p>	<p>Masonic Charitable Foundation</p>	<p>https://mcf.org.uk/</p>	<p>Large grants (over £5,000) and Small grants (between £500 and £5000) to charities working in the following areas:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Hardship • Health and Disability • Education and Employability • Social Exclusion and Disadvantage <p>A Large Grant Enquiry Form must be submitted prior to completing a formal application for a Large Grant.</p>	<p>See website</p>
<p>Grants for disadvantaged young people</p>	<p>The Ironmongers Company</p>	<p>http://www.ironmongers.org/charity_organisation_s.htm</p>	<p>Grants of up to £10,000 but typically around £4,000 to support projects that provide opportunities for disadvantaged children and young people to fulfil their potential. Grants are only given to registered charities. Projects must meet all of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For children and young people under the age of 25 who are disadvantaged • Consist of educational activities that develop learning, motivation and skills • Have clear aims and objectives to be met within a planned timescale • Are within the UK 	<p>Annual deadlines of 31st July and 31st December</p>

ONGOING WITH NO DEADLINE				
Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline
Ideas Mean Business - Young Innovators' Programme	The Princes Trust and YOU.GOV	https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/help-for-young-people/princes-trust-online/young-innovators	The aim of this initiative is to find the next generation of young UK innovators and provide them with support, advice and funding. The programme is open to 18-30 year olds from a wide range of backgrounds who are looking to take their ideas to the next level. It will enable applicants to quickly receive advice, guidance and the chance to get access to transformative backing; helping to turn their ideas into reality.	Ongoing
Grants for workers in the drinks industry	The Benevolent – Drinks Industry Charity	http://www.thebenevolent.org.uk/	<p>Practical, emotional and financial help to current and former employees of the drinks industry and their families.</p> <p>The charity can provide one-off or regular financial grants, sheltered accommodation, care home facilities, advice, support and friendship.</p>	Ongoing
General grants	The Bothwell Charitable Trust	<p>The Trust does not maintain a website, further details can be found on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=299056&subid=0</p>	<p>The Bothwell Charitable Trust Grants between £5,000 and £10,000 to support charitable work across a number of fields, including but not limited to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's causes • Hospices • Countryside projects • Medical research • Disability • Social work 	Ongoing

			Charitable organisations based and working in Great Britain are eligible to apply. Applications can be made at any time.	
Grants for the aged, children, health and animal welfare	The Constance Paterson Charitable Foundation	The Foundation does not have a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=249556	Grants up to £2,500 for the aged, particularly those housing vulnerable older people, children, health, as well as animal welfare in England and Wales. There is no requirement for match funding. Applications can be made at any time and must be made in writing, including the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A cover letter, which details the proposal • Copies of the organisation's most recent reports and accounts. The Foundation makes donations once a year	Ongoing
Grants for youth sports	The Central Social and Recreational Trust	http://www.csrt.info/how-to-apply.html	Grants up to £1,000 to support amateur boxing clubs, amateur martial arts clubs and youth services. Grants can be used for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. All young people who are to benefit must be	Ongoing

			<p>under 21 years of age. The Trust will also consider the economic and social circumstances surrounding the beneficiaries of the grant.</p> <p>Sports clubs and organisations that are affiliated to their governing body are eligible to apply. The Trust likes to see an element of match funding in all applications.</p> <p>Applications may be submitted at any time.</p>	
Social Investment Fund	Homeless Link	http://www.homeless.org.uk/social-investment	<p>Homeless Link has £4.5m to invest over the next 3 years for charities and social enterprises across England working to reduce homelessness. The programme is said to be the first of its kind exclusively for the homelessness sector and one of very few sector-specific funds in existence.</p> <p>The aim of the fund is to test and learn where social investment can be most effectively used alongside other forms of funding to improve outcomes. It is looking to support organisations to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • increase the homelessness sector’s knowledge and experience of social investment • develop new models for income generation and funding • improve their long-term sustainability <p>This fund will focus on the potential that smaller</p>	Ongoing

			unsecured loans can have on creating change. The fund is offering unsecured loans of £25,000 to £150,000, repayable over a maximum term of 48 months.	
Grants for education and social welfare	The Filey Foundation Ltd	PLEASE NOTE: the Foundation does not maintain a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website. https://beta.companieshouse.gov.uk/company/06603645	Small grants to registered charities for education and social welfare. The Foundation's charitable objectives are: The advancement of education by providing and assisting in the provision of appropriate facilities required for such purposes; The relief of financial hardship, poverty and sickness by making grants of money for providing or paying for items, services or facilities, or providing such persons with goods or services which they could not otherwise afford through lack of means; and Such other charitable purpose as the Trustees may from time to time authorise Grant awards are likely to be modest.	Ongoing
Grants for students	The Gilchrist Educational Trust	http://www.gilchristgrants.org.uk/grants-to-organisations.html	<u>Grants to Individuals</u> Grants usually in the region of £500. Applicants must be full-time students at a British University. Awards are made to those who have made proper provision to fund a degree or higher education course but find themselves facing unexpected financial difficulties which may	Ongoing

			<p>prevent completion of it. Applications will normally be made during the last year of the course. Awards are also made to those who, as part of a degree course, are required to spend a short period studying in another country. Examples are the fieldwork necessary for a thesis or dissertation, or medical students' elective period of study.</p>	
Grants for health, education and community	Ladbrokes Coral Trust	<p>The Trust does not have a website but there are details on the Charity Commission website:-</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=1101804</p>	<p>This Trust considers requests for grant support from their shops and their supporting office fundraisers, as well as registered charities.</p> <p>The overarching principle behind funding from the Trust is that the causes supported serve the community in which the shops and businesses of Ladbrokes Betting and Gaming Ltd or Ladbrokes eGaming Limited operate.</p> <p>Grants are provided for a wide range of charitable causes, particularly in areas where Ladbrokes stores are located</p> <p>The majority of grants are likely to be for £5,000 or less. Categories most commonly given grants are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health – principally research, treatment, hospice services & disability support • Education – particularly supporting the disabled and disadvantaged • Community - focusing on projects for the 	Ongoing

			homeless and aged or social activity projects for those at risk The Trust meets every 4-6 weeks to consider grant requests.	
Grants for Orchards	Orchard Grants	https://ptes.org/campaigns/traditional-orchard-project/orchard-grants/	This grant scheme is specifically set up to improve and protect traditional orchards as biodiverse habitats in the long term. The funding is available to any owner or manager of an existing traditional orchard. This could be a community orchard, an orchard you manage, or one that you own yourself. If you do not own the orchard yourself, make sure you have the landowner's permission before applying for the grant. Funds can be used for rootstock and grafting materials or trees (four per quarter acre) To apply, you need to be 18 or over and have filled in a short orchard owner's questionnaire, which can be downloaded from the website.	The fund will remain open until it has all been allocated
General Grants	The Susanna Peake Charitable Trust	They do not maintain a website but further information is available on the Charity Commission website: http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-	This Trust offers grants of around £4,000 to charities and voluntary bodies. Activities funded have related to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and children • Medical, cancer and hospices • The Elderly • International and overseas charities 	Ongoing

		details/?regid=283462&subid=0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General and animal charitable organisations 	
Funding for housing, education, learning disability, interior decoration, design, landscape gardening	Oliver Ford Foundation	<p>The Foundation does not maintain a website. Nor does it advertise an email address. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>Groups are required to contact the Foundation by phone or in writing for details about how to apply.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1026551&subid=0</p>	<p>The Oliver Ford Foundation, also sometimes known as the Oliver Ford Will Trust (and previously the Oliver Ford Charitable Trust) supports projects and initiatives in the following fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing • Education • Training for individuals with a learning disability <p>Funding is also available for the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advancement of knowledge of the history and techniques of interior decoration • Design of fabrics and other decorative materials • Landscape gardening <p>Charitable organisations in the United Kingdom may apply for a grant of between £2,500 and £10,000.</p> <p>Larger awards are occasionally made. There is no requirement for match funding. The majority or awards are around £5,000.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for individuals in need	R L Glasspool Charity Trust	http://www.glasspool.org.uk/home/homepage	Grants for individuals in need for essential everyday items and training.	Ongoing

			<p>This Charity's vision is of a society where people in need receive sufficient support to over-come hardship. It is one of the few national charities making grants to individuals with no restrictions on the type of beneficiary it can support.</p> <p>The Charity provides timely, small, one-off grants to individuals and families in need of financial support for everyday items to help them set up or remain in their home and improve their well-being. In some instances the Charity provides grants to support training to enable applicants to take up an offer of employment.</p> <p>The Charity does not accept applications directly from individual members of the public. Only organisations that operate in England, Wales, Northern Ireland or Scotland and meet the following criteria are eligible to apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutory organisation that provides a health care, social care or advice service • Charity that directly provides, or is contracted to provide, a statutory health care, social care or advice service Citizens Advice Bureau • Prison or Probation Service (National Offender Management Service, NOMS) • Tenancy support worker employed by either a Local Authority, Industrial and Provident Society or a Housing Association which is registered with the Housing Corporation 	
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			Referring agencies must have a bank account in its own name. Payments will only be made to the referring agency.	
Galaxy Hot Chocolate Fund	Mars Foods	http://www.galaxyhotchocolate.com/ https://www.facebook.com/galaxyhotchoc?platform=hootsuite	<p>This fund aims to provide small, one-off grants for individuals and community groups whose projects focus on sporting and leisure activities and community improvement.</p> <p>Although the website says the programme is currently closed, it's worth keeping an eye on this and the corresponding Facebook page (see links below) to see when it reopens to applications.</p> <p>A maximum of one application per person/club/organisation is allowed. Each week, five awards of £250 are given out. One of these awards will go to the project receiving the most public votes each week, while the other four will be selected by a panel of judges who will judge each entry (and use of an award) based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The extent to which the proposed initiative will help the local community • The extent of the proposed initiative's reach • The perceived local need for such hobbies, sporting or leisure activities <p>To apply, organisations are invited to complete the online application form on the Galaxy Hot Chocolate Fund's website (once the scheme</p>	Ongoing but see website for when scheme re-opens.

			<p>reopens!).</p> <p>Applicants will be asked to describe in 200 words or less how the award will be used and why it would be beneficial.</p> <p>Applications which are not successful in any given week will automatically be carried forward to the following week, although any votes on the website for previous weeks will be discarded. Applications are considered on a weekly basis while the programme runs.</p> <p>The winners are selected on Monday each week. Entries and votes are taken up to 11:59pm each Sunday.</p>	
Funding for young people	The Blue Spark Foundation	http://bluesparkfoundation.org.uk/how-to-apply/	<p>A new charitable trust which provides grants, generally up to £5,000, to support the education and development of children and young people for educational, cultural, sporting and other small scale projects.</p> <p>The Foundation recognises that financial pressures on school and community budgets mean that many worthwhile projects which would help the education and development of children and young people may not get off the ground simply because of the absence of funding.</p> <p>Most grants are for £2,000 or less (please bear this in mind when making an application as the</p>	Ongoing

			<p>Foundation will only award the amount requested rather than a lesser amount). Very occasionally awards will exceed £10,000.</p> <p>Schools, community groups, clubs, societies and other organisations based and working in England can apply. Individuals and groups of individuals may also apply, although the Foundation points out that such applications are much less likely to secure funding.</p> <p>The Foundation aims to help children and young people reach their full potential by supporting projects which have the following objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encouraging independence • Developing team working skills • Developing self confidence • Promoting creativity and individuality • Encouraging aspiration • Enhancing educational achievement • Widening educational horizons <p>Particular consideration will be given to projects which the Foundation consider will help the self-confidence, team working skills and future employability of children and young people.</p> <p>Applications can be submitted at any time via their website</p>	
Funding for	The People's Trust	https://ptes.org/campaig	This grant scheme is specifically set up to	The fund will

			<p><i>research.</i></p> <p><i>There is no application form. Registered charities are requested to submit appeals to the Trustees by letter containing the following information:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Aims and objectives of the charity</i> • <i>The nature of the appeal</i> • <i>The total target if for a specific project</i> • <i>Other grant contributions received against the funding target</i> • <i>The applicant's registered charity number</i> • <i>Any other relevant factors</i> 	
Take It Away – loans for musical instruments for young people	Creative United backed by the Arts Council	http://www.takeitaway.org.uk/	<p>Interest free loans of between £100 and £5,000 for the purchase of musical instruments. Applications may be made at any time.</p> <p>The scheme is designed to help more children and young people get involved in learning and playing music.</p> <p>The scheme is for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People over 18 buying an instrument for a child under the age of 18 • People between 18 and 25 years old using the scheme to buy an instrument for themselves (or someone else, e.g. as a gift). <p>The interest-free loan helps spread the cost of buying an instrument. If the cost exceeds £5,000</p>	Ongoing

			<p>a loan can be used as part-payment towards the instrument/s.</p> <p>The scheme is offered through a network of 250+ music shops across England and Northern Ireland.</p> <p>The scheme is simple to use. Applicants just need to follow these steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 - Check if you're eligible; 2 - Find a participating store; 3 - Select your instrument; 4 - Complete the application form and customer survey/declaration; 5 - Pay your deposit and 6 - Take it away! <p>Find full details on eligibility and terms of loan on the Take It Away website. Applicants need to be a UK resident, working at least 16 hours per week, and be either 18-25 years old, or over 18 and buying an instrument for a child under 18 in order to be eligible to apply for a Take it away loan.</p>	
Funding for schools, colleges and universities to provide drinking water	Tapwater.org	http://www.tapwater.org/grants	<p>Grants of up to £3,000 to enable Universities, Schools and College, across the UK provide access to mains drinking water on campus while reducing the use of plastic bottled waters.</p> <p>Grants can be used for the installation of mains</p>	Ongoing but applicants are advised to apply 3 months before their project is

			<p>fed water machines and the provision of reusable stainless steel bottles to reduce the amount of waste to landfill. Grants of between £300 and £3,000 are available to fund all or part of project costs. Match funding is welcomed but not essential.</p> <p>The following criteria will be considered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The need for the project • Who will benefit • How the applicant will achieve the Tapwater.org outcome • Whether Tapwater.org have funded the applicant before • The school's income • The total project cost <p>Examples of eligible project costs include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mains fed water machines • Plumbing work to install machines • Electrical work to install machines • Buying of other items associated with mains fed machines • Any other items associated with mains drinking water in schools. <p>PLEASE NOTE: activities or services that schools have a statutory responsibility to provide cannot be covered by the Tap Water grants scheme.</p>	<p>due to start.</p>
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Grants for dementia and other purposes	The 4814 Trust	<p>They maintain a basic website: http://the4814trust.com/</p> <p>But further information can be found on the Charity Commission website: http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=1162714</p>	<p>A relatively new South West based (Blandford Forum, Dorset) grant-making Trust that gives grants to charitable organisations and individuals in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children • Young People facing disadvantage • People with disabilities • The elderly <p>At present, the Trust is particularly interested in receiving applications from small, innovative UK charities who "punch above their weight" and are focusing on dementia.</p>	Ongoing
Grants with emphasis on preserving the countryside	The Ninevah Charitable Trust	https://www.ninevehtrust.org.uk/how-to-apply/	<p>Grants up to £5,000 to UK Charities, charitable organisations and CICs for a wide range of UK-based projects and activities to benefit the public.</p> <p>The Trust provides funding for charitable projects that particularly meet its objectives of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The health, welfare and education of the general public • The study and appreciation of agriculture, horticulture, silviculture (the growing and cultivation of trees) and land and estate management; • The study and appreciation of ecology and land conservation 	Ongoing with applications considered quarterly.

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The study and appreciation of forms of agricultural practice or land management that would encourage the preservation of the countryside. 	
The American Express Philanthropic Programme	American Express	http://about.americanexpress.com/csr/howto.aspx	<p>The American Express Philanthropic Programme operates worldwide but some areas and countries, including the United Kingdom, are prioritised. The programme provides grant funding for projects by not-for-profit organisations that address either of the following 2 priorities:</p> <p>1. <u>Community Service</u></p> <p>Supported programmes must encourage community service and civic participation, and deliver measurable outcomes that have a lasting impact on communities through one or more of the following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Building the capacity of not-for-profits by assisting them in developing, engaging and retaining community members as volunteers Encouraging citizens to play an active role in civic processes (for example, democratic processes or voting); Engaging community members and American Express employees in ongoing service. This may include a variety of activities from promoting individual philanthropy, volunteering or participation in local civic organisations. 	Ongoing

			<p>2. <u>Leadership</u></p> <p>The Leadership Programme seeks the best methods, programmes and partners that provide current and future not-for-profit leaders with practical opportunities to learn and build leadership skills. It is especially interested in proposals that cultivate leadership opportunities for diverse communities within the not-for-profit sector or projects that focus on innovative leadership development programmes for emerging leaders of world-class institutions.</p> <p>Applications may be made at any time. There are no minimum or maximum funding levels as American Express like to judge each application on its own merits. There is an eligibility checker to complete before applying.</p>	
General Charitable Fund	John Lewis Partnership	https://www.johnlewispartnership.co.uk/csr/enhance-community-wellbeing/get-involved.html	<p>The John Lewis Partnership General Charitable Fund The John Lewis Partnership, which consists of John Lewis and Waitrose, favours charities local to the areas in which it operates or in which its partners are personally involved. The objective of the charity is to provide finance for charities and good causes that are beneficial to the community, including the advancement of education and the relief of poverty. The Partnership's funding priorities are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people • At risk groups 	Ongoing

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People who are sick or who have disabilities • People disadvantaged by poverty • People who are socially isolated <p>Registered charities and voluntary groups interested in applying are advised to contact the John Lewis Community Liaison Coordinator at your local branch or the Waitrose Champion for Community Giving at your local branch.</p>	
Grants for placing Christian books and DVDs in the community	Speaking Volumes	http://www.speakingvolumes.org.uk/apply-for-grant-funding/	<p>Grants up to £1,000 for placing Christian books and DVDs in the community anywhere they can be borrowed and enjoyed. The scheme will also fund groups or individuals who want to make a gift of Christian books to a library or other place in the community where they can be borrowed, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Libraries • Schools • Prisons • Care Homes • Hospices • Churches • Cafés • Hospitals <p>The books and DVDs must be selected from the list on the Speaking Volumes website (there's a wide range available), and must be borrowable by a wide readership and not be used for personal gifts or for re-sale.</p>	Ongoing

			Applications can come from any local group (they do not need to be faith based). There is no match funding requirement. Applicants are expected to provide proof of purchase and proof that the books have been placed in a community location within six months of the application being approved.	
General Funding	The Robin Mischeff Charitable Trust	The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information is available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1143219&subid=0	Small Grants (usually up to £1,000) for registered charities and charitable organisations, including voluntary groups. Grants are awarded against the following priorities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment/conservation/heritage • General charitable purposes • Arts/culture/heritage/science • Animals welfare • Education and training • The prevention or relief of poverty Principal beneficiary groups are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People with disabilities • Elderly/older people • Children and young people • The general public/mankind • Other charities or voluntary bodies 	Ongoing
Grants for children, young people and	The Helen Mary McCosh Charitable Trust	The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information is,	This Trust has broad grant-making criteria, with a preference for projects that support:	Ongoing

people with disabilities		<p>however, available on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=1086006</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people • People with disabilities <p>Registered charities, voluntary organisations and individuals throughout England and Wales may apply for grant support, but please note that awards are likely to be modest as the Trust's annual expenditure rarely exceeds £5,000 annually. Applications can be made at any time.</p>	
Funding for green initiatives and peace.	The Marmot Charitable Trust	<p>The Charity does not maintain a website. Further information can be found, however, on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1106619&subid=0</p>	<p>Small Grants (average is £4,800 or less) for green initiatives that lead the way towards a sustainable future. In addition, there is an interest in supporting peace and security organisations, in particular those that are working on nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation Applications may be made at any time in writing.</p> <p>The Trustees meet twice yearly in order to review policy and governance issues, also to make decisions about grants. Where appropriate fast track decisions on a number of grant applications are made between meetings.</p>	Ongoing
General funding	<i>The Shroder Charity Trust</i>	<p><i>The Trust does not maintain a website. Applications can be made in writing at any time. Further details are on the Charity Commission website:</i></p>	<p><i>A philanthropic family charitable trust that aims to support a broad range of charitable causes in the UK and occasionally overseas. Its main areas of focus are:</i></p> <p><i>Health and Welfare</i> <i>Young People and Education</i> <i>Community</i></p>	Ongoing

		http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=214050&subid=0	Arts and Culture Heritage The Environment International Relief and Development	
Funding for core costs	Christie Foundation	The Foundation does not maintain a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1151063&subid=0	A grant-making charity that will support charities and charitable organisations that are experiencing difficulty raising funds, by supporting core costs and operating expenses. Applications may be made at any time in writing.	Ongoing
Grants for Roman Catholic causes	Sir Harold Hood's Charitable Trust	The Trust does not maintain a website. Further details are, however, available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=225870&subid=0	Grants for UK voluntary and community organisations undertaking general charitable activities for Roman Catholic causes. There are no minimum or maximum grant levels. Previous awards have been for between £400 and £60,000. Awards can be made for overseas projects, but the applying organisation must be UK based. There is no stated requirement for match funding. Applications may be made at any time.	Ongoing
Microgrants	The Lynn	PLEASE NOTE: the	Microgrants (around £600) for individuals and	Ongoing

	Foundation	<p>Foundation does not maintain a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=326944&subid=0</p>	<p>charities. Awards are focused on the following beneficiary areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> People with disabilities Music and the arts Children and young people Hospices Medical charities <p>The Foundation also supports generable charitable causes.</p> <p>Grants awards are normally one-off for core costs as well as capital and revenue projects. The Foundation also provides loans to charities.</p>	
Grants for the arts, sport and medical research	J P Marland Charitable Trust	<p>http://www.marland.co/</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=1049350</p>	<p>J P Marland Charitable Trust Grants of around £2,000 - £4,000 for arts, sport and medical research. The vast majority of awards, which are normally one-off and can be for capital and revenue projects, are made in support of the arts.</p> <p>Please note that although the Trust's website encourages applications, it has previously stated that unsolicited applications are not encouraged. If you're interested in applying to the Trust, we suggest writing a letter of introduction. A letter of introduction should be short (no more than 5 paragraphs and no longer than a single page of A4) setting out who you are, what your organisation does, what you're asking for, any</p>	Ongoing

			further useful information and end with a simple 'thank you'.	
Grants for animal welfare	Margaret Coote Animal Charity Trust	The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=208493	Grants for the protection of horses, dogs, other animals or birds. The policy of the Trust is to focus on research into animal health and on the protection of species, while continuing to support general animal welfare. Registered charities and charitable organisations may apply.	Ongoing
Local support for charities	The White Stuff Foundation	http://www.whitestuff.com/foundation-partner-charities/	<i>Each White Stuff shop, together with its head office, and distribution centre is partnered with a charity operating within their local area and White Stuff employees are encouraged to develop a positive relationship with their partner charity through regular contact, fundraising activities and the provision of financial and non-financial support.</i> <i>There is a White Stuff shop in Bath and their current partner is Bath City Farm.</i> <i>Distributions to partner charities are made on a quarterly basis from core income received from White Stuff Limited and from the specific fundraising activities of the local shop, its customers and employees. We understand the</i>	Ongoing

			<p><i>White Stuff Foundation still maintains a small discretionary fund which allows the Foundation's Trustees to make ad hoc grants to other charities where they see fit, but please check with the Foundation for details.</i></p> <p><i>Before selection, each potential charity is assessed according to specific criteria which included the need to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• Be registered with the Charity Commission (or equivalent in another country);</i> <i>• Demonstrate operational and financial compliance, including the filing of unqualified audited accounts;</i> <i>• Work to make a positive difference within the local community in which it operates;</i> <i>• Operate in an area local to a White Stuff shop, office, distribution centre or supplier;</i> <i>• Be a smaller charity, with an annual income of generally no more than £3 million per annum; and</i> <i>• Engage with the local White Stuff representatives</i> <p><i>Contact the Foundation for details of its Charity Partners or how to apply for a grant from the small discretionary fund. Further information is available on the White Stuff Foundation website.</i></p>	
<i>General Funds for Charities</i>	<i>G S Plaut Charitable Trust</i>	<i>The Trust does not maintain a website. Further information is,</i>	<i>Grants of between £1,000 and £4,000 to UK registered charities for a wide range of charitable causes. There is no requirement for match</i>	<i>Ongoing with applications considered</i>

		<p>however, available on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=261469&subid=0</p>	<p>funding.</p> <p>Applications are considered twice a year, although interested applicants are invited to apply at any time by submitting a brief proposal in writing and include a stamped addressed envelope.</p>	<p>twice a year.</p>
<p>Grants to encourage the growth and development of hockey.</p>	<p>The National Hockey Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.thenationalhockeyfoundation.com/home</p>	<p>Grants between £10,000 and £75,000 to encourage the development and growth of hockey in England (applications may be made at any time)</p> <p>The National Hockey Foundation makes grants to a wide range of organisations (for example, clubs, limited companies, registered charities, not-for-profit organisations, schools, colleges and universities) that meet one of the Foundation's key priority areas of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Getting young people (under 21) to participate in the sport of hockey • Enabling the development of hockey at youth or community level • Supporting smaller charities • Young people and sport in Milton Keynes <p>Grant awards are for up to 50% of the total project cost and loans are sometimes available.</p>	<p>Applications may be made at any time and grants are generally awarded quarterly.</p>

Grants for disadvantaged children	The Thomas Cook Children's Charity	https://thomascookchildrenscharity.com/	<p>Grants to non-profit making groups of up to £5,000 for community projects that benefit disadvantaged children (0-18 years). Application is through nomination by customers and employees of Thomas Cook UK and Ireland.</p> <p>Projects can be in the UK or overseas. The scheme includes education/learning and short breaks in partnership with the Happy Days Children's Charity.</p> <p>The Trustees view this as a discretionary fund for which there is no open application process. However, interested applicants are advised to get in touch with Aoife McDonogh, Charitable Relations Manager by e-mail to charity@thomascook.com to nominate a charity to support.</p>	Ongoing
Grants to support women on low incomes	The Smallwood Trust	https://www.smallwoodtrust.org.uk/about	<p>The aim of this Trust is to enable women on low incomes to be financially resilient. They do this by making grants to individuals and to third sector organisations.</p> <p>Grants of between £20,000 and £30,000 per year for a period of up to 3 years are available to registered charities, social enterprises and other not-for-profit organisations.</p>	Ongoing
<i>Grants for animal welfare</i>	<i>The Marchig Animal Welfare Trust</i>	http://www.marchigtrust.org/contact.htm	<i>The aims of the Marchig Animal Welfare Trust are to protect animals and to promote and encourage</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

			<p><i>practical work in preventing animal cruelty and the relief of animal suffering. The Trust offers a grant scheme and an award programme (the Jeanne Marchig Awards). There is no minimum or maximum level of grant award. Grants can be substantial, however. Only registered charities may apply. There is a requirement for match funding – applicants are expected to have applied to other grant making trusts prior to approaching the Marchig Trust for support.</i></p>	
<p><i>Funding for high quality arts institutions and projects</i></p>	<p><i>Sir Siegmund Warburg's Voluntary Settlement</i></p>	<p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=286719&subid=0</p>	<p><i>Funding for registered charities that are developing high quality arts institutions and projects in the UK. Previous grants have been for between £5,000 and £250,000. There is no specified requirement for match funding.</i></p> <p><i>PLEASE NOTE: While the Trustees do consider unsolicited applications, they are likely to be able to support only a small proportion of those received. We recommend writing a letter of introduction to the Charity if you'd like to test whether they will be interested in providing grant support. The Charity has stated that its focus of charitable giving will continue to remain on the arts.</i></p> <p><i>The Charity does not maintain a website but further information is, however, available on the Charity Commission website.</i></p>	<p><i>Ongoing</i></p>
<p><i>Grants for</i></p>	<p><i>Ralph Levy</i></p>	<p><i>The Trust does not</i></p>	<p><i>Ralph Levy Charitable Trust Company Grants</i></p>	<p><i>Ongoing</i></p>

<p><i>Education, Social Welfare and Medical Research</i></p>	<p><i>Charitable Trust Company</i></p>	<p><i>maintain a website. Further information is available on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=200009&subid=0</p>	<p><i>for the promotion of:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Education</i> • <i>Social welfare</i> • <i>Medical research</i> <p><i>Organisations supported tend to be institutions involved in the areas of medical research, welfare and education.</i></p> <p><i>The Trustees meet monthly to approve applications.</i></p>	
<p>World War 1 Now and Then</p>	<p>Heritage Lottery Fund</p>	<p>https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/first-world-war-then-and-now</p>	<p>Grants up to £10,000 for not-for-profit organisations to support community projects in the UK which explore, conserve and share the heritage of the First World War.</p> <p>Projects should enable communities to understand more about the heritage of the First World War and benefit a wide range of people. In particular, priority will be given to projects that help young people aged 11 to 25 years to take an active part in the Centenary commemorations.</p> <p>Further information, including an application form, is available to download from the HLF website.</p>	<p>Will end in March 2019</p>
<p>Funding (last resort) for historic buildings and</p>	<p>The National Heritage Memorial Fund</p>	<p>http://www.nhmf.org.uk/funding</p>	<p>This is a funder of last resort but will provide grants or loans for such things as piers, promenades, steam railways and historic</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

items			<p>buildings. They only provide financial support when all other sources of finance have been exhausted and will only provide 100% funding in exceptional circumstances. Charities and other forms of not-for-profits, including local authorities, can apply for support.</p> <p>With the exception of historic buildings and structures, the Fund may also be able to help with conserving and restoring a heritage asset which is at risk and where there is a genuine fear that it may be damaged, developed in an inappropriate way or exported.</p> <p>The Fund can be used to help organisations buy buildings, land or historic items.</p> <p>Applications may be made at any time.</p>	
<i>Small grants for general charitable purposes</i>	<i>The Green and Lilian F M Ainsworth and Family Benevolent Fund</i>	<p><i>There is no website but further information can be found on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=267577</p>	<p><i>Grants up to £500 for charitable organisations carrying out social welfare activities in the UK (applications may be made in writing at any time).</i></p> <p><i>In particular, the Fund supports projects in the following fields:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Youth</i> • <i>Disability</i> • <i>Medical research</i> • <i>Health</i> • <i>The elderly</i> • <i>The disadvantaged</i> 	<i>Ongoing</i>

Small grants for general charitable purposes	The Fitton Trust	There is no website but further information can be found on the Charity Commission website http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=208758&subid=0	Small grants of up to £1,000 for a range of charitable purposes.	Ongoing
Funding for young people and older people with sensory disabilities	The Dorothy Hay-Bolton Charitable Trust	There is no website but further information can be found on the Charity Commission website http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1010438&subid=0	Grants for charitable organisations carrying out activities for young people and older people with sensory disabilities in the UK (applications may be made at any time). In particular, the programme wishes to fund projects for the benefit of children and young people, and older people. Grants are available between the values of £1,000 and £3,000.	Ongoing
Equipment Grants	Variety Club of Great Britain	https://www.variety.org.uk/what-we-do/equipment-grants	This scheme offers funding for specialist equipment which will be of clear direct benefit to a child or children up to the age of 18 with a disability/disabilities and/or with special needs. Most grants are for less than £5,000. Applications can be made on behalf of individual children. These must be supported by a letter from an appropriately qualified medical professional, such as an occupational therapist,	Ongoing but only one application per organization per year.

			<p>physiotherapist or paediatrician.</p> <p>Applications can also be made from non-profit making groups and organisations working with children up to, and including, the physical age of 18 years.</p> <p>There is no deadline but only one application per organisation is permitted per year.</p>	
Funding for young people	Lewis Hamilton Foundaiton	<p>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1124368&subid=0</p>	<p>A Grant-making charity established by the Formula 1 racing driver Lewis Carl Hamilton – who is still one of the Foundation’s three trustees - with the following youth-based charitable objectives:</p> <p>"The advancement in life and to relieve the needs of and to help children and young people through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborating with and providing funds to other suitably registered charities that support and benefit children and young people • Providing support and benefits to children and young people to enable them to develop their skills, capacities and capabilities to participate in society as mature and responsible individuals • Providing support and benefits to children and young people who have need by 	Ongoing

			<p>reason of their age, infirmity or disability, poverty or social and economic circumstances with a view to improving the conditions of life of such persons.</p> <p>Grants can be awarded to registered charities, charitable organisations and individuals according to its Charity Commission profile.</p> <p>Interested applicants are advised to contact the Foundation prior to making a formal request for funding</p>	
Funding for individuals in need	St Monica Trust	http://www.stmonicastrust.org.uk/what-we-do/community-fund/individuals-and-families	Funding for individuals in need in Bath and North East Somerset, Bristol, South Gloucestershire, North Somerset. To be eligible, you need to be over 40 and have a low income with limited savings. You can receive a gift to buy an item you need, or a short term grant to help you through a crisis.	Ongoing
The Environment Now (TEN)	02 Think Big	http://www.o2thinkbig.co.uk/the-environment-now	<p>O2's new Environment Now programme is designed to provide funding and support to young people in the UK aged between 17 and 24.</p> <p>The programme's aim is to help young adults develop their own digital ideas to help the environment, for example, by recycling, reducing waste and/or improving energy efficiency.</p> <p>Successful applicants will be supported by the programme providers, together with sustainability partners, and they will also be allocated a</p>	Ongoing

			<p>professional mentor to work with them.</p> <p>Grants up to a maximum of £10,000 are available. There is no minimum grant level, nor is there a match funding requirement.</p> <p>The programme will provide a total of 50 individual grants over its lifetime.</p>	
General grants	The Master Charitable Trust	<p>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1139904&subid=0</p>	<p>Grant-making trust with significant annual charitable expenditure covering a wide range of causes. Its policy is to make grants to UK registered charities or for charitable purposes in any part of the world as approved by its Trustees. Applications may be made at any time in writing.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for general charitable purposes	The Davis Foundation	<p>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1152998&subid=0</p>	<p>Grants for a wide range of charitable purposes, including the arts, the elderly and/or disabled, religious causes and young people. The Foundation awards grants to charitable organisations and individuals for projects in England and Wales, Israel and South Africa. For further information see the Journal below.</p> <p>The objects of the charity are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To help young people and particularly but not necessarily young people of the Jewish faith through financial support of activities such that they will develop and grow as members of society 	Ongoing

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To support organisations which support people who are elderly or disabled and who are in need • To educate the general public in the areas of opera, music and other creative and performing arts • To promote the study and appreciation of horticulture, gardening and garden design and the study and appreciation of ecology and conservation and the study and appreciation of flora and fauna • To support organisations which promote religious harmony • To support organisations which promote social inclusion • To support organisations which provide security and advice and training to those who are involved with religious based schools or places of worship • To support organisations which promote good race relations between the Jewish community and other members of society • To support organisations which promote good citizenship • To support organisations which relieve the victims of racial or religious harassment • To support organisations which promote research into racism. 	
South West Regional Growth Fund	SWIG Finance	https://www.swigfinance.co.uk/regional-growth-fund/	Loan scheme to assist businesses with the potential to grow and create or safeguard jobs in the South West of England. Not to be confused	Ongoing

			<p>with other South West Regional Growth Funds, this particular South West Regional Growth Fund is provided by SWIG Finance and has been made possible in the South West with the support of Lloyds Bank Commercial.</p> <p>The aim of this scheme is to assist businesses with the potential to grow and create or safeguard jobs. The scheme is available to small and medium sized companies in the following areas across the South West.</p> <p>The main terms of the scheme are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loans between £10,000 and £100,000 • Maximum five year term • 12% fixed interest • Arrangement fee of 3% payable on draw down • Company debentures and unsupported personal guarantees required <p>Enterprise Finance Guarantee Scheme will be considered where appropriate. There is no specified requirement for match funding. Applicants should contact the provider direct to discuss any additional criteria or deadlines that may apply.</p>	
<i>The Unforgettable Foundation –</i>	<i>The Unforgettable Foundation</i>	http://www.unforgettablefoundation.org/	<i>The charity's website states: "We will give grants to charities and educational</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

<i>Funding for Dementia</i>			<p><i>institutions registered in the UK so that they can help to improve the quality of life for all those affected by dementia. Our mission is to support individuals with dementia, their carers and close friends and family with day-to-day management of dementia enabling them to live better daily lives and enhancing their quality of life.</i></p> <p><i>We will achieve this by:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Education to increase awareness that it is possible to live well with dementia</i> • <i>Quality of life research</i> • <i>Greater access to useful information, advice, products and services that help to address predictable challenges in the dementia journey."</i> 	
<i>General funding for charitable purposes.</i>	<i>The Triple T Charitable Trust</i>	<p><i>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1161398&subid=0</p>	<p><i>The Triple T Charitable Trust is a relatively new South West England based charity founded on 23 April 2015, that spent its first year gearing up for grant-giving. The Trust's charitable objectives are extremely discretionary - it's objects are to "support general charitable puposes by making grants to charitable organisations in England and Wales".</i></p> <p><i>Because the Trust's charitable objects are so broad, applications are likely to be highly speculative with a limited chance of success.</i></p>	<i>Ongoing</i>
<i>Funding to</i>	<i>The Jusaca</i>	<i>There is no website but</i>	<i>A registered charity that gives grants to other</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

<p>charities for poverty, health, education, arts, housing, research</p>	<p>Charitable Trust</p>	<p>further information on the Charity Commission website. http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1012966&subid=0</p>	<p>charities throughout England and Wales active in the following fields:</p> <p>The alleviation of poverty The promotion of health The promotion of education The arts The provision of decent housing Research Religious activities, particularly those relating to the Jewish faith.</p> <p>The Trust's objective is to distribute at least 50% of donations to Jewish charities (in the UK, overseas and in Israel).</p> <p>Of the remainder about 40% is donated to charities operating in the UK and about 60% outside the UK.</p> <p>Those charities in receipt of grants are monitored to determine that their objectives are met.</p>	
<p>Grants to 'Go Nice Places and Do Good Things'</p>	<p>The Alpkit Foundation</p>	<p>https://www.alpkit.com/foundation</p>	<p>The Alpkit Foundation was set up in July 2015 to help people overcome obstacles and enable them to Go Nice Places and Do Good Things. It supports direct action where a positive difference can be made and to help people get out and experience wild places.</p> <p>This could be:</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £50 to £500 cash to individuals, groups, schools and organisations to enable outdoor experiences and expeditions that otherwise couldn't happen; e.g. giving a cash grant to a school to fund transport costs • Provide discounted equipment for purposeful adventures and expeditions to individuals, groups, schools and organisations at discounts that wouldn't be viable without support from the Alpkit Foundation • Support outdoor educational programs; e.g. grants for expedition First Aiders or Mountain Leader Training that wouldn't be possible without Alpkit Foundation support • Support conservation and environmental projects; e.g. grants to help rewild woodland 	
<i>Grants for children and medical research</i>	<i>The Felicity Wilde Charitable Trust</i>	<p><i>There is no website but further information on the Charity Commission website.</i></p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=264404&subid=0</p>	<i>Grants usually in the region of £1,000 for UK charitable organisations undertaking projects for the benefit of children and to undertake medical research, particularly into the cause and cure of asthma. Applications may be made at any time.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Funding for families with	Family Fund Trust	https://www.familyfund.org.uk/	The Family Fund Trust will look at any grant request that relates to the needs of a disabled or	Ongoing

severely disabled children			<p>seriously ill child, young person and their family. This might be, for example, for furniture, clothing, bedding, kitchen appliances, sensory toys, computers or tablets, a family break or something to help with college for 16 and 17 year olds.</p> <p>The child's condition must be long-term or life-limiting. By 'long-term' the Fund means lasting or likely to last 12 months or more.</p> <p>Grant awards are discretionary and subject to available funding. This can mean that an application may be declined in instances where a family has a significant level of capital or household income.</p> <p>Application forms are available to download from the Family Fund's website.</p>	
Funding and support for working or retired farmers, farm managers, farm workers facing financial difficulty.	Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution (RABI)	http://rabi.org.uk/	<p>The Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution (RABI) is dedicated to helping those in need in England and Wales who are currently working full-time in agriculture as a farmer, farm manager or farm worker, or have previously done so for at least ten years and are now retired or have had to give up work due to chronic illness or disability.</p> <p>The Institution can provide welfare advice, care and financial provision. Eligible applicants include farmers, farm managers, agricultural workers and their dependants, who are on low incomes and have less than £10,000 in savings,</p>	Ongoing

			<p>according to the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The retired applicants must normally be aged at least 65 and have worked full-time on the land for a minimum of 10 years. These qualifications can be waived where an applicant has had to cease working due to illness or disability, or has served in the Women's Land Army • Those applicants who are working must be experiencing exceptionally difficult circumstances of a temporary nature. <p>Applicants should show what other sources of funding have been sought and secured. Before financial assistance is granted, a RABI Welfare Officer will visit to ensure there is genuine need, as well as providing advice on entitlement to state benefits.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: grant support does not include compensating for business debts.</p> <p>Initial applications, which may be made at any time, should be made in writing to RABI. A RABI Welfare Officer will then assess each case and complete the relevant forms, which includes an assessment of other support an applicant may need. The Institution meets approximately every six weeks to consider applications.</p> <p>For further information, visit the Royal Agricultural</p>	
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			Benevolent Institution website.	
Activities, TVs and TV Licences for serving wounded, injured or sick and for ex-service men and women with disabilities	The Not Forgotten Association	http://www.nfassociation.org/	<p>A unique national tri-service charity which provides entertainment and recreation for the benefit of the serving wounded, injured or sick and for ex-service men and women with disabilities. The Charity organizes a number of events, concerts, garden parties etc a year. Invitations to nominate individuals to attend events are sent to ex-service associations, veterans organisations, other service charities and Personnel Recovery Centre/Units.</p> <p>The Charity can also provide televisions or TV Licenses for ex-service men and women who are housebound or who have limited mobility due to physical or mental injury or disability, and are therefore generally unable to benefit from their other activities. Applications for support are made through the main services charities such as SSAFA, The Royal British Legion, Combat Stress and Veterans Aid.</p> <p>The Charity also provides televisions and licences to ex-service care homes, hospitals, hostels, housing projects and rehabilitation centres, for use in both individual rooms and communal areas. For further information email: tv@nfassociation.org</p>	Ongoing
Making dreams come true for	Promise Dreams	http://promisedreams.co.uk/about-us/	Charity aiming to make the dreams of seriously or terminally ill children (up to age 18) come true.	Ongoing – Trustees meet

seriously or terminally ill children			<p>These can be a dream, such as the trip of a lifetime or chance to meet a celebrity or something that will make a difference to the child/family every day, such as medical equipment, home adaptations or a wheelchair. The only thing they cannot fund at present is a garden alteration in terms of physical landscaping of the garden. However, they have been able to help with garden equipment such as sensory items or specialist play equipment and making gardens wheelchair accessible.</p>	monthly.
Lego Charity and Donations	Lego	<p>https://www.lego.com/en-gb/aboutus/contact/charity-donations</p>	<p>For more than 80 years, the core values of the LEGO Group have been Fun, Creativity, Imagination, Learning, Quality and Caring, and we want to make a positive impact on children's lives through play. We support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • projects that are 100% charitable. • charitable organisations which promote children's play, learning and creativity. • charitable organisations which support marginalised and vulnerable children. <p>We do not:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • give financial support • do sponsorships • provide donations for lotteries, fairs, prizes, parties, festivals, team building events or the like • donate products to summer camps, waiting 	Ongoing

			<p>rooms, students' projects, libraries or the like</p> <p>If your project meets the criteria listed above and you wish to enquire about a product donation, please e-mail Charity@LEGO.com</p>	
Partnership Schemes in Conservation Areas	Historic England	https://www.historicengland.org.uk/services-skills/grants/our-grant-schemes/partnership-schemes-in-conservation-areas/	<p>This scheme is designed to target funding for the preservation and enhancement of conservation areas. It is based on partnerships between English Heritage, local authorities, who must be the lead partner and applicant, and other funding partners.</p> <p>The partnership takes the form of an agreement between Historic England and the local authority. The day-to-day running of the scheme is delegated to the local authority for a fixed term of up to five years. The level of funding available under this scheme is discretionary and can be substantial. Partnership schemes can provide grants for the following kinds of work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major repairs to the structure and external fabric of historic buildings • Reinstating architectural features of historic buildings and their settings • Repair of the public realm where this would significantly improve the conservation area • Extra management and administration costs of running a partnership scheme. 	Ongoing

			<p>To qualify for Historic England funding, applicants must show that that the proposed scheme</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is within a conservation area • Can attract partnership funding • Meets one of the local priorities • Will involve a range of work to a number of buildings, structures or spaces within a defined area • Will target at least 60% of partnership funding towards building repairs • Will require property owners to contribute financially towards grant-funded works to their property <p>Partnership schemes cannot fund the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demolitions • Conversions and alterations • Modernisation • Building services • Substitute materials • Conjectural reinstatement • Maintenance and minor repairs • Work eligible under other Historic England schemes • Existing local authority staffing or running costs • Work started without prior consent and before a written offer of grant has been 	
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			<p>made and accepted by the individual building owner</p> <p>Applications are accepted throughout the year. Applicants should discuss their proposals with the relevant local office of Historic England. Contact details for the local offices can be found on the Historic England website.</p>	
<p>Grants to registered charities for a range of purposes</p>	<p>The Brown Source Trust</p>	<p>No website. Applications to Coutts and Co. Trustee Department 6th Floor Trinity Quay 2 Avon Street Bristol BS2 0PT Tel: 0207 663 6826</p>	<p>A Bristol based Trust that supports registered charities working in the following fields:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education • Training • The advancement of health • The prevention or relief of poverty • The environment • Conservation • Heritage • General charitable purposes <p>Awards indicate a preference for overseas and international causes.</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
<p>Culture UK Artists First BBC Commissioning Fund</p>	<p>The BBC and the Arts Council England, the Arts Council for Wales, Creative Scotland and the Arts Council for Northern Ireland</p>	<p>http://www.bbc.co.uk/mediacentre/mediapacks/culture-uk</p>	<p>Funding to connect the UK's art and culture offering, prioritising artists and arts organisations wishing to create new works for broadcast and online.</p> <p>The Fund also aims to develop UK-wide cultural festivals to reach new audiences, create opportunities to showcase emerging and diverse</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

			<p>talent, and use technology to inspire new experiences in the arts.</p> <p>The partnership is committing to 3 UK-wide cultural festivals a year, forming a planning and development group with representation from across the UK to enable this. The aim is to excite the nation about the arts, opening up funding to a range of arts organisations to make content which can be shown on the BBC and develop UK-wide cultural festivals that can:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reach new audiences • Create opportunities to showcase emerging and diverse talent • Make the most of technology to inspire new experiences in the arts <p>Artists and arts organisations in the UK will be eligible for support. Those interested in finding out more or registering their interest are advised to liaise with the funding provider in the first instance to discuss eligibility. Expressions of Interest may be made at any time via the BBC's culture pages.</p>	
Emergency Essentials Families Programme	Buttle UK	http://www.buttleuk.org/need-support/families/all#help	The programme provides items for the most basic needs of vulnerable children and young people who may be experiencing abuse, neglect, disability or poverty. Grants of up to £300 are available for:	Ongoing

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children aged 18 years or under living with parents or carers • Young people aged 20 years and under who are living independently who are estranged or orphaned <p>Requests will be considered on behalf of those who are living in severe poverty, suffering deprivation as a result and who are facing additional social issues such as domestic abuse, drug and alcohol misuse, estrangement, illness, distress, abuse, neglect, behavioural or mental health issues. Priority will be given to applications from children and young people who are facing exceptionally difficult circumstances or who are facing a crisis situation.</p> <p>Grants are made for the following critical household items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gas or electric cookers Essential household items, furniture and kitchen equipment Clothing in exceptional or emergency situations • Baby equipment Fridges and freezers • Washing machines • Children's beds and bedding. <p>Normally only one item can be considered per application. Applications based mainly on</p>	
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			<p>financial hardship will not normally be considered.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: applications must be made through an organisation that is supporting the family or young person and is capable of assessing their needs, and that can also administer the grant.</p> <p>Applications may be submitted at any time ideally online via their website.</p>	
Computers for Rural People	The Rank Foundation	http://germinate.net/mision/computers-for-rural-people	<p>Laptops and desktop computers available at extra-low charity prices for individuals, community groups, schools and businesses living and/or working in a rural area. A fully functioning, internet ready computer with pre-installed Microsoft software can be provided for as little as £130.</p> <p>Computers are delivered directly to applicants with a three-month warranty. PLEASE NOTE: these are reconditioned computers that have been fully refurbished, rather than completely new PCs or laptops.</p> <p>Eligibility extends to people and organisations in country towns as well as villages, hamlets and individual properties such as farmhouses. The usual definition of a rural settlement of having a population of less than 10,000 should apply to the scheme, but we recommend checking with the Rank Foundation if you're interested in applying</p>	Ongoing

			<p>but unsure whether you meet the criteria.</p> <p>The cost of the computer includes a £20 donation to Germinate, The Arthur Rank Centre, to help cover the cost of the scheme.</p>	
Grants for registered charities	The David and Ruth Lewis Family Charitable Trust	<p>Further information on the Charity Commission website:</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=259892</p>	<p>Grants generally between £1,000 and £170,000 to registered charities, particularly those undertaking projects in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education • Medical research • Children's social care • Support for the elderly • General charitable purposes <p>Some medical research grants can run for a period of three years. Larger awards tend to be for larger, nationally prominent charities or Jewish causes. The Trust will consider requests for grant support from various charities, not merely restricted to its preferred funding areas. In exceptional circumstances the Trustees will consider making grants to individuals for charitable purposes.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for Social Welfare and Education	HC Foundation	<p>No website. Contact</p> <p>Mr John Hamer 1 Bridge Lane Suite 1a First Floor</p>	<p>A relatively new Foundation giving grants for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the advancement of education by providing and assisting in the provision of appropriate facilities required for such purposes 	Ongoing

		London NW11 0EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The relief of financial hardship, poverty and sickness by making grants of money for providing or paying for items, services or facilities, or providing such persons with goods or services which they could not otherwise afford through lack of means • Such other charitable purpose as the trustees may from time to time authorize. 	
Grants for Pet Rescue	Support Adoption for Pets	https://www.supportadoptionforpets.co.uk/grant-applications	Funding for pet rescue organisations (they do not have to be registered charities) for purposes that make a real difference to the welfare of UK domestic pets in rescue and aim to reduce the number of domestic pets in rescue. All funding requests must be for purposes which have a direct impact on the welfare of the pets.	Ongoing
Resilient Heritage	Heritage Lottery Fund	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/resilient-heritage	This is a new programme. Grants of £3,000-£250,000 are available to organisations in the UK who want to build their capacity or achieve strategic change to improve the management of heritage. Grants can fund activities to help acquire new skills or knowledge, or new models of governance, leadership and business to put your organisation in a better position for the future. Organisations in the early stages of planning their activities may also apply. Whether you're facing challenges around income and fundraising, or preparing to take on new forms of investment, such as social investment, Resilient Heritage can support these processes.	Ongoing

<p>Grants for Charities working with the elderly and young people.</p>	<p>Skipton Charitable Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.skiptoncharitablefoundation.co.uk/</p>	<p>Grants of up to £3,000 to registered charities based in the UK, particularly in areas near the Society's Principal Office or one of its branches. The Trustees focus is on charities which benefit children, through education and/or welfare, youth schemes and projects, or the elderly and their care</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
<p>Small and Large Grants for land-based learning</p>	<p>Ernest Cook Trust</p>	<p>http://ernestcooktrust.org.uk/</p>	<p>As well as offering a wide-ranging programme of land-based learning for children and young people, the Ernest Cook Trust gives grants to registered charities, schools and not-for-profit organisations wishing to encourage young people's interest either in the countryside. A large grants programme for awards of over £4,000 and a small grants programme for awards of under £4,000 operate throughout the year.</p> <p>See their website for further details on the application process and restrictions.</p>	<p>Ongoing – next application deadline is 31st January 2018</p>
<p>Grants for general charitable purposes</p>	<p>The RJ and AH Daniels Charitable Trust</p>	<p>No website. Contact: Karen Wall The RJ and AH Daniels Charitable Trust Sg Kleinwort Hambros Trust Company (UK) Limited 8 St James's Square London SW1Y 4JU</p>	<p>Grants, usually between £1,000 and £4,000 for general charitable purposes.</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

		Tel: 0203 207 7041		
The Enterprising West of England Programme – business support	<p>Business West</p> <p>The programme is funded by the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) and delivered by Business West, The Prince's Trust, YTKO Group, Bristol City Council, Bath and North East Somerset Council, North Somerset Council and South Gloucestershire Council.</p>	<p>https://www.businesswest.co.uk/blog/%C2%A34m-business-support-services-escalate-growth-across-west-england</p>	<p>Support for the growth of businesses in South West England through investment and providing business advice (businesses may join the programme at any time). The West of England covers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bath & North East Somerset Council • Bristol City Council • North Somerset Council • South Gloucestershire Council <p>The programme aims to support the business growth of Small to Medium Size Enterprises (SMEs) through access to business support services with specific activities targeted at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young people aged 18-30 • Disadvantaged area • Ethnic minorities in the above geographic area <p>Four levels of support are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Start-up • Get investment ready • Scale up • Work efficiently 	Ongoing at present

			<p>Small to Medium Size Enterprises (SMEs) based in the West of England may apply. Businesses may join the programme at any time.</p> <p>Interested parties should contact Business West to arrange a one-to-one meeting in order to discuss business needs and to identify a journey of tailored business support.</p>	
Local Community Fund	Co-op	https://www.coop.co.uk/membership/local-community-fund	<p>Every time members shop at Co-op, 1% of what they spend on own brand products and services goes to the Co-op Local Community Fund. In addition money is added from the sale of carrier bags (single use and re-usable). Members can go on line to choose which cause they want their 1% to go to. To be one of the causes chosen, keep checking the website – the next round should open in May.</p>	Ongoing – keep checking the website.
Grants for groups that often face isolation, stigma and discrimination	The Allen Lane Foundation	http://allenlane.org.uk/our-funding/	<p>This Foundation likes to fund projects that reduce isolation, stigma and discrimination. They focus on specific groups of adult beneficiaries including older people, people with mental health issues, offenders and ex-offenders, people suffering violence or abuse, refugees and asylum seekers and Gypsies and Travellers. The Foundation will make grants for start-up, core or project costs. Funds of up to £15,000 are available but grants are usually for £5,000 - £6,000.</p>	Ongoing
Connecting Communities	Esmee Fairbairn Foundation via the	https://www.the-foundation.org.uk/grants	<p>Grants of up to £1,000 available. The programme is specifically aimed at small charitable</p>	Ongoing

Small Grants Fund	South West Foundation	-and-resources-for-groups/	<p>community groups with an annual turnover of less than £25,000. You do not need to be a registered charity. 80% of the organisations funded through this programme are not registered in any way.</p> <p>You may have a good idea for a community group that is needed in your local area but you may not yet be established. If you are at this stage and you would like to talk to the South West Foundation about your idea they would be pleased to hear from you and advise on what you would need to have in place before a grant can be allocated.</p> <p>The programme gives priority to small groups in rural areas, market and coastal towns but also considers applications from under-represented groups in the more urban areas.</p>	
Grants to enable disabled children and young people up to age 26 to participate in sport.	Get Kids Going!	http://www.getkidsgoing.com/	<p>The principal policy of Get Kids Going! Is to give disabled children and young people up to the age of 26 the opportunity of participating in sports by providing them with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specially built, bespoke wheelchairs or other sports equipment; and • Annual sports grants to support training and travel to events and competitions. <p>Grants may be made for one-off purchases or, depending on circumstances, for much longer term, staged support.</p>	Ongoing

			Grants are available to individuals, registered charities and national sporting bodies. E-mail for an application form info@getkidsgoing.com	
Grants for charitable purposes	The Oliver Stanley Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: The Oliver Stanley Charitable Trust Rathbone Trust Company Ltd 4 th Floor 1 Curzon Street London W1J 5FB Tel: 0207 399 0000	Grants between £500 and £2,000 usually, though not exclusively, to registered charities throughout the UK for:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relieve poverty, with particular reference to housing needs and the needs of old age and persons in failing health • Contribute towards medical research • Benefit children in need, with special reference to handicapped children and their education, and children in under developed countries • Support the maintenance and development of the Arts, particularly music, the performing arts, museums and art galleries 	Ongoing
The Foyle Schools Library Scheme	Foyle Foundation	http://www.foylefoundation.org.uk/how-to-apply/state-schools.php	Grants usually between £1,000 and £10,000 for state primary schools to support the funding of library books; library software or IT equipment for use within the library. Priority is given to schools that are working in partnership with other local primary/secondary schools to improve reading standards, and in areas of deprivation.	Ongoing
Together Grants	Churches Urban Fund	https://www.cuf.org.uk/together-grants	Grants of up to £5,000 for faith-based organisations to engage in social action, either for initiating or developing community work. The	Ongoing

			<p>activity should meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It must be directly tackling poverty. We favour activities that are working directly with people in need. • The lead applicant must be faith-based. • Applicants need to be working in partnership with at least one other organisation. These do not need to be faith-based. • The activity must have a local focus, being based locally with community involvement in identifying needs, initiating responses and running the project. 	
Grants for disadvantaged or deprived	Coventry Building Society Charitable Foundation	<p>https://www.coventrybuildingssociety.co.uk/consumer/who-we-are/charities/charitable-foundation.html</p> <p>http://www.somersetcf.org.uk/</p>	<p>Grants of up to £2,000 for projects which focus on:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young people, particularly those who are disadvantaged • Vulnerable groups such as the frail elderly, people with physical disability, people with learning difficulties or those who are mentally ill • Small neighbourhood groups in areas where they are experiencing the greatest disadvantage • Supporting communities and voluntary organisations through assisting them in the achievement of social and community development 	Ongoing

			The Fund is administered locally Somerset Community Foundation.	
Grants	The Kenneth and Susan Green Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Mr. Philip Stokes Kenneth Green Associates Hill House Monument Hill Weybridge KT13 8RX Tel: 01932 827 060	Grants to charitable organisations for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The relief of poverty • The advancement of education • The advancement of health and the saving of lives • The advancement of the arts, culture, heritage and science Other charitable causes are also supported at the Foundation's discretion. No minimum or maximum grants specified.	Ongoing
Grants for disabled gardeners	Gardening for the Disabled Trust	http://gardeningfordisabledtrust.org.uk/the-trust/apply-for-a-grant/	This Trust gives grants to people in order that they may continue to garden despite disability or advancing illness. In order to apply, you must become a member of their Garden Club (which is free). A short note from a doctor, social services or salaried project leader confirming your disability is also required.	Ongoing
Pebbles Small Grant Programme	The Rank Foundation	http://www.rankfoundation.com/small-appeals/	Grants to UK registered charities and churches for projects that benefit UK communities and cost less than £1m. In particular: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific projects for which the mainstay is capital costs – building work, refurbishment or the purchase of long-term equipment • A one-off short term activity, such as an 	Ongoing

			annual respite break or holiday for disadvantaged young people.	
Grants for general charitable purposes	Elizabeth Frankland Moore and Star Foundation	No website but further information on the Charity Commission website: http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=257711	Grants typically from £1,000 to £20,000 to other charities and individuals throughout the UK. The Foundation's objectives are purposefully wide-ranging as they "particularly aware that for many charities, meeting their basic core costs presents a significant challenge".	Ongoing
Grants	<i>The Late St Patrick White</i>	No website but further details on the Charity Commission website http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1056520&subid=0	<i>The Late St Patrick White Charitable Trust offers grants to UK registered charities for general charitable purposes, although the Trust appears to have a preference for making several grants per year to a specific group of charities.</i>	Ongoing
Grants	<i>The Dorothy Holmes Charitable Trust</i>	No website but further details on the Charity Commission website http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=237213	<i>Grants usually between £2,000 and £3,000 for smaller registered charities undertaking projects in the UK benefiting children and young people, the elderly, people with disabilities and medical research.</i>	Ongoing
Grants for	Happy Days Charity	https://www.happydaysc	A national children's charity dedicated to	Ongoing

disadvantaged young people		charity.org/	<p>providing holidays, days out, and theatre trips for disadvantaged young people with special needs. The Charity supports families with children aged 3-17 who have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning difficulties • Physical or mental disabilities • Acute, chronic or life limiting illnesses • Been abused or neglected • Witnessed domestic violence • Been bereaved • Have responsibility as a carer for a parent or a sibling <p>Eligible applicants can apply for the costs of day trips, group activity holidays or family respite breaks.</p>	
Grants for general charitable purposes particularly children and young people or those with sight or hearing impairment	The Dixie Rose Findlay Charitable Trust	<p>No website but further information on the Charity Commission website:-</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=251661&subid=0</p>	Grants to charities and other voluntary organisations for general charitable purposes. In the past the Trust has demonstrated a preference for funding charitable organisations working with children and young people, as well as people who are blind or have a hearing or sight impairment.	Ongoing
Grants for the preservation of	Alan Evans Memorial Trust	No website but further information on the Charity Commission	A South West based Trust aiming to fund projects for the permanent preservation of areas of natural beauty or historic interest, including buildings and	Ongoing

		<p>website:-</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=326263</p>	<p>projects involving animal or plant life. Grants are generally for £1 - £1,500 but can be higher. They are available to charities and other voluntary organisations.</p>	
Grants for general charitable purposes	The Fairstead Trust	<p>No website but further information on the Charity Commission website:</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=1096359&subid=0</p>	<p>Grants usually between £1,000 and £30,000 to UK registered charities for general purposes.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for general charitable purposes	The Rest-Harrow Trust	<p>No website but further information on the Charity Commission website:</p> <p>http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=238042</p>	<p>Small grants (up to £2,000 but usually for £100 or £200) to charities and other voluntary organisations for general, charitable purposes.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for IT	Worshipful Company of Information Technologists	<p>https://www.wcit.org.uk/staticc/SupportCauses.html</p>	<p>Funding for Information Technology (IT) related projects and provision of pro-bono IT consultancy which fit with the Charity's following objectives of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The advancement of education and training of the public in matters related to 	Ongoing

			<p>information technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promoting the effectiveness and efficiency of charities and the effective use of resources by the provision of advice and support in relation to information technology <p>There is no requirement for match funding. The Charity is often able to add value to funded projects by offering Pro-Bono IT Consultancy to organisations.</p>	
<i>The Laing Family Trusts</i>	<i>The Laing Family Trusts</i>	http://www.laingfamilytrusts.org.uk/about.html	<i>Four grant making trusts with one administration funding a variety of projects. Applicants must be registered charities.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Grants for specialized aids for young people.	Children Today Charitable Trust	http://www.childrentoday.org.uk/	The provision of aids designed to improve and enhance the lives of children and young people with disabilities. Grants are for equipment for individuals only – groups or schools are not eligible to apply.	Ongoing
Grants	The Mildred Duveen Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Peter Holgate The Mildred Duveen Charitable Trust Devonshire House 60 Goswell Road London EC1M 7AD Email: pholgate@kingstonsmit	The Mildred Duveen Charitable Trust is a registered charity (no. 1059355) and grant making Trust which funds charities and voluntary bodies. Grants are between £500 and £10,000.	Ongoing

		h.co.uk		
Grants for protecting health and relieving financial hardship	The Debenhams Foundation	http://sustainability.debenhamsplc.com/debenhams-foundation/ Tel: 020 3549 7891 E-mail: press.office@debenhams.com Debenhams plc 10 Brock Street Regent's Place London NW1 3FG	<p>The Debenhams Foundation is a registered charity (no. 1147682) with the following charitable objectives:</p> <p>“To fund causes that focus on preserving and protecting health and relieving financial hardships primarily, but not exclusively, by making grants.</p> <p>The charity also supports fashion, targets breast cancer and charities which operate in the Debenhams store community.” Registered charities and community organisations may apply for a grant.</p> <p>Applications may be made at any time in writing to the address below or you may approach your local store for support for community projects.</p>	Ongoing
Rural Community Energy Fund	Wrap	http://www.wrap.org.uk/content/rural-community-energy-fund	<p>Supporting rural communities in England to develop renewable energy projects which provide economic and social benefits to the community. The fund will provide up to approximately £150,000 of funding for feasibility and pre-planning development work to help projects become investment ready. RCEF provides support in two stages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stage 1 provides a grant of up to approximately £20,000 to pay for an initial 	Ongoing

			<p>investigation into the feasibility of a renewable energy project.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stage 2 provides an unsecured loan of up to approximately £130,000 to support planning applications and develop a robust business case to attract further investment. Applications will be reviewed on a monthly basis and there is no set deadline for bids 	
Grants for the Arts	Art Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/applying-grants-arts#section-1	Grants of between £1000 and £100,000 are available for eligible individuals, organisations, libraries and museums for a range of activities including: Audio-visual, broadcast and transmission, buildings and infrastructure, capacity building, commissioning, digital creation, diversity and equality, education and learning, exhibition, festival, organisational development, original work, participation, performance, production, professional development, publishing, research and development, sector development, talent development and touring.	Ongoing
Young Roots	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/young-roots	For projects that engage young people with heritage in the UK. Applications can be made for a grant of more than £10,000 and up to £50,000. Under this programme, HLF fund partnerships between heritage and youth organisations to help young people shape and deliver their own projects in safe environments.	Ongoing
Our Heritage	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/our-heritage	For any type of project related to national, regional or local heritage in the UK. Applications	Ongoing

		programmes/our-heritage	can be made for a grant of more than £10,000 and up to £100,000. HLF fund applications from not-for-profit organisations, private owners of heritage (including individuals and for-profit organisations) and partnerships.	
Sharing Heritage	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/sharing-heritage	For any type of project related to national, regional or local heritage in the UK. Applications can be made for a grant from £3,000 to £10,000. The fund is available to not-for-profit organisations or partnerships led by not-for-profit organisations wanting to explore, share and celebrate their community's heritage.	Ongoing
Resilient Heritage	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/resilient-heritage	Grants of £3,000-£250,000 are available to organisations in the UK who want to build their capacity or achieve strategic change to improve the management of heritage. Grants can fund activities to help you acquire new skills or knowledge, or new models of governance, leadership and business to put your organisation in a better position for the future. Organisations in the early stages of planning their activities may also apply. Whether you're facing challenges around income and fundraising, or preparing to take on new forms of investment, such as social investment, Resilient Heritage can support these processes.	Ongoing
Premier League and The FA Facilities Fund	Football Foundation	http://www.footballfoundation.org.uk/funding-schemes/premier-	Grants of between £10,000 and £500,000 for building or refurbishing grassroots facilities, such as changing pavilions and playing surfaces for	Ongoing

		league-the-fa-facilities-fund/	<p>community benefit. The Fund is available to football clubs, schools, councils and local sports associations and gives grants for projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve facilities for football and other sport in local communities. • Sustain or increase participation amongst children and adults, regardless of background age, or ability. • Help children and adults to develop their physical, mental, social and moral capacities through regular participation in sport. 	
Fans Fund Small Grants Scheme – Football	Football Stadium Improvement Fund	http://www.fsif.co.uk/funding/fans-fund-small-grants-scheme/	<p>A three-year commitment from the Premier League to fund projects and organisations which</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve the relationship between fans and their clubs • Improve the way football supporters engage with each other • Improve fans' experience of the game. <p>Grants of up to £20,000 available.</p>	Ongoing
Community Shares Booster Programme – Power to Change	Co-operatives UK and Locality	http://communityshares.org.uk/community-shares-booster-programme-0	<p>An initiative to support and stimulate public involvement with community share offers in England, particularly in more disadvantaged areas and sectors where community businesses are under-represented. If successful your community group or business could receive a business development support grant up to</p>	Ongoing – applications assessed monthly until funds have been committed.

			£10,000 in advance of launching your community share offer. After that, your organisation could have access to up to £100,000 match funding in the form of an equity investment by Co-operatives UK when the share offer goes live.	
Woodland Carbon Fund	Forestry Commission	http://www.forestry.gov.uk/england-wcf	Grants of up to £6,800 per hectare to create new woodland, or up to £8,500 per hectare if you provide permissive access across the woodland (dependent on its location). Successful applications will be for large-scale (>30 ha with a minimum block size of 10 ha), predominantly productive woodland and, where possible, have sought opportunities to improve public access and achieve wider environmental outcomes in line with the UK Forestry Standard.	Ongoing
Young People Leaving Care	Esmee Fairbairn Foundation	http://esmeefairbairn.org.uk/what-we-fund/young-people-leaving-care	10,000 young people over 16 leave care each year, a third before their 18 th birthday. This is in stark contrast to the general population where 50% are still living with their parents at 24. Through this programme, Esme Fairbairn wish to see care leavers supported by the system and by their networks to feel emotionally stable and be financially secure, ultimately making a successful transition to independence. Funding could be for core or project costs, including staff salaries and overheads. There are no limits on grant size or length, with the median average 2015 grant being £100,000 over 3 years. Most support is likely to be in the form of grants, but social investments will also be considered.	Ongoing

			For other funding opportunities from this Foundation visit http://esmeefairbairn.org.uk/what-we-fund/	
Changemaker	Santander	http://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/funds/changemaker	Changemaker is a fund to help social enterprises, small charities and community groups to deliver projects in the UK that create innovative solutions to improve communities. Santander has £200,000 to support Changemakers who turn to the Crowd to make great ideas happen. The Changemaker Fund has been created to support projects that help disadvantaged people to have confidence in the future by building skills and knowledge or innovative ideas that help communities prosper. If you have a project which the Crowd support Santander provide the final 50% to help you reach your target, up to £10,000.	Ongoing
Community Fibre Partnerships	BT	http://www.communityfibre.bt.com/schools	£2 million of grants have been made available for communities in the final 5% of the UK not covered by fibre broadband rollout plans. These provide match-funded grants of up to £20,000 toward the cost of their new fibre infrastructure if that could also serve their local school. BT has teamed up with the Crowdfunding website “Spacehive” to assist with community fundraising. Applications can be made at any time until the £2 million has been allocated.	Ongoing until funds have been allocated
<i>Grants for old people's homes</i>	<i>The Maisie and Raphael Lewis</i>	<i>No website. Contact:</i>	<i>Small grants for UK charitable organisations in the UK undertaking projects for old people's</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

<i>and medical causes</i>	<i>Charitable Trust</i>	<i>Howard Reuben The Maisie and Raphael Lewis Charitable Trust Arram Berlyn Gardner (Ah) Limited 30 City Road London EC1Y 2AB Tel: 020 7330 0000 Email: hreuben@abgggroup.co.uk</i>	<i>homes or medical causes (applications may be made at any time). Grant awards are likely to be modest. There is no requirement for match funding. Applicants are advised to contact the Trust to confirm that exclusions do not apply</i>	
<i>Grants for social welfare</i>	<i>Mrs F Laurence's Charitable Trust</i>	<i>No website. Contact: Mrs F B Laurence's Charitable Trust BM Box 2082 London WC1N 3XX</i>	<i>Grants up to £4,000 for registered charities undertaking projects with a focus on social welfare and disadvantaged people (applications may be made at any time). In particular, the Trust wishes to fund projects that are hands-on, new and innovative. While applicants should be UK registered charities, the Trust will fund work both in the UK and overseas. Previous grants have ranged from £1,000 to £4,000. The vast majority of awards are for £2,000. Match funding is not required. The Trust is willing to consider applications from smaller registered charities, particularly those that may normally find attracting funding difficult.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
<i>Grants for children's projects, sport</i>	<i>The Woodcock Charitable Trust</i>	<i>No website. Contact: Lucy Gibson</i>	<i>Small grants for children's projects, sport and general welfare initiatives in England and Wales. Applications may be made in writing at any time.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

and general welfare.		The Woodcock Charitable Trust Harcus Sinclair 3 Lincoln's Inn Fields London WC2A 3AA Tel: 020 7242 9700 Email: mellytuk@yahoo.co.uk	Awards are likely to be extremely modest. There is no requirement for applicants to provide match funding. The Trust does not explicitly state that it will only accept applications from registered charities, so it may consider approaches from other not-for-profit organisations (we suggest contacting the Trust for clarification on this before applying).	
<i>Grants for education and social welfare of young people.</i>	<i>The Whitegates Childrens' Trust</i>	<i>No website. Contact: Mr. Roger Weaving Whitegates Children's Trust The Coach House Astwood Lane Hanbury Bromsgrove Worcestershire B60 4BP Tel: 01527 821673</i>	<i>Small grants for registered charities in the UK promoting the education and social welfare of young people. The Trust supports projects for the relief and education of young people suffering deprivation, hardship or distress. Grant awards are likely to be modest. There is no specific requirement for match funding.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
UK-German Instant Impact Grants	UK-German Connections	http://www.ukgermanconnection.org/instantimpact#downloads	Support for first-time visits by pupils and young people between UK-German school and youth partnerships. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 5 pupils/young people take part in the visit and it lasts for a minimum of two full days (not including travel). • The British and German pupils or young people spend at least 75% of the time 	Ongoing

			<p>during the visit in joint activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The activities are embedded within a thematic framework to facilitate dialogue and joint learning on educational and current social topics. • There is a commitment to the sustainability of the link with concrete plans for the follow-up and development of the partnership. <p>Funds of up to £1,500 are available.</p>	
Grants to support churches with building costs.	The Congregational and General Charitable Trust	http://www.candgtrust.org.uk/	<p>Funding of between £500 and £10,000 to support churches, particularly those of the United Reformed and Congregational denominations, in the provision and repair of suitable buildings. Also, applications from church community projects for funding towards capital costs (but not for ongoing work). We are also considering using our grants to ensure churches take professional advice (e.g. Architects, Quantity Surveyors, Site Management) in preparing for and undertaking building projects. The Trust are keen to be advised of any work that has a positive environmental aspect (e.g. double glazing, building insulation, ground source heat exchange, solar panels) and are exploring making specific and additional grants for such work.</p>	Ongoing
Community Asset Fund	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/funding/community-asset-fund/	<p>A new grant programme worth £15 million annually that forms part of Sport England's investment in local infrastructure, offering people the opportunity to 'Get Active'. The new funding</p>	Ongoing

			<p>programme aims to help Sport England achieve the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve and protect existing sports facilities that support the needs of local communities; • Invest in new and different places that meet the needs of local communities, which include Sport England’s target audiences; • Ensure Sport England’s capital investment reaches organisations that have not accessed Sport England’s funding before; and to • Create a more resilient, sustainable, less grant dependent sport sector. <p>Three levels of funding are available:</p> <p>1. Small Scale Investments – Typically ranging between £1,000 and £15,000 to cover the cost of emergency works due to something like storm or flood damage, or something totally unexpected that is stopping people from being able to stay active right now;</p> <p>2. Medium Scale Investments – Typically ranging between £15,000 and 50,000 to make more substantial changes. This might be an upgrade to an existing facility or developing a new space in the community; and</p>	
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			<p>3. Large Scale Investments – Typically ranging between £50,000 and £150,000 (although awards over £100,000 are likely to be uncommon) for projects which can demonstrate a considerable impact or are targeting under-represented groups.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: applicants must not have received funding from Sport England previously. There is no specific match funding requirement, although Sport England expects potential applicants to have explored other funding options before applying to the Community Asset Fund.</p> <p>For details of other funding on offer from Sport England visit https://www.sportengland.org/funding/</p>	
Small Grants	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/funding/small-grants/	Awards of between £300 and £10,000 to not-for-profit organisations to help more people play sport.	Ongoing
Open Grants Scheme	Ragdoll Foundation	http://www.ragdollfoundation.org.uk/portfolio/grant-giving	Grants to support the cultural sector's work with children and young people. Preference will be given to innovative projects that share the same values of imagination and creativity as the Foundation. In particular, those projects which have a deep commitment to listening to children and allow the perceptions and feelings of children themselves to be better understood. The Foundation is mainly interested in applications that involve children during their early years, but	Ongoing

			appropriate projects for older children (up to 18 years) will also be considered. It welcomes applications of up to £50,000 though the majority of grants made are likely to be in the region of £5,000 to £20,000. Applications will be considered for both one-off, short-term projects and for projects lasting up to three years.	
Surviving Winter Grant	Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/surviving-winter/	A Grants Programme created through the generosity of local donors who have given their Winter Fuel Payment, or made a donation, to help older people in the West of England who need additional support this winter as a result of the cold weather. Organisations can apply to support older and vulnerable people who struggle during the Winter. Priority will be given to projects supporting those aged 60 and over. You can apply for grants towards your regular services, but we are very keen to also support additional activities that you undertake specifically to help elderly people cope with the cold weather. A 5% 'administrative' payment can be claimed to help cover the time and costs of administering grants to individuals.	Open until further notice
Grants for education, training, disability, sport and/or recreation	The Adint Charitable Trust	<i>No website. Contact: Mr. Douglas Oram FIH MCIPS, The Adint Charitable Trust Suite 512, 517 Finchley Road, London NW3</i>	<i>The Adint Charitable Trust makes grants of between £250 and £15,000 to registered charities for general charitable purposes but has a preference for charities working in the fields of education, training, disability, sport and/or recreation. Previous awards indicate that charities with a regional or national remit or</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

		7BN Email: adintct@gmail.com	<i>significance are more likely to receive funding.</i>	
Emergency grants for older person's hardship	AFTAID	http://www.aftaid.org.uk/grantapp.html	Emergency grants for equipment and services required to take away hardship from the day-to-day life of an older person. Grants are <u>not</u> available for ongoing or retrospective payments or repayment of debts.	Ongoing
Grants for young people's volunteering	The Alec Dickson Trust	http://www.alecdicksontrust.org.uk/about/	Grants of up to £500 to support young people (under 30) who, through volunteering or community service, aim to enhance the lives of others, particularly those most marginalised by society.	Ongoing
<i>Grants for those with physical or mental disabilities and the disadvantaged.</i>	<i>The Archer Trust</i>	<i>No website. Contact: The Secretary, The Archer Trust, Bourne House, Wadesmill Ware, Herts SG12 0TT</i>	<i>Funding for small UK charities who support needy or deserving people including those with physical or mental disabilities and the disadvantaged. Grants vary from £250 to £3,000. They prioritise organisations working in areas of high unemployment/deprivation and favour charities who make good use of volunteers. Trustees only meet twice a year (normally in March and September) so replies may take some time. They do not reply to unsuccessful applications.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Grants for the arts	The Marina Kleinwort Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Kleinwort Benson 14 St George Street	Grants to support arts organisations active in the UK. Grant awards tend to be for between £1,000 and £5,000. Match funding is not an essential requirement. Funding is not available for	Ongoing

		London W1S 1FE Tel: 0203 207 7232. Email: scott.rice@kleinwortben-son.com	individuals or to applicants that are unconnected to the arts. Applications may be submitted at any time but must be made in writing and should include a copy of the applicant's most recent report and financial statements. Only successful applicants are notified of the Trust's decision.	
Preservation of Industrial and Scientific Material (PRISM) Grant Fund	The Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/prism	The Preservation of Industrial and Scientific Material (PRISM) Fund awards grants to help charitable bodies and accredited museums acquire and conserve items or collections which are important in the history and development of science, technology, industry and related fields.	Ongoing
Grants for communities	The Asda Foundation	https://www.asdafoundation.org/applying-for-funding#what-we-fund	Grants to help transform communities and the lives of people in the UK. It has 4 funding programmes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significant Local Community Projects – supports charities/not-for-profit organisations who support the wider community by tackling an underlying problem in the local community • Top Up Funding Grants – provides funding for smaller local projects • Chosen by You Given by Us – for good causes nominated by customers • Colleague Hardship Fund – a fund to support current, retired or past employees (colleagues) who find themselves at risk of financial hardship 	Ongoing

Community Action Fund	Avon & Somerset PCC	http://www.avonandsomerset-pcc.gov.uk/Partnerships/Commissioners-Community-Action-Fund.aspx	Communities and voluntary organisations across Avon and Somerset will continue to benefit from £200,000 a year to tackle issues in their local area, following the re-launch of Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) Sue Mountstevens' Community Action Fund.	Ongoing
Green Spaces	Avon Gardens Trust	No website. E-mail: news@avongardenstrust.org.uk	Grants to community groups with a communal green space for growing food or with a community orchard. The Avon Gardens Trust is keen to help communities make the best use of land available to them as well as to conserve historic uses. We like to keep in touch with community projects we have helped and form an ongoing relationship with them.	Ongoing
<i>Grants for small, non-religious charities to serve severely disadvantaged children and young people</i>	<i>The Barbara Ward Children's Foundation</i>	http://www.bwcf.org.uk/	<i>Grants for small, non-religious charities to serve severely disadvantaged children and young people anywhere in the world. In recent years, the Foundation has provided grants to organisations working on youth projects in the following categories:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Education</i> • <i>Health and wellbeing</i> • <i>Holidays</i> • <i>Sport, play and leisure</i> • <i>Support, care and respite.</i> 	<i>Ongoing</i>
Home Energy Top Up Grant	Bath & North East Somerset Council	http://www.energyathom.org.uk/#!/grants-and-finance/c1y13	Grants to help towards the costs of installing energy saving home improvements such as new boilers, insulation, windows and external doors and for renewable technologies such as solar panels. It is available to home owners, private	Ongoing

			landlords, and private tenants.	
Affordable Warmth Assistance Grant	Bath & North East Somerset Council	http://www.energyathom.e.org.uk/#!/grants-and-finance/c1y13	A grant for vulnerable residents to help meet the cost of loft insulation, cavity wall insulation and new heating systems, after other funding has been taken into account.	Ongoing
Energy Company Obligation Grant	Bath & North East Somerset Council	http://www.energyathom.e.org.uk/#!/grants-and-finance/c1y13	ECO funding provides a grant for low income and vulnerable households, those in solid walled properties and those living in low income areas.	Ongoing
Grants for children, the elderly, health and social welfare.	The Bernard Sunley Charitable Trust	http://www.bernardsunley.org/index.html	Grants to a wide range of community charities and organisations supporting children, the elderly, health and social welfare.	Ongoing
Awards for all England	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/awards-for-all-england	<p>Grants of between £300 and £10,000 for projects which will benefit the community.</p> <p>In 2017, the Big Lottery Fund simplified the Awards for All guidance notes, including fewer restrictions and new priorities. To be eligible for funding projects must now meet at least one of the following three priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bring people together and build strong relationships in and across communities • Improve the places and spaces that matter to communities • Enable more people to fulfil their potential by working to address issues at the earliest possible stage. 	Ongoing

			Priority may be given to applications from smaller organisations. Applications may be made at any time, with decisions made within a maximum time frame of 16 weeks.	
Celebrate England	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/celebrateengland	Grants to help voluntary and community organisations, schools and statutory organisations hold one-off events and activities which celebrate their local community's history, a local hero or generally bring people together. Applicants must have a constitution and a bank account.	Ongoing
Fulfilling Lives: HeadStart	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/fulfilling-lives-headstart	Enabling young people to deal with mental health issues.	Ongoing
Parks for People	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/parks-for-people	Grants of between £100,000 and £5 million to 213rganizati historic parks and cemeteries.	Ongoing
Reaching Communities England	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/reaching-communities-england	Funding is for projects that help people and communities most in need. Grants are available from £10,000, upwards and funding can last for up to 5 years. If you think you need more than £500,000 you must call us before you apply to discuss why you believe a larger project is appropriate. There is no upper limit for total project costs.	Ongoing

Forces in Mind	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/uk-wide/forces-in-mind	The Forces in Mind Trust will invest and spend £35 million over the next 20 years to support the psychological well-being and successful and sustainable transition of veterans and their families into civilian life. It will provide long-term help that supports and joins up with the valuable work already being carried out by a range of organisations.	Ongoing
Grants for hearing impaired young people.	The Birkdale Trust	http://www.grantsforthedeaf.co.uk/	Grants to young people (up to mid twenties) who are hearing impaired. Funding is available for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistance with the purchase of specialist hearing equipment or other aids which will benefit an individual or organisation; • The provision of funding for special courses or individual tuition or speech therapy; • Support for professional assessments and advice or support for appeals against local authorities; • The financial support of another charity for hearing impaired. 	Ongoing
Grants for disabled and disadvantaged to participate in sport.	The BOOST Charitable Trust	http://www.boostct.org/page4.htm	This Trust was created in 2005 to champion the disabled and disadvantaged and to inspire them to overcome their challenges through the power of sport (Boost stands for Build On Over-looked Sporting Talent). The Trust aims to give opportunities to those who wish to fulfil their sporting ambitions, at any level. Charities and non-profit making organisations in the UK that have a focus on sport are eligible to apply for a	Ongoing

			grant of up to £500. However, larger awards are often made by the Trust.	
Grants for young people and those with disabilities and special needs in and around the West of England.	The Bramble Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Mary Smallwood Bramble Cottage Dinghurst Road Churchill Winscombe North Somerset BS25 5PJ Tel: 01934 852 589 Email: bramble.trust@btinternet.com	To provide grants for the benefit of charitable institutions including, but not restricted to, schools. Particular attention is given to applications involving young people and those with disabilities and special needs in and around the West of England.	Ongoing
Grants for those in temporary difficulty	The Bridging Fund Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: <i>Mrs Debbie Cockrill The Bridging Fund Charitable Trust PO Box No 3106 Lancing West Sussex BN15 5BL Tel: 01903 750008 Email: info@thebridgingfund.org</i>	<i>Grants to assist those who the Trustees feel are in temporary difficulty and could 'get back on their feet' with a little help. To meet this objective the Charity makes grants to other charities that have an infrastructure in place to pass funds efficiently on to those individuals.</i>	Ongoing
<i>Small grants</i>	<i>The Burges Salmon</i>	<i>Contact:</i>	<i>Small grants to UK charities with a preference for</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

	<i>Charitable Trust</i>	<p>Sharon Herniman The Burges Salmon Charitable Trust Burges Salmon LLP 1 Glass Wharf Bristol BS2 0ZX Tel: 0117 902 7726 Email: sharon.herniman@burgess-salmon.com</p>	<p><i>Bristol and the surrounding area, especially small and medium sized charities. Grants are rarely made to national charities.</i></p> <p><i>Types of grant-aided charities included:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's charities; Medical support and research charities; • Charitable community groups; • Victim support groups and; • Some heritage charities. 	
<i>Grants to support children's welfare</i>	<i>The Casey Trust</i>	<p>No website. Contact:</p> <p>K C Howard Casey Trust 27 Arkwright Road London NW3 6BJ Tel: 0207 4359601 Email: kchoward1@mac.com</p>	<p><i>Grants to assist with the setting up of new and innovative projects by UK registered charities to support children (up to age 18) and their welfare. The Trust is increasingly looking at start-up projects or new initiatives within an existing project. Grants are available for UK based and worldwide initiatives. Previous grants have been for between £1,000 and £12,500, although the vast majority of grants are for £2,500 or less. There is no requirement from the Trust for applicants to have match funding in place. Applications should be made in writing and provide a brief outline of:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What the organisation does; and • What the project is. <p><i>A clear budget and, if possible, a recent set of the organisations's accounts should also be included.</i></p>	<i>Ongoing</i>
<i>Grants for the</i>	<i>The Chidwick Trust</i>	http://www.childwicktrust	<i>Grants to charities who provide support to</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

<i>disabled</i>		<u>.org/</u>	<i>disabled children and adults including the elderly. Grants usually range between £2,000 and £10,000 for projects. The Trust also provides funds to charities which support the Jewish faith and the care of Jewish people in need.</i>	
Grants to support the disadvantaged and disabled to access the countryside	The CLA Charitable Trust	http://www.cla.org.uk/about-cla/cla-charitable-trust	Grants to support projects that promote and provide facilities for the disadvantaged and disabled to access the countryside. It prefers to help small projects and organisations by funding specific capital purchases or identifiable parts of projects. They may also be willing to fund equipment for countryside pursuits. The Trust does not provide core funding or applications for sensory gardens.	Ongoing
<i>Grants to support education in sustainable environmental projects</i>	<i>The Cobb Charity</i>	<i>No website. Contact: Eleanor Allitt 2 New Cottages Village Street Offchurch Leamington Spa CV33 9AP Email: 217rganiz.allitt@btinternet.com</i>	<i>Grant awards designed to benefit projects promoting a more sustainable environment through education. Eligible education topics include:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Traditional country skills;</i> • <i>Recycling;</i> • <i>Food and health; and</i> • <i>Organic food production.</i> <i>Smaller UK charities are eligible to apply for a grant of up to £750.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Grants	The Comino Foundation	http://cominofoundation.org.uk/contact/	Funding to educational and charitable organisations in England and Wales for activities that are small scale; innovative; enterprising and	Ongoing

			which have the chance of changing national policy and practice.	
Community Investment Fund	Social Investment Business Foundation	http://socialandsustainable.com/community-investment-fund/	The Fund invests between £250,000 and £1m in community based, locally led organisations providing essential support and services to improve the well-being of local residents; developing the local economy and creating positive social change for all individuals in the community. The Fund aims to improve the quality of life of local individuals, particularly those who are vulnerable and disadvantaged and to enhance community engagement and cohesion by empowering people to develop locally-determined solutions to challenges and opportunities.	Ongoing
<i>Grants to provide musical entertainment for the elderly.</i>	<i>The Concertina Charitable Trust</i>	http://www.concertinamusical.org.uk/index.html	<i>Grants to other charities in England and Wales that provide musical entertainment and related activities to the elderly. It supports smaller organisations that might have difficulties in finding funding. Grants are awarded up to a maximum of £250.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Crowd Funding – on-line fundraising	Crowd Funder Ltd	http://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/help/what-is-crowdfunding	Crowdfunding is a way to raise money, awareness and support for a project, from the people around you. It's a means of funding that allows individuals to make their ideas a reality with the power of the crowd. Crowdfunding enables people with great ideas to raise the money they need, in return for 'rewards'. The public can back your idea with pledges of money and project owners can 'thank' their backers with	Ongoing

			rewards that reflect the money contributed.	
Just Act Community Fund	Crowd Funder Ltd	http://www.justact.org.uk/	Just Act has become part of the Crowdfunder family. The Just Act Community Fund to distribute £50,000 to community projects in England and Wales. They are giving grants of up to £1,000 to inspiring crowdfunding projects that are creating a buzz in their local area and changing lives for the better.	Ongoing
Grants for those with learning difficulties	The David Solomons Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Graeme Crosby Administrator The David Solomons Charitable Trust Jasmine Cottage 11 Lower Road Breachwood Green Hitchin Hertfordshire SG4 8NS Tel: 01438 833254 Email: g.crosby@waitrose.com	Grants to charities supporting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smaller, local projects which focus on care and treatment of those with learning difficulties; and • Research into learning disabilities. To be eligible for funding, organisations must be working with both physically and mentally disabled people and able to show that at least 75% of those supported have learning difficulties. Eligible projects include furnishing or equipping rooms.	Ongoing
Grants for promoting rural values.	Debbie and Andrew's Micro Sponsorship Awards	https://www.debbieandandrews.co.uk/community	Micro-sponsorship grants to support local and grass roots fundraisers across the UK. Grants up to £1,000 are available for projects that support projects promoting rural values, the countryside and community life by supporting fundraising activities for good causes. Preference will be given to applications under £500.	Ongoing

Grants to benefit people with physical difficulties	The de Brie Charitable Trust	No website but further details on the Charity Commission website: http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?subid=0&regid=326226	Grants of between £1,000 and £2,000 for charitable projects in the UK and overseas that benefit people with physical disabilities, especially: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The care and housing of older people; • Orphans and neglected children; • Physically disabled children; and • The blind. 	Ongoing
Grants for music, HIV, cancer care	The Derek Butler Trust	No website. Contact: James McLean The Derek Butler Trust Underwood Solicitors LLP 40 Welbeck Street London W1G 8LN Email: info@thederekbutlertrust.org.uk	The Derek Butler Trust supports organisations undertaking projects in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Music and music education • HIV and AIDS relief and education • Cancer care and research. 	Ongoing
Discovery Grants	The Discovery Foundation	http://www.santanderfoundation.org.uk/	Grants to support knowledge, skills and innovation to give disadvantaged people the confidence to discover and create a new world of opportunities. Discovery Grants of up to £5,000 are available to UK Registered Charities, Community Interest Companies and Credit Unions to fund local projects helping disadvantaged people.	Ongoing
<i>Grants for</i>	<i>The Drapers'</i>	http://www.thedrapers.c	<i>Grants to charities that support disabled adults.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

<i>disabled adults</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>o.uk/</i>	<i>Especially individuals with less visible disabilities such as hearing impairment, dyslexia, mental health issues, and chronic fatigue syndrome. Grants are provided for both capital costs (buildings and equipment) and core costs for salaries. They are usually one off payments but may be awarded for a longer period up to a maximum of 3 years.</i>	
Grants for communities	The DWF Charitable Foundation	https://www.dwf.law/about-us/dwf-foundation/	Grants to help with initiatives that develop and improve local communities by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tackling a specific community issue • Helping voluntary and community groups become more effective and efficient • Encouraging the involvement in the community of those too often excluded • Enabling young people to develop skills for the benefit of the community • 	Ongoing
Grants for communities	Southwest Foundation	https://www.the-foundation.org.uk/grants-and-resources-for-groups/	Grants up to £1,000 to support small Voluntary and Community Sector Organisations working with people most in need in communities. Priority is given to organisations in rural areas, market and small coastal towns.	Ongoing
Community Training or improving local woodland	The Forest of Avon Trust	No website contact: woodlands@forestofavontrust.org	Community training or support for improving local woodland. The Forest of Avon Trust has received grant from the OVO Foundation . Training/support is available for local groups to improve woodlands across the area, supported by OVO Energy and other volunteers.	Ongoing

Grants for social welfare for older people	The Francis Winham Foundation	No website: http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=278092&subid=0	Grants to charitable organisations – not necessarily registered charities – carrying out social welfare projects for older people. The Foundation has been known to award grants up to £50,000 in the past and usually makes a number of substantial grants each year. However, the vast majority of grants are for £5,000 or less.	Ongoing
Grants	The Gerald Palmer Eling Trust Company	No website. Contact: Jevan Booth The Gerald Palmer Eling Trust Company The Eling Estate Office Wellhouse Hermitage Thatcham Berkshire RG18 9UF Tel: 01635 200268 Email: charities@elingestate.co.uk	Grants to small, local charitable organisations working in the UK undertaking charitable projects, particularly in the following fields: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The relief of sickness and/or poverty; • The advancement the Christian religion, more particularly according to the teaching and usage of the Orthodox Church; • The advancement of medical research and the study of medicine; and • To further other general charitable purposes. 	Ongoing
Carriers for Causes	Groundwork	http://www.groundwork.org.uk/Pages/Category/carriers-for-causes-uk	The scheme is intended to help with the direct costs of projects that benefit local communities within two miles of a One Stop store in England, Scotland or Wales. The maximum grant available is £1,000. There is no match funding requirement and the scheme does offer a marginal contribution towards administration and management costs. The funding can be spent as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 90% of the grant must be spent on direct delivery, by which is meant physical works 	Ongoing

			<p>and labour costs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10% of the grant can be spent on indirect costs, including management, administration, evaluation, promotion, fundraising, and training. 	
Aspire Awards	The Guinness Partnership	http://www.guinnesspartnership.com/your-community/aspire-awards/	Applications are accepted from Guinness Partnership residents, groups of residents, service users, advocates and 223rganizati groups of service users who have the proven support of their local community.	Ongoing
<i>Grants for one-off projects that benefit young people, the disabled and terminally ill.</i>	The Hedley Foundation	http://www.hedleyfoundation.org.uk/	<i>Grants to registered charities for one-off projects that benefit young people, the disabled and terminally ill. This includes the provision of specialist equipment and support for carers. Funding is provided up to a maximum of £5,000</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Grants	The Henry Smith Charity	http://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/	<p>This is a large grant making charity, founded in 1628, which provides funding for a number of different types of organisations and charities. They currently operate the following funding programmes:</p> <p>Improving Lives – Grants up to £60k pa for organisations delivering a range of services direct to beneficiaries.</p> <p>Strengthening Communities – Grants up to £60k to support small charitable organisations working at grassroots level.</p> <p>Holiday Grants for Children – up to £2,500 to support holidays for groups of children aged 13</p>	Ongoing

			<p>and under who are disadvantaged or disabled.</p> <p>Christian Projects – grants over £10k to support projects that explicitly promote the Christian faith in the UK.</p> <p>Kindred – funding to support Henry Smith’s descendents. Currently 1,500 are registered.</p>	
Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive	HM Government	https://www.gov.uk/domestic-renewable-heat-incentive	Money towards renewable heating costs for biomass boilers, solar water heating and certain kinds of heat pumps.	Ongoing
Grants	The Invigorate Charitable Trust	<p>No website. Contact:</p> <p>Cathy Hillam Trustee The Invigorate Charitable Trust C/o Baker Tilley 2 Whitehall Quay Leeds LS1 4HG Tel: 0113 285 5000 Email: cathy.hillam@Bakertilley.co.uk</p>	<p>Grants to organisations and individuals in England and Wales in the fields of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and training • The prevention or relief of poverty • Arts and culture • Heritage and conservation • Economic and community development • Equality and diversity • Human rights • Racial and religious harmony • Science • The environment • Disability • Religious activities. 	Ongoing

Grants for arts	The Jerwood Charitable Foundation	http://www.jerwoodcharitablefoundation.org/funding/how-we-work/	The Foundation's support prioritises the development of talented and dedicated individuals at transitional stages of their careers and is delivered primarily through partnerships with outstanding arts organisations throughout the UK. Opportunities to influence sector and art form development and policy making are also sought by the Foundation.	Ongoing
Grants for nature	The John Spedan Lewis Foundation	No website. Contact: Dr Ruth Bone The John Spedan Lewis Foundation Partnership House Carlisle Place London SW1P 1BX Tel: 0207 592 6284 Email: jslf@johnlewis.co.uk	The Foundation supports projects with the following themes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entomology – the scientific study of insects • Horticulture – the art, science, technology and business of growing plants • Ornithology – the study of birds 	Ongoing
Grants	The Joss Stone Foundation	http://www.jossstone.com/donate	The Foundation supports more than 200 charities in England, Wales and particularly worldwide. Its primary aim is to help raise public awareness for the charities it supports.	Ongoing
Grants for health and social welfare	The Kathleen Laurence Trust	No website. Contact: The Kathleen Laurence Trust c/o Trustee Department Coutts & Co. 6 th Floor Trinity Quay 2 Avon Street	A Bristol based Trust that supports UK registered charities working in the area of health and social welfare with a preference for the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people; • Health and medical care; • Older people; and • People with disabilities. 	Ongoing

		Bristol BS2 0PT Tel: 020 7663 6825 Email: couttscharities@coutts.com		
Grants	The Langdale Trust	No website. Contact: Miss Jaime Parkes The Langdale Trust Veale Wasbrough Vizards LLP 2 nd Floor 3 Brindley Place Birmingham B1 2JB Tel: 0121 227 3705 Email: poneill@vww.co.uk	Support for charitable organisations across the UK working in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth projects; • Social welfare schemes; • The relief of poverty; and • Medical care. Preference is given to capital projects rather than applications to fund ongoing running costs.	Ongoing
Grants	<i>The Leach Fourteenth Trust</i>	<i>No website. Contact:</i> <i>Guy Ward</i> <i>Leach Fourteenth Trust</i> <i>BHP Chartered Accountants</i> <i>Bathurst House</i> <i>86 Micklegate</i> <i>York YO1 6LQ</i> <i>Tel: 01904 628551</i> <i>Email:</i> <u>guy.ward@bhp.co.uk</u>	<i>Grants to registered charities, particularly those working in the South West of England, with a preference for the following areas:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Community services;</i> • <i>The environment;</i> • <i>Missionary work; and</i> • <i>Residential care.</i> 	<i>Ongoing</i>

Grants	The Liz and Terry Bramall Foundation	No website. Contact: Dr. Terence Bramall The Liz and Terry Bramall Foundation C/o Raworths LLP Eton House 89 Station Parade Harrogate HG1 1HF Tel: 01423 566 666	Grants to charitable organisations for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The advancement of the Christian faith for the benefit of the public • The promotion of urban or rural regeneration in areas of social and economic deprivation by various means • The relief of sickness and the advancement of health. 	Ongoing
Grants	Lloyds Register Foundation	http://www.lrfoundation.org.uk/funding/	The Lloyds Register Foundation provides funding to projects that meet its 2014-2020 strategy. The strategy sets out four themes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Promoting safety and public understanding of risk. 2. Advancing skills and education. 3. Supporting excellent scientific research. 4. Accelerating the application of research. Within this, the Foundation gives priority to four research themes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Structural integrity and systems performance. 2. Resilience engineering. 3. Human and social factors. 4. Emergent technologies. 	Ongoing
Grants for cancer support	Macmillan Cancer Support	http://www.macmillan.org.uk/information-and-	Grants for groups and individuals who support people affected by cancer. It is able to help with:	Ongoing

		support/coping/talking-about-cancer/find-groups-and-talks-near-you/how-we-support-your-group.html	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Start up funds to support the start up of a new self-help and support projects for people affected by cancer • Development funds – to help existing groups to expand and extend their reach. • User Involvement Grants – to encourage the involvement of people affected by cancer in the design and improvement of cancer services • Individual Development Grants – to enable people affected by cancer to develop their skills and use their cancer experience to help support others affected by cancer. • Grants range from £500 for start up projects to £3,000 for existing projects. 	
Grants	The Matthews Wrightson Charity Trust	http://matthewswrightson.org.uk/about/	<p>Small grants across the UK (and occasionally overseas) for general charitable purposes, with a preference for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and young people; • People with disabilities; • Homelessness; • Social welfare; • The arts; • Rehabilitation; • Christian causes; and • Financially developing countries. <p>Individuals undertaking charitable work may also apply for a grant, particularly if the work is in a</p>	Ongoing

			developing country. Grants are typically one-off awards around £500 and will cover capital, core costs, salaries and start-up funding. The majority of grants are made for projects benefiting children and young people.	
Grants for those facing hardship	The Mayor of Bath's Relief Fund	Mrs Carolyn Burgess Individual Grants Officer St John's Hospital 4/5 Chapel Court BATH BA1 1SQ Tel: 01225 486400 http://www.mayorofbath.co.uk/mayor-of-baths-relief-fund	The Mayor of Bath's Relief Fund was set up many years ago to help the citizens of Bath. The Charity provides support to Bath residents who are in need, hardship or distress by making grants of money or providing or paying for items, services or facilities. Grants of up to £850 are given, depending on the individual case. This fund is the last resort for most who have already exhausted all other channels such as Social Security, Social Services and other local charities. The grants given help to pay bills, provide carpets, basic second-hand furniture and appliances and school uniforms. One key criterion is that children should have clean clothes, hot food and a warm house. Grants are not given for tuition fees nor rent arrears as the fund is not linked to the Council in any way.	Ongoing
Grants	The Medlock Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: The Medlock Charitable Trust 7 Old Track Limpley Stoke Bath BA3 6JY	The Medlock Charitable Trust is a Bath based Trust that offers grants to charitable organisations active in the UK. Its objectives are:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to make donations to other registered charitable trusts; • to make donations to universities or other establishments for educational purposes; and 	Ongoing

		http://beta.charitycommission.gov.uk/charity-details/?regid=326927&subid=0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> to make donations to local community charities in any part of the country. 	
Grants for children and young people	The Michael Crawford Children's Charity	No website. Contact: Kenneth Dias The Michael Crawford Children's Charity Regina House 124 Finchley Road London NW3 5JS Tel: 020 7433 2400	The charity was established in order to promote any charitable purposes for the benefit of children and young people and in particular the relief of sickness and poverty. Grant applications are invited from individuals and organisations throughout England and Wales.	Ongoing
Grants for galleries, museums and education	The Michael Marks Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Lady Marina Marks 5 Elm Tree Road London NW8 9JY Tel: 020 7286 4833 Email: michaelmarkscharitabletrust@hotmail.co.uk	Grants to registered charities, galleries, museums, and educational institutions. Awards range from £500 to £21,000. The Trust will consider unsolicited applications when received. The Trust meets twice a year, in January and July, to consider applications, but will only respond to successful applicants.	Ongoing
Armed Forces Covenant Fund	Ministry of Defence	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/covenant-fund	Annual £10 million fund to support the Armed Forces. Priorities; funding streams and deadlines may change so visit the website for the latest details.	Ongoing
Grants to	The Monica	http://www.rabagliati.org	Grants are primarily intended to support	Ongoing

alleviate child suffering and social deprivation	Rabagliati Charitable Trust	.uk/apply for a grant.htm	organisations which are focusing on the alleviation of child suffering and social deprivation.	
Grants to improve people's lives	Morrison's Foundation	https://www.morrisonfoundation.com/	The Morrison's Foundation was set up to make a difference to local communities. It is able to match fund money raised by Morrison's colleagues up to £500 twice a year. The Foundation is also able to support registered charities looking for funding towards projects that improve people's lives.	Ongoing
Grants	The Nani Huyu Trust	<i>No website. Contact: Maureen Whitmore The Nani Huyu Charitable Trust Rusling House Butcombe Bristol BS40 7QX Tel: 01275 474433 Email: maureensimonwhitemore@btinternet.com</i>	<i>The objectives of the Trust are to: "give to charities whose primary object is to help people who are underprivileged, suffering or ill, young people in matters of accommodation or training or old people requiring assistance for medical care or who are at the end of their lives". The Trust awards capital grants and revenue costs for up to one year.</i>	Ongoing
Early Stage Support Programme	The Nationwide Foundation	http://locality.org.uk/projects/communityled-housing/early-stage-support/	Expert mentoring and small grants to help affordable community-led housing projects get started. This is a programme to help community groups in England in the critical early stages of their project. It provides help with everything from choosing a legal structure to funding guidance.	Ongoing
Grants for	The Newby Trust	http://www.newby-	Grants to individuals and registered charities	Ongoing

education, health and welfare		trust.org.uk/	throughout the UK under the following headings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education: to fund postgraduate research and to provide financial support to enable disadvantaged people to access and stay in education and training • Health: to fund equipment and activities in hospitals, residential and nursing homes, day care centres and hospices; and to fund support services to improve the mental and physical health of adults and children. The Trust will also contribute funds towards medical research • Welfare: to provide small grants for short-term emergency relief and to fund support and activities for vulnerable and disadvantaged people 	
Community Awards	One Family Foundation	https://foundation.onefamily.com/community-awards/	The Community Awards run twice a year and offer funding from £5,000 to £25,000 for customers to improve their local communities. The Foundation has previously funded a wheelchair swing for a special needs school, sensory rooms and gardens, premises for sports clubs & the renovation of a school swimming pool. Customers can nominate projects by completing a simple online application form. A public vote will determine the winners of the awards.	Ongoing
Grants	The Patrick Charitable Trust	No website. Contactat:	Grants a wide range of charitable causes, in particular:	Ongoing

		<p>Mr J Alexander Patrick The Patrick Charitable Trust The Lakeside Centre 180 Lifford Lane Kings Norton Birmingham B30 3NU Tel: 0121 486 3399 Email: thepatricktrust@aol.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and training; • Disability; • Prevention or relief of poverty; • Arts, culture, heritage; • Science; • Children and young people; • Elderly and older people; and • General charitable purposes. 	
<p><i>Grants for disabled adults and children</i></p>	<p><i>The Paul Bush Foundation</i></p>	<p>http://www.bushco.co.uk /</p>	<p><i>Funding to assist registered UK charities working with physically disabled adults and children. Grants up to a maximum of £10,000 are awarded for one year and preference is given to discrete projects with defined outcomes. Trustees meetings are held twice a year in April and October.</i></p>	<p><i>Ongoing</i></p>
<p>Grants</p>	<p>The Paul Cottingham Trust</p>	<p>No website. Contact: Lord Michael Cashman CBE Flat 4 94 Narrow Street London E14 8BP.</p>	<p>The Trust was founded by Labour peer Lord Michael Cashman CBE in memory of the humanitarian activist Paul Cottingham, with the following objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The promotion of equality and diversity on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity 2. The promotion of health by making grants to organisations that conduct or commission research into cancer, particularly angiosarcoma. 3. The relief of poverty amongst those who face 	<p>Ongoing</p>

			financial hardship during their treatment for cancer, particularly angiosarcoma	
Youth Fund	The Paul Hamlyn Foundation	http://www.phf.org.uk/apply-funding/	Grants to help people overcome disadvantage and lack of opportunity, so that they can realise their potential and enjoy fulfilling and creative lives. The Foundation has a particular interest in supporting young people and a strong belief in the importance of the arts.	Ongoing
Grants	The Percy Bilton Charity	http://www.percy-bilton-charity.org/	<p>Grants to organisations which support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Educationally or socially underprivileged or disadvantaged young people under 25 years • Individuals with physical or learning disabilities, or mental health difficulties. This includes children, young people and adults • Older people over 60 years <p>Large grants: Approximately £2,000 and over for capital expenditure such as furniture, equipment and building refurbishment</p> <p>Small grants: Up to £500 towards furnishings and equipment for small projects.</p>	Ongoing
<i>Grants for breast cancer</i>	<i>The Pink Ribbon Foundation</i>	http://www.pinkribbonfoundation.org.uk/	<i>Funding to UK charities who relieve the needs of people who are suffering or have been affected by breast cancer. Applications are open to registered charities that benefit those affected by</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>

			<i>breast cancer through any specific initiative. This might include nurses to provide support, complementary therapies, research initiatives and the provision of a pleasant and comforting environment.</i>	
Grants for playing fields	Playing Fields Legacy Fund	http://playingfieldslegacyfund.org.uk/funding/	Grants to voluntary organisations that run or manage playing fields. Applicants will be expected to secure a major percentage of the total eligible project costs from other sources and involve local businesses and other funding partners. Above all, we expect that the project, once completed, will result in more people using playing fields to take part in outdoor sport.	Ongoing
Community Pub Business Support Programme (More Than a Pub)	Plunkett Foundation	https://www.plunkett.co.uk/more-than-a-pub	<p>A unique two year programme established to help support community ownership of pubs in England. Its value is £3.62 million and is jointly funded by the Department for Communities and Local Government and Power to Change. A comprehensive package of business development support, advice and loan and grant funding has been developed to assist community pub businesses consider their viability at all stages of their development. A flexible package of support includes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - an advice line - Events - Workshops - peer-to-peer study visits - business development advice. 	Ongoing

			Flexible bursary awards of up to £2,500 (inclusive of VAT) to fund pre-feasibility costs such as public consultation and valuations. Combined loan and grant funding up to £150,000 but not exceeding £75,000 in grant	
Grants	Porticus UK	https://uk.porticus.com/en/home	<p>Funding for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education • Society • Faith • Care – includes organisations providing support networks, connections or respite for families where there is a bereavement, disability or illness. <p>Porticus considers applications for core and project costs including staff salaries. Most grants are awarded for amounts over £10,000 but may occasionally offer smaller grants.</p>	Ongoing
Grants to support the homeless	The Pret Foundation	http://www.pret.co.uk/en-gb/pret-foundation-trust	<p><i>The Trust's goal is to alleviate poverty in the UK by helping to break the cycle of homelessness. They do this by</i></p> <p><i>Offering work and training to those who have been homeless or in prison.</i></p> <p><i>Giving unsold food to shelters</i></p> <p><i>Supporting homelessness charities local to their</i></p>	Ongoing

			<i>shops with funds and equipment.</i>	
Grants for charitable organisations undertaking social welfare work	The Rachel Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Mr Robert Chalk, The Rachel Charitable Trust, 5 Wigmore Street, London W1U 1PB	Grants for the provision of financial support to charitable organisations, schools and colleges engaging in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Philanthropic aid to relieve the sick and the needy; • Religious education; and • The advancement of religion. <p>The Trust accepts applications for grants from representatives of a wide range of charities, which are reviewed by the trustees on a regular basis.</p>	Ongoing
Small Appeals	The Rank Foundation	http://www.rankfoundation.com/grant-applications/	This is a small funding stream for registered charities and 237rganizati churches which are raising money for projects which are costed at under £1million. If you are raising money for a particular project for which the mainstay is capital costs (building work, refurbishment or the purchase of long-term equipment) or a one-off short term activity (such as an annual respite break or holiday for disadvantaged young people) and have already raised a third of the total costs, you may be eligible for this.	Ongoing
<i>Grants for social welfare, arts and wildlife projects</i>	<i>The Rhododendron Trust</i>	http://www.rhododendron-trust.org.uk/Welcome.html	<i>Funding for UK charities working with:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>those disadvantaged by disability or mental illness (such as those suffering from</i> 	<i>Ongoing</i>

			<p><i>epilepsy or autism</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>prisoners and ex-offenders</i> • <i>those addicted to drugs</i> • <i>the homeless</i> • <i>carers</i> • <i>the elderly</i> • <i>disadvantaged</i> <p><i>Arts and Nature: The Trust tends to work through large organisations such as the National Churches Trust and Fauna and Flora International. However, they are open to proposals for small theatre and music projects, and to proposals for the protection of cultural and natural heritage. It is interested in projects which help sustain the environment.</i></p> <p><i>Developing world charities: The Trust prefers to support charities which benefit people affected by more than just poverty, for example people disadvantaged by disability, age, gender or ethnic status, or by the poor medical, welfare or educational infrastructure in their country</i></p>	
The Royal British Legion External Grants	The Royal British Legion	http://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-support/finance/grants/external-grants/	<p>The Royal British Legion directly helps thousands of beneficiaries every year. However, they also provide funds to other organisations, manage trusts and scholarship funds and help the wider Armed Forces community in many ways.</p> <p>Check their website for the latest funding opportunities.</p>	Ongoing

<p>Grants for community-based projects</p>	<p>The Rowan Bentall Charitable Trust</p>	<p>No website. Contact:</p> <p>The Rowan Bentall Charitable Trust PO BOX 1268 Chobham Surrey GU24 8WE Email: rowanbentallcharitabletrust@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>Grants to charitable organisations in Southern England undertaking community-based projects in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthcare; • Churches; • Children; • Older people; • Special needs; • Education; • The Environment; • National disasters; and • Animal welfare. <p>Grants between £50 and £5,000 are available.</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
<p>Groundmatch Grant Scheme</p>	<p>Rugby Football Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.rugbyfootballfoundation.org/what-we-do/grants-loans/groundmatch-grants</p>	<p>Grants to improve facilities which contribute to the recruitment and retention of community rugby players in line with the following strategic themes for Community Rugby:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More people • Better places • Access for all • Enjoyment <p>The minimum grant available is £1,500 and the maximum is £5,000. There is a £1 for £1 match funding requirement.</p> <p>All clubs at level five and below in the English</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

			Clubs Rugby Union Championship are eligible to apply to the scheme.	
Grants	The Sabina Sutherland Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Peter Durrant Trustee 84 Beech Lane Earley Reading Berkshire RG6 5QE Tel: 07940 266478	Grants to organisations and individuals in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The advancement of the arts, culture, heritage or science • The advancement of environmental protection or improvement • The prevention or relief of poverty • The advancement of religion • Any other purpose currently 240organizati as charitable 	Ongoing
Grand Ideas Fund	Sanctuary Housing	https://www.sanctuary-housing.co.uk/about-the-grand-ideas-fund	Sanctuary Housing's Grand Ideas Fund is designed to help the housing association's residents tackle those things that are important to them in their community and improve their quality of life. Projects must mainly benefit Sanctuary Housing residents, have a community focus and be open to, and inclusive of, all.	Ongoing
Grants to maintain properties and community facilities	The Screwfix Foundation	http://www.screwfix.com/help/screwfixfoundation/	<i>Grants of up to £5,000 for projects run by registered charities that help fix, repair, maintain and improve properties and community facilities for those in need in the UK. Projects can be varied from improving facilities such as heating systems to redecorating homes for those living with disability or sickness.</i>	<i>Ongoing – applications reviewed quarterly.</i>
Lady Neville	The Skinners'	http://www.theskinnersc	Funding for registered charities and not for profit	Ongoing

Charity	Company	ompany.org.uk/	organisations working in the areas of disability, local community, local heritage, performing and visual arts. Grants in the region of £500 and £1,000 are available for items of non-recurring expenditure eg: Equipment or an event.	
<i>Grants for the welfare of children and the elderly</i>	<i>Skipton Building Society Charitable Foundation</i>	http://www.skiptoncharitablefoundation.co.uk/	<i>Revenue grants to charities whose objectives are to benefit (a) children through their education and/or welfare, and (b) the elderly and their care. The Foundation will particularly seek to help those charities where clear and immediate benefit to the recipients can be demonstrated. Grants up to £10,000 are available, although the vast majority of awards are for less than £5,000.</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Grants for ladies in reduced circumstances	The Society for the assistance of Ladies in Reduced Circumstances	http://www.salrc.org.uk/index.htm	Financial support is available to women who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Live alone • Have limited savings of less than £5,000 • Have limited income • Receive some form of means tested benefit • Are not eligible for help from any other charity • Are not students 	Ongoing
Grants to help people move towards paid employment	The Society Foundation	http://society-foundation.org/	Grants to programmes or organisations seeking to help people from the following groups move towards paid employment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The recently homeless or vulnerably housed 	Ongoing

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ex-offenders • 16-24 year olds not in employment, education or training (NEETs) <p>Typically, micro-grants up to £1,000 for small or growing organisations are available.</p>	
Grants	St James's Place Foundation	http://www.sjpfoundation.co.uk/	<i>Funding up to £10,000 to support smaller charities working for the direct benefit of economically disadvantaged or socially marginalised young people, the physically disabled, or those suffering from a mental condition or life-threatening or degenerative illness.</i>	Ongoing
Community Grants Programme	St John's Hospital	https://www.stjohnsbath.org.uk/community-support/grants/community-grants/	<p><i>One Year and Three Year Funding programmes available. Primary areas of support are:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Health and Wellbeing</i> • <i>Housing</i> • <i>Isolation</i> • <i>Poverty</i> • <i>Relationships</i> • <i>Employment and Skills</i> <p><i>Only open to registered charities.</i></p>	Ongoing
Individual Grants Programme	St John's Hospital	https://www.stjohnsbath.org.uk/community-support/grants/individual-grants/	Our Individual Grants Programme provides financial assistance to individuals and families during times of crisis and hardship. Applications can only be made through a 242rganizati local	Ongoing

			agency, not the individual themselves. This fund is only open to those living within the Bath and North East Somerset boundary.	
Social Lending	St John's Hospital	https://www.stjohnsbath.org.uk/community-support/loans/	The Social Lending Programme aims to make a significant and lasting difference to our local community and the people who live there. If you're working on a new idea that will have a positive impact in your community, please contact St John's Hospital. Each loan application is treated individually and St John's Hospital will work with you to achieve your aims. The loans are straightforward, transparent and provide a good deal for you. As part of the lending process STH provide business expertise and knowledge to support you at every step. If you'd like to discuss your project ideas, please get in touch with the <u>Head of Social Investment</u> or ring 01225 486 449.	Ongoing
Grants	The Swire Charitable Trust	https://www.swirecharitabletrust.org.uk/about-us/	<p><i>Providing donations and grants for charitable purposes in the UK and elsewhere. Current themes are:-</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Community and Social Welfare – supporting positive change in the community</i> • <i>Education and Training – nurturing potential</i> • <i>Heritage – regeneration through restoration</i> 	Ongoing

Grants for social welfare projects	The Sydney Black Charitable Trust	<p>No Website. Contact:</p> <p>Mrs Jennifer Crabtree Sydney Black Charitable Trust 30 Welford Place London SW19 5AJ</p>	<p>Grants between £300 and £2,000 to enable deserving persons to further their education by undertaking special courses, and by carrying out special projects and by foreign travel.</p> <p>Also, grants and other financial assistance to charitable bodies and organisations to promote and carry out schemes for the advancement of education of young people between the ages of 14 and 21 years.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The preservation of child life wherever it is menaced by conditions of economic hardship and distress • The relief of child distress by the provision of money, food, clothes, medical assistance and nursing • The advancement of religion and religious thought of all creeds or denominations; and • The relief or redemption of prisoners or captives 	Ongoing
The Bags of Help Grant Programme	Tesco	<p>https://www.groundwork.org.uk/Sites/tescocommunityscheme</p>	<p>Bags of Help is always open for applications from charities and constituted community organisations. Applications are assessed by Groundwork to ensure they are eligible. Three community projects in each local area will be voted on by customers in Tesco stores throughout the UK. Projects are available from the beginning to the end of each month for public voting.</p>	Ongoing

			<p>The project with the greatest amount of votes receives a grant of up to £4,000, second place receives £2,000 and third place receives £1,000, so if your project is entered in a public vote you're guaranteed a grant of £1,000 and may receive more, particularly if you can mobilise your supporters.</p> <p>A wide range of organisations can apply to the programme, which is managed on Tesco's behalf by Groundwork UK.</p>	
Grants	The Thompson Family Charitable Trust	<p>No website. Contact either Katie Woodward, Hillsdown Court 15 Totteridge Common London N20 8LR or email roy.copus@btinternet.com</p>	<p><i>Grants to registered charities in the following fields:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Health and social welfare;</i> • <i>The Arts;</i> • <i>Sports;</i> • <i>Education;</i> • <i>Animal welfare; and</i> • <i>Medical research</i> <p><i>Schools with charitable status are also invited to apply.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust provides a range of grants from £250 up to a very exceptional amount of £500,000. Most grants, however, tend to be between £1,000 and £50,000 with a few grants of £100,000 and £200,000.</i></p>	Ongoing

Investment in digital development	Transform Foundation	https://www.transformfoundation.org.uk/	Grants and support for charities and not for profit organisations to transform their digital presence to reach more people, raise funds and better serve their beneficiaries. Grants up to £18,000 to develop websites and up to £5,000 to develop Facebook advertising.	Ongoing
Grants for carers and the rehabilitation of offenders or ex-offenders	The Triangle Trust	http://www.triangletrust.org.uk/	<p>Grants up to £80,000 over three years for organisations working with carers and the rehabilitation of offenders or ex-offenders in the UK. Please note we will <u>not</u> provide funding for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appointment of a Trust or Community Fundraiser • Expanding the coverage of a particular service, unless there is a tangible increase in sustainability as a result • Match funding, unless associated with a sustainability development • Covering the loss of a statutory contract or grant income • General running costs <p>Applicants must be a registered charity, not-for-profit social enterprise or community interest company working within the UK with a UK office.</p>	Ongoing
Grants for rural issues and urban deprivation	Trusthouse Charitable Foundation	http://trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/	Trusthouse has two overarching themes: Rural Issues and Urban Deprivation. Under these two broad sectors, we seek projects which make a	Ongoing

			<p>community impact in the fields of Community Support; Arts, Education & Heritage; Disability and Healthcare.</p> <p>Their funding programme also includes capital grants to hospices and community hubs/village halls.</p>	
Grants for core running costs	The Tudor Trust	http://tudortrust.org.uk/what-we-do/about-our-grants/	Grants towards the core costs of running an organisation, including salaries, overheads and day-to-day running costs. They can also provide project grants, capital grants for buildings or equipment and grants to help strengthen your organisation. There is no maximum or minimum grant but usually the minimum is £10,000.	Ongoing
Environmental grants and projects	The Conservation Foundation	http://www.conservationfoundation.co.uk/projects	A range of changing projects and partnerships which enable people to do practical actions that support their environment and community. Examples include the recycling of garden tools for community projects; small grants for environmental projects in the Wessex Water area and free conferences for groups wanting to manage trees in churchyards.	Ongoing
Grants for individuals in need	Turn 2 Us	http://grants-search.turn2us.org.uk/	Grants for individuals in need.	Ongoing
Grants to the visually impaired	Ulverscroft Foundation	http://foundation.ulverscroft.com/index.html	Funding to support projects which will have a positive effect on the quality of life of visually impaired people (blind and partially sighted) or people with a print disability. Our funding is	Ongoing

			248rganizat via 248rganizati organisations which help visually impaired people, for example, libraries, hospitals, clinics, schools and colleges; social and welfare organisations.	
Grants for faith activities	Westhill Endowment (The)	http://www.westhillendowment.org/funding	Grants of between £1,000 and £20,000 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. Their website also includes a list of organisations that support similar projects.	Ongoing
Grants for transport	Wheelsforgood	http://www.wheelsforgood.com/	Easi-Drive, the accident management company provides grants to support worthy causes related to the motor industry, wheels or transport.	Ongoing
Grants	The Wilfrid and Constance Cave Foundation	No website. Contact: The Wilfrid and Constance Cave Foundation New Lodge Farm Drift Road Winkfield Windsor SL4 4QQ Email: tcf@eamo.co.uk	Grants of £500 to 34,000 to support charitable organisations undertaking projects in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health• Welfare• Animal Welfare• Conservation	Ongoing
Grants	The Wyseliot Charitable Trust	No website. Contact: Jonathan Rose The Wyseliot Charitable Trust	Grants of up to £5,000 available to charitable organisations for projects that in particular support: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The prevention or relief of poverty	Ongoing

		17 Chelsea Square London SW3 6LF.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The advancement of education • The advancement of health or the saving of lives • The advancement of the arts, culture, heritage or science • The advancement of human rights, conflict resolution or reconciliation, or the promotion of religious or racial harmony or equality and diversity • The relief of those in need by reason of youth, age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage. 	
Grants for running costs	The Yapp Charitable Trust	http://www.yappcharitabletrust.org.uk/	<p><i>The Yapp Charitable Trust is one of a handful of grant-making trusts that prioritises making awards to small charities to help them continue their existing work.</i></p> <p><i>The Trust defines a 'small charity' as an organisation registered with the Charity Commission that has a total annual expenditure of less than £40,000.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grants up to £3,000 per year for a period of up to 3 years are available for work that focuses on one of the following priority groups: • Elderly people • Children and young people aged 5 to 25 years • People with physical impairments, learning difficulties or mental health challenges 	Ongoing

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Social welfare - people trying to overcome life-limiting problems of a social, rather than medical, origin such as addiction, relationship difficulties, abuse and a history of offending; and/or</i> • <i>Education and learning, with a particular interest in people who are educationally disadvantaged, whether adults or children.</i> 	
Grants to alleviate poverty and improve health	Yorkshire Building Society Charitable Foundation	http://www.ybs.co.uk/your-society/charity/charitable-foundation/index.html	The Foundation's two priority areas are alleviating poverty and improving health / saving lives. To support them, the Charitable Foundation makes donations to registered charities who support beneficiaries such as children, the seriously ill, the elderly, the homeless and the disabled in the UK. The Foundation only accepts recommendations of UK registered charities from its members and colleagues, rather than directly from the charities. These charities will be considered for a donation from £250 generally up to a maximum of £2,000. This could for instance be the purchase of equipment or funding of an activity that will directly benefit the charity's beneficiaries. Please note ongoing running costs and sponsorship are not eligible for consideration.	Ongoing
Start and Grow	Cavendish Enterprise	https://www.cavendishenterprise.co.uk/programme/start-and-grow/	A range of premium pre and post start support to individuals looking to start a business which expects to employ people from its early stages and where start-up financing will be required to get the venture off the ground.	Ongoing

GOVERNMENT AND EU FUNDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Name of Fund	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline/s
Horizon Prize for Social Innovation	EU	http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizonprize/index.cfm?prize=social-innovation	<p>Horizon Prize for Social Innovation The European Commission's Horizon Prize for Social Innovation will reward the best solutions for improving the travel mobility of older people. €1,000 000 will be awarded to the best solution and the four runner-up prizes will receive €250 000 each.</p> <p>Submissions will be accepted until 28th February 2019 and the prize will be awarded in the second or third quarter of 2019.</p>	28 th February 2019
Water Resource Management Grants	DEFRA	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/countryside-productivity-scheme#water-resource-management	<p>Grants from £35,000 to £1 million to improve farm productivity in England through more efficient use of water for irrigation, and to secure water supplies for crop irrigation by the construction of on-farm reservoirs.</p> <p>Arable and horticultural farmers in England are being encouraged to make use of new grant funding available to improve and construct water resources.</p> <p>The £14 million funding for Water Resource Management Grants was first announced in the summer of 2017, as part of the Countryside Productivity Scheme.</p>	29 th June 2018

			<p>Grants can only fund a certain percentage of eligible costs and there is a maximum percentage that applies. At least 60% of the project costs must be paid for with money from private sources like savings or a bank loan</p> <p>Grant funding can help pay for such things as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction of a water storage reservoir (above or below ground) filled by either peak flow surface water abstraction, borehole or rain water harvested from buildings • Abstraction point, pump and pipework to fill a reservoir • Irrigation pump, controls, underground water distribution main • Water metering equipment • Best practice application equipment such as boom or trickle irrigation • Software and sensors to optimise water application <p>Water resource Management Grants are for arable and horticultural businesses growing, or intending to grow, irrigated crops in England.</p>	
On Street Residential Chargepoint Scheme	Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV)	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/grants-for-local-authorities-	The overall aim of this scheme is to increase the availability of charging points in residential streets where off-street parking is not available, thereby ensuring that off-street parking is not a prerequisite for realising the benefits of owning a	Scheme to run during 2017-18.

		<p><u>to-provide-residential-on-street-chargepoints</u></p>	<p>plug-in electric vehicle.</p> <p>UK local authorities may apply for a grant of up to £100,000 up to 75% of the capital cost of a scheme. Match funding of at least 25% is therefore required.</p> <p>This is a £2.5 million fund for 2016/7 and 2017/18. Funding will be allocated on a 'first come' basis.</p> <p>The Energy Saving Trust (EST) will provide initial advice and guidance to local authorities who wish to explore an application for funding. However, the EST will not be able to assist with non-capital costs that may relate to the development of a project to install chargepoints.</p> <p>Any funding must be for new chargepoint installations only. Funding is not available for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the upgrade or maintenance of existing chargepoints; • supporting the installation of chargepoints for the primary use of electric vehicle car clubs, taxi fleets or other commercial undertakings; or for • an individual's domestic electric supply <p>The capital items that are eligible for claim are limited to:</p>	
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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The purchase cost of charging unit; • The purchase cost of electrical components related to the chargepoint; • The cost of civil engineering works related to the installation; • Labour costs of the installation; or the • Hardware costs of the installation. <p>Where applicable, the capital costs of a parking bay and traffic orders (paint or signage) will be funded.</p> <p>Applications may be submitted at any time and will be considered on a monthly basis.</p> <p>In the first instance, a local authority should contact the Energy Saving Trust via email addressed to onstreetchargepoints@est.org.uk.</p> <p>Once applicants have discussed proposals with the Energy Saving Trust they should complete the application form in Annex A of the guidance form on the website.</p>	
The Countryside Stewardship Woodland Creation Grant	Defra	https://www.gov.uk/government/news/13-million-fund-to-increase-englands-woodland	<p>A stand-alone capital grant offering funding to farmers and other land managers in England to plant young trees that will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protect wildlife • Boost the timber sector • Reduce flood risk 	Opens in January 2018

			<p>The grant provides a one-off payment towards the cost of supplying and planting trees and associated items needed to create new woodland. The maximum available grant per hectare for a given woodland creation application is £6,800 for capital items, covering both planting and protection.</p> <p>Farmers, foresters and land managers can apply for these grants, as long as the land parcels in their application are under their full control for the length of the agreement period.</p> <p>Under the grant annual maintenance, payments are available for 10 years. The following persons or bodies will qualify for assistance: partnerships; tenants; landlords; land owned by public bodies; and businesses receiving other funding or managing the land under other agreements.</p> <p>The scheme will open in January 2018 and the application forms and guidance will be available in September 2017.</p>	
Small Charities Challenge Fund	DFID	https://www.gov.uk/inter-national-development-funding/dfid-funded-small-charities-challenge-fund-sccf	<p>A new challenge fund designed to strengthen grassroots development organisations working with the poor, vulnerable and most marginalized in priority countries. Registered not-for-profit organisations are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Grants of up to £50,000 will be available for</p>	Opened on 5 th July 2017

			projects of up to 2 years.	
LEADER	Defra	http://www.westofenglanddrdp.org.uk/	<p>Under the LEADER programme funds have been allocated to support the development of rural businesses, social enterprises and communities from now until 2020. Individual grant applications for up to £100,000 will be available. Further funding under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development has also been allocated to the West of England.</p> <p>The LEADER programme is managed by a partnership body called the West of England Local Action Group. Calls for applications and decision on whether applications meet the fund criteria are made by this partnership. The partnership is supported by Bath and North East Somerset Council as the accountable body and by the West of England Rural Network which provides the staff resource.</p> <p>Grants will typically be limited to a maximum of 40% of the project's total eligible costs. However some types of project can get higher rates. Applicants should provide the remainder of project costs from alternative sources, which can various forms of investment from loans to private investment, but not in-kind funding.</p> <p>The type of project that have been funded by LEADER include:</p>	The scheme runs until 2020 but Defra hopes to commit all funding by June/July 2018

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community shops and well-being hubs • Tourism infrastructure including accommodation and attractions; • Innovative farming technology • Utilising undermanaged woodland to create enterprises such as wood chip products for biomass 	
Childcare Business Grants	Department for Education	https://www.childcarebusinessgrants.com/	<p>This scheme is intended to reimburse people for the costs of setting up their childcare business. The scheme is only open to newly registered businesses. From 1st May 2017, a newly registered business is one that has been registered with Ofsted or a CMA within the last 3 months. There are three types of grants available.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A £500 grant for an early years childminder or childcare provider on domestic premises • A £1,000 grant for an early years childminder or childcare provider on domestic premises of children with special educational needs and disability (SEN/D) • A £1,000 grant for a Childminder Agency (CMA) 	31 st March 2018 or sooner if funds are exhausted.
'Strengthening Local Government Delivery of the Covenant'	Armed Forces Covenant Fund	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covenant-fund-guidance-on-how-to-apply	<p>This priority is only open to local authorities in the UK.</p> <p>Applications can be made for awards of between £20,000 and £500,000. Awards over £200,000</p>	Midday on Monday 2 nd October for November 2017

			<p>will only be made in exceptional circumstances and applicants who are seeking funding of between £200,000 and £500,000 must first contact the Covenant Grant team before applying.</p> <p>Applications must be from a lead local authority on behalf of a cluster of local authorities, which must be working in close partnership with the military communities in their area(s), for some of or all of the following three strands of activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Proposals for projects or initiatives which will establish and share best practice in delivering the Covenant; 2. Proposals to kick start or pilot new drop-in information centres or 'one-stop-shop' venues where any member of the wider 'military family' can visit to get information or advice; and 3 Request for support to benefit from dedicated Covenant focussed media and communications training and advice. This will include digital production and social media skills, and delivered through external training courses with follow-up expert support. <p>There are two remaining deadlines in 2017:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Midday on Monday 2 October for November 2017 decisions; and 2. Midday on Monday 27 November for February 	<p>decisions; and</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Midday on Monday 27th November for February 2018 decisions.
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			2018 decisions.	
Home Building Fund	Homes and Communities Agency	https://www.gov.uk/homebuildingfund	The government has created a £3 billion fund “to increase the number of homes built in England.” You can apply if you’re a private sector business that builds new homes or prepares sites for housing developments. This includes small builders, community builders, custom builders and regeneration specialists, as well as larger builders and developers. The fund provides development finance and infrastructure finance via loans.	See website
Grant schemes for electric vehicle charging infrastructure	Office for Low Emission Vehicles	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/government-grants-for-low-emission-vehicles	<p>The government offers grants to support the wider use of electric and hybrid vehicles via the Office of Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV). This includes:</p> <p>The Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme (EVHS) provides grant funding of up to 75% towards the cost of installing electric vehicle chargepoints at domestic properties across the UK.</p> <p>The Workplace Charging Scheme (WCS) is a voucher-based scheme that provides support towards the up-front costs of the purchase and installation of electric vehicle charge-points, for eligible businesses, charities and public sector organisations.</p> <p>The On-street Residential Chargepoint Scheme (ORCS) provides grant funding for local</p>	See website

			authorities towards the cost of installing on-street residential chargepoints for plug-in electric vehicles.	
Estate Regeneration Fund	Department for Communities & Local Government	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/estate-regeneration-fund	The £140 million Estate Regeneration Fund is designed to accelerate and improve estate regeneration schemes through recoverable investments, helping to boost housing supply and improve the quality of life for residents in estates across England. The funding is available over 5 years from 2016 to 2021. Bids are sought from private sector entities (including housing associations registered as providers of social housing) taking forward schemes that improve or deliver additional homes, are fundamentally viable, and carry the support of local communities and local authorities.	See website
European Structural and Investment Funds	DCLG	https://www.gov.uk/european-structural-investment-funds	A variety of funds under the European Structural and Investment Fund (ESIF) are currently available in different parts of the country. ESIF includes money from the European Social Fund (ESF), European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) and European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD).	See website
The Controlling Migration Fund	DCLG and The Home Office	Interested authorities should contact: migrationfund@communities.gsi.gov.uk . Further information is available at:	The Controlling Migration Fund is designed to support local areas facing pressures linked to recent immigration. The Fund will be available over the 4 years from 2016-17 to 2019-20, and is in 2 parts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a local service impacts part of £100 million, 	See website

		https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/controlling-migration-fund-prospectus	<p>to help English local authorities and their communities experiencing high and unexpected volumes of immigration to ease pressures on local services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an enforcement part worth £40 million to direct enforcement action against people in the UK illegally in order to reduce the pressure on local areas <p>Officials in the Department for Communities and Local Government are keen to discuss proposals with areas.</p>	
Local Sustainability Fund	Cabinet Office	https://www.gov.uk/government/news/charitable-organisations-given-20-million-boost-by-government	<p>An initiative that will provide grants to increase the sustainability of around 250 organisations working in the voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) sector. The fund, will provide grants that will enable recipients to implement organisational changes and access professional advice that might currently be out of their reach. It will give VCSEs access to a wider range of skills and support, with all grant recipients establishing a strong volunteering relationship with a local business. The Local Sustainability Fund will be £20 million of government funding delivered over 2 years and will be available to medium-sized VCSE organisations that deliver vital support to vulnerable and disadvantaged people. Alongside working with local businesses, recipients will also work with skilled advisors so</p>	See website

			that the fund generates maximum impact	
Cultural Protection Fund (Small Grants up to £100k)	British Council	https://www.britishcouncil.org/arts/culture-development/cultural-protection-fund/apply/small-grants	<p>In partnership with the Department for Culture Media and Sport, the British Council has launched a new £30 million fund to help to create sustainable opportunities for economic and social development through building capacity to foster, safeguard and promote cultural heritage affected by conflict overseas. The Fund aims to protect and preserve physical monuments and religious sites, as well as ‘intangible’ heritage: inherited traditions, beliefs and cultural identity, passed down through generations – all of which have been increasingly under threat in the Middle East and North Africa as so-called Islamic State have gained power in the region.</p> <p>The Cultural Protection Fund is designed with applications from UK organisations in mind, but any organisation is eligible to apply. Grants are available to applicants working with local partners in one or more of the Fund’s target countries: Afghanistan, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Iraq, Occupied Palestinian Territories, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey and Yemen.</p> <p>The Fund will run until 2020.</p>	<p>Quarterly. Expressions of Interest by: 21-4-17 21-7-17 20-10-17 31-1-18</p>

CLOSED PROGRAMMES

While these programmes have closed, it can be worth checking providers' websites in case new funding programmes and deadlines have been announced.

Name of Fund or type	Provider	Link	Description	Deadline
Tech for Good	Comic Relief and the Paul Hamlyn Foundation	https://www.comicrelief.com/news/tech-for-good-2018	<p>This is the third time that Comic Relief and the Paul Hamlyn Foundation are delivering the Tech for Good funding programme. The previous two programmes funded a total of 16 initiatives, and for this round it's expected that another 12 projects will receive support.</p> <p>For each organisation, funding of £15,000 - £47,000 will be available for nine months alongside access to dedicated technical expertise and an intensive support programme between July 2018 and March 2019. This will include a residential camp at the start to connect the funded projects with leading tech for good experts and ongoing mentoring and report back days.</p> <p>Applicants will be asked to submit a video of no more than four minutes which creatively and compellingly explains why the project should be funded. Comic Relief will publish a longlist of these video applications online to celebrate the top proposals. The final 24 will be invited to a learning event in February and will then be assessed.</p> <p>Applicants can focus on any of Comic Relief's four strategy themes (Investing in Children and</p>	20 th December 2017

			<p>Young People, Empowering Women and Girls, Building Stronger Communities and Improving Health and Wellbeing) and they must be based and deliver their services in the UK. They are looking to fund projects at any stage of development, with solid user-centred research, a clear problem to address, and a compelling digital solution to achieving this. The technology may be simple or cutting edge. They are looking to fund new products and services that can be shared with the wider not-for-profit sector. They anticipate that most applicants will already have a digital development partner on board when they apply to help them deliver their project.</p>	
Community Sponsorship of Refugees	Government (Home Office, DCLG and Dept for International Development)	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/application-for-full-community-sponsorship	<p>The Community Sponsorship of Refugees scheme is a new £1 million grant programme jointly sponsored by the Home Office, the Department for Communities and Local Government (DCLG), and the Department for International Development.</p> <p>The fund is designed to give experienced organisations the resources to provide training and support to community groups who want to take on the role of welcoming and supporting refugee families in the UK.</p> <p>Sponsor groups can include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered charities • Businesses 	12 noon on Friday 15 th December 2017.

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local authorities • Community groups • Other forms of Third Sector Organisation <p>Proposals need to deliver one or more of the following seven outcomes, which are designed to help build capacity in the Community Sponsorship scheme across the UK. Collaborative proposals are especially encouraged.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Training and support for Community Sponsors; 2. Support for Community Sponsors with applications; 3. Connecting people and organisations and opportunities; 4. Increase the awareness of Community Sponsorship; 5. Identify barriers to expansion and find solutions; 6. Support the evaluation to help better understand what works; 7. Secretariat function for a Community Sponsorship Stakeholder Group <p>The £1 million fund is available over the next two financial years (i.e £500,000 per year for 2018/19 and 2019/20). An additional £200,000 may also be available to facilitate mobilisation timescales.</p> <p>There are no minimum or maximum grant awards. The Home Office expects to fund a variety of schemes across the UK.</p>	
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Townscape Heritage	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/townscape-heritage	Helps communities regenerate deprived towns and cities across the UK by improving their built historic environment. Grants range from £100,000 to £2million. Townscape Heritage schemes aim to reverse the decline of our best-loved historic townscapes. Local, regional and national organisations work together to repair buildings in conservation areas and bring them back to life.	Closed
Bright Ideas Fund	Locality	http://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/bright-ideas-fund/	The Community Business Bright Ideas Fund aims to give your community group the support and tools to start setting up your community business. It will also give your group the early stage finance that you need need to carry out consultation with local people and feasibility studies to develop a	Closed

			<p>community business idea the community wants and needs. (A community business is set up and led by local people to look after what matters to them. Any profits flow back into the business to deliver positive local impact).</p> <p>For the final round, there is one significant change to the eligibility criteria: the community organisation applying must not have been constituted for more than 5 years at the time of making an application. This is to ensure that only new groups are considered for funding in this round.</p> <p>What the Bright Ideas Fund offers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online induction and ongoing support, either online, by phone or where possible through visits • Community Business development plans, to help successful groups shape and develop strategies and plans for their community business • Mentoring and visits, to inspire applicants and give them the opportunity to learn from peers • Regional networking and events, to learn from social finance experts, successful community business leaders, funders and technical specialists. 	
Libor Fund	HM Treasury	https://www.gov.uk/gove	The Libor Fund is for charitable projects that	Closed

		rnment/publications/libor -funding-applications	<p>make a difference and have a positive outcome for people in one or more of the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serving members of the Armed Forces • Family members of those serving in the Armed Forces • Veterans of the Armed Forces • Serving Emergency Services personnel • Family members of Emergency Services • Former Emergency Services personnel 	
Woman to Woman	Rosa	http://www.rosauk.org/	<p>Advance notice for this significant fund, which can include core funding for small, local not-for-profit women's groups for activities such as building confidence and leadership skills, tackling harassment and violence, training in financial literacy, increasing engagement in decision-making – and much more besides!</p> <p>Rosa has been awarded £2.2 million from VAT receipts on sanitary products for its Women to Women programme, which offers grants and support to small grassroots women's groups.</p> <p>Grants of between £5,000 and £25,000 are available to charitable women's organisations in the UK with an income of less than £100,000 year or which employ less than two full-time paid members of staff. They do not need to be registered charities as long as the group's activities are charitable and legal. Projects must:</p>	Was due to re-open in November 2017 but no update as yet

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address the critical needs of women and girls that miss out the most, including: marginalised populations, BME women, lesbian, bisexual or transgender women and girls, women and girls with disabilities, older women, homeless women, survivors of gender violence, women in prison and ex-offenders, and other underserved and disadvantaged groups of women; and • Operate in less economically resilient towns, cities and rural areas within the UK. <p>ROSA is particularly interested in funding work that increases impact and sustainability. Therefore grants can pay for core costs such as staff salaries, office rent and staff training; as well as project costs such as drop-in support services, mobilising volunteers and outreach. ROSA is committed to supporting voluntary sector organisations pay the living wage. Grants made towards staff costs will be paid a minimum of the "Living Wage" where possible.</p>	
Place Based Social Action Fund	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/place-based-social-action	A new £4.5 million fund that aims to increase the capacity of communities, civil society organisations, public sector bodies and businesses to work together to address priorities which matter to people locally. It is also intended to encourage new ways of working so communities can contribute meaningfully to the design and delivery of services.	Deadline for EOI is 5pm on 28th November 2017

			<p>Local partnerships could use the funding to address some of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A local priority as defined by local people; • The ability of local people and organisations to take action on the issues that matter to them; • Encourage new ways of working so that people who live and work in areas have more meaningful influence and ownership over local services. <p>This is a three-phase programme which will run until 2025. In phase 1, partnerships will receive support and up to £5,000. Ten of these partnerships will be selected to apply for phase 2, with a grant of up to £240,000 on offer. Only 5 of these partnerships will be selected to apply for phase 3, with a further grant of up to £255,000 on offer.</p> <p>The call for Expressions of Interest (EOI) is open to existing partnerships across England, that have identified or are already working together to address a social challenge or local priority in their area. Existing partnerships can include charities and other representatives from VCSE organisations, local authority representatives, statutory and non-statutory bodies and Clinical Commissioning Groups.</p> <p>The Big Lottery Fund will only accept one EOI from each lower or single tier Local Authority area</p>	
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			and it must be endorsed by the Chief Executive Officer of the local authority. PLEASE NOTE: if more than one EOI from a local authority area is received, it may be decided that no EOI from this area will be considered.	
Bath & NES Smoke Free Sports Club grant programme	Administered via Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/bnes-smokefree-sports-club/	<p>The Bath & North East Somerset smoke free sports club grant programme is provided by the Bath & North East Somerset Council Public Health team and is designed to improve the health of our children and young people.</p> <p>To apply, clubs must commit to provide a smoke free environment whilst young people are training or are taking part in fixtures. Successful applicants will receive a £500 grant to buy extra equipment or provide additional facilities & training at the sports club.</p>	27 th November 2017
'Strengthening Local Government Delivery of the Covenant'	Armed Forces Covenant Fund	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covenant-fund-guidance-on-how-to-apply	<p>This priority is only open to local authorities in the UK.</p> <p>Applications can be made for awards of between £20,000 and £500,000. Awards over £200,000 will only be made in exceptional circumstances and applicants who are seeking funding of between £200,000 and £500,000 must first contact the Covenant Grant team before applying.</p> <p>Applications must be from a lead local authority on behalf of a cluster of local authorities, which must be working in close partnership with the military communities in their area(s), for some of</p>	Midday on Monday 27 th November for February 2018 decisions.

			<p>or all of the following three strands of activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Proposals for projects or initiatives which will establish and share best practice in delivering the Covenant; 2. Proposals to kick start or pilot new drop-in information centres or 'one-stop-shop' venues where any member of the wider 'military family' can visit to get information or advice; and 3. Request for support to benefit from dedicated Covenant focussed media and communications training and advice. This will include digital production and social media skills, and delivered through external training courses with follow-up expert support. 	
Bath and West Community Energy Fund	Bath and West Community Energy Fund	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/bath-west-community-energy-2/	The BWCE Fund grant programme is open for applications on the 28th September and closes on 17th November 2017. Maximum grant awarded is £5000. To be eligible for funding the project must aim to reduce carbon emissions and/or address fuel poverty in Bath and surrounding areas. Carbon reduction does not just relate to energy projects; it might also include local food, sustainable transport or waste reduction or indeed any activity that reduces carbon emissions.	17 th November 2017
Celebrating Age	The Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/celebrating-age	Grants of between £50,000 and £100,000 to support cultural spaces and organisations working collaboratively to be open, positive and	16 th November 2017

			<p>welcoming places for older people.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support arts and cultural spaces to be open, positive and welcoming places for older people. • Taking arts and culture into places where older people will find it easier to engage. 	
Community Grants	Heart Research UK and Subway	https://heartresearch.org.uk/community-grants	Grants of up to £10,000 to projects that promote heart-healthy lifestyles to help communities live healthier, happier, longer lives.	14 th November 2017
British Science Week Community Grants and Kick Start Schools Grants	British Science Association	https://www.britishscienceweek.org/ https://www.britishscienceweek.org/about-us/grants/kick-start-grant-scheme/	<p>Grants of between £500 and £1,000 from the British Science Association to support community groups running a science event during British Science Week. No prior science experience is required!</p> <p>British Science Week (9th -18th March 2018) is the largest grassroots celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths in the UK, and the BSA helps organisers plan by providing free activity and support resources.</p> <p>In previous years, they have funded:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sports science sessions with football and rugby clubs • community-created science exhibitions in places of worship, community gardens, libraries and 	13 th November 2017

			<p>pubs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • community-led research projects and experiments with youth clubs and groups with special needs • scientifically-informed theatre productions and art activities • scientist-led tours and nature walks <p>As well as their community grants, school groups can apply for their Kick Start grant scheme. This provides grants up to £700 for schools in challenging circumstances to organise their own science and engineering events. The deadline is also 13th November 2017.</p>	
Behavioural Insights Programme	Local Government Association	https://www.local.gov.uk/our-support/efficiency-and-income-generation/behavioural-insights/current-grant-opportunities	<p>Match funding up to £25,000 for local authorities to contribute towards the delivery of a behavioural insights project aimed at managing service demand and achieving efficiencies.</p> <p>The LGA will part-fund by contributing £25,000 per project for up to 5 projects focusing on managing demand into overstretched local services. Successful projects will receive match funding to commission a Behavioural Insights Provider to design and deliver an evidence based behavioural insights trial, to include a robust evaluation of the impact of the trial.</p> <p>The LGA advise that applicants think about the following:</p>	10 th November 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus on what is the behaviour which you are looking to change? • What types of trials will be statistically viable, realistic and achievable within the resources available. <p>Applications from groups of councils or those involving partner organisations are welcomed. Applications are limited to one per council, including where a council is a partner in a joint bid.</p>	
Wessex Water Money Matters Grant programme	Via Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/wessex-water-money-matters/	<p>Wessex Water believe in helping people to understand financial matters and take effective decisions regarding money. Wessex Water is working with Quartet Community Foundation to administer Wessex Water Money Matters grants for activities that support financial capability and money management projects for people who face financial difficulties in the West of England.</p> <p>Maximum grant awarded: £5,000.</p>	9 th November 2017
Tackling Inactivity and Economic Disadvantage	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/news-and-features/news/2017/august/4/tackling-inactivity-and-economic-disadvantage/	<p>Launching on 6 September, is £3m fund which will be split between two funding pots</p> <p>A £2 million pot of funding will support larger projects from £25,000 up to a maximum of £500,000 for an exceptional project. This will be for people who have little take-home pay, some qualifications and are in employment. They live very ordered lives but find it hard to build physical</p>	6 th November 2017

			<p>activity into their lives, or they feel being active is just not for them.</p> <p>A second £1m pot will support projects between £25,000 and £100,000. This will focus on people who are far less likely to have a steady income, or any income at all, and who live less ordered lives with additional challenges.</p> <p>5% of the overall budget (£150,000) from across the two pots will be set aside to fund small awards between £1,000 and £10,000. This will support smaller scale projects.</p> <p>Full details and prospectus: 6th September 2017 Workshops: mid-September to mid-October 2017 Deadline for expressions of interest and for small awards: 6th November 2017</p>	
B&NES Wellness Fund	Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/banes-supporting-communities-2/	<p>Opening on 1st September 2017, this fund is open to all groups based in Bath & North East Somerset, where a substantial proportion of members and beneficiaries are people who feel they have a mental health or wellbeing need. Grants of up to £2,000 are available.</p> <p>Consideration will be particularly given to member led groups, or groups who wish to develop in this way.</p>	30 th October 2017
Connected Communities	Nesta and DCMS	https://www.nesta.org.uk/project/connected-	A new £4 million grants programme provided by Nesta and the Department for Digital, Culture,	The deadline for

Innovation Fund		communities-innovation-fund	<p>Media and Sport (DCMS). The fund is designed to support volunteering in public services and new ways for people aged 50+ to engage in digital social action.</p> <p>The funding is for not-for-profit activities that mobilise the time and talents of people through social action to create outcomes in any of the following 4 priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community connections and thriving places - innovations that mobilise the time and talents of people within local communities to share resources, create reciprocal models of support and enable people to help each other in key priorities within communities. • Community resilience in emergencies - innovations that mobilise the time and talents of people to enable communities to prepare for, respond to, and recover from emergencies. • Digital Social Action - innovations that harness the opportunities of digital technologies to help mobilise the time and talents of people in new ways that suit 21st century lifestyles and needs. • Improving the environment - innovations that mobilise the time and talents of people to create better responses to reducing waste and pollution. 	Expressions of Interest is midday on Monday 30 th October 2017.
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			<p>The following funding is available for innovations in all four priority areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Stage Ideas track - grants of between £50,000 and £75,000, along with non-financial support over 12-18 months to test concepts and • Growing Great Ideas track - grants of between £100,000 and £250,000, along with two years of non-financial support, are available for innovations already in place and ready to scale. <p>It is anticipated that a total of around 20 innovations for both the Early Stage Ideas and Growing Great Ideas tracks will be funded.</p> <p>Public services, charities, social enterprises or partnerships led by these organisations can apply as long as their projects advance Nesta's charitable objects for public benefit. Incorporated entities and unincorporated associations with formal membership structures can apply.</p> <p>For-profit organisations may apply if there is a strong argument for public benefit and demonstrate they require public funds to develop or scale their work, or if they do so as a partnership with a not-for-profit organisation as the lead applicant.</p>	
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			Interested applicants are required to register on Nesta's website, where an Expression of Interest (Eoi) form can also be found.	
Bath and North East Somerset Community Wellness Fund grant programme	Virgin Care via Quartet Community Foundation	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/banes-supporting-communities-2/	<p>This fund is provided by Virgin Care which has been chosen by the Council and the NHS CCG in Bath & North East Somerset to oversee and join up community health and care services in the area over the next few years.</p> <p>Virgin Care have commissioned Quartet Community Foundation to manage this grant programme to enable local communities to tackle some of the causes of mental ill health, social isolation, and to promote and improve people's mental and physical well-being.</p> <p>The maximum grant is £2,000</p>	30 th October 2017
Ambition for Excellence	The Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/ambition-excellence	<p>Ambition for Excellence is an Arts Council England programme designed to stimulate ambition, talent and excellence across the arts sector in England. The programme aims to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contribute to the development of strong cultural places; • Grow and develop talent and leadership in the regions and across art forms; • Give an international dimension to excellent work; and • Create the highest quality new work including for outdoor and festival contexts. 	27 th October 2017

			Ambition for Excellence will also support the creation of work for major national moments that build on the legacy of the London 2012 Cultural Olympiad, enabling organisations to reach international and national audiences.	
Tycoon in Schools	The Peter Jones Foundation	https://www.tycooninschools.com/	<p>This is an enterprise competition designed to encourage young school-age people to pitch a business plan to their tutors with the aim of receiving seed funding. If successful in their bid for funding, the students will have one month in which to commence trading and make a profit. Participants will compete for a place on the Tycoon League Table, by making as high a profit as possible.</p> <p>The competition is open to students aged 5-18 years, attending primary or secondary school in England, Wales, Scotland or Northern Ireland, from both the state and private sector. Students aged 18 and under in Further Education College are also eligible to take part. Schools may also apply for funding through this scheme, on behalf of entrepreneurial students.</p> <p>The following funding is available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each school that registers will be automatically eligible for a £50 start-up loan. All schools and FE colleges can submit a maximum of 5 teams; 	20 th October 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The start-up loan that primary schools can apply for is a maximum of £100 per team (£500 maximum per school); • Secondary and FE colleges can apply for a maximum of £1,000 per team (maximum £5,000 per school or college), which is available per team/individual, on submission of a completed on-line business plan. <p>At the close of the competition, students will repay their original loans to the Tycoon Bank and remaining profits can be used by the school or donated to local charitable causes.</p>	
Thriving Not Just Surviving	Comic Relief	http://www.comicrelief.com/apply-for-grants/open-grants-initiatives/thriving-not-just-surviving-young-men-and-mental-health	<p>A new £1.75 million fund designed to provide large grants to support vulnerable and disadvantaged young men (aged 11-20) with mental health problems. Grants of between £100,000 and £150,000 are available for up to three years' work.</p> <p>Comic Relief is seeking proposals to deliver specialised mental health provision which puts the needs of young men at the heart of their work. There is special interest in funding organisations that test out different approaches to engagement and support to establish what works.</p> <p>Priority will be given to applications which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have consulted and plan to co-design 	The deadline is 12 noon on Friday 13th October 2017 with shortlisted proposals progressing to a final assessment.

			<p>activities with young men to ensure their needs and interests are met effectively</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are working with young men from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities or those with co-occurring learning disabilities and mental health problems • Use activity based interventions as a tool of engagement and/or that are psychologically informed. PLEASE NOTE: applications using the arts and sports as well as social and cultural activities will be considered • Promote and recognise the power of peer support and positive role models and incorporate these into their interventions • Ensure activities are carried out in non-stigmatising locations. <p>It is expected that approximately 20 grants will be awarded across the UK. Match funding is welcomed. Comic Relief expects to fund a minimum of 25% of the total costs of the proposed activities in order to ensure that they have contributed to the work in a meaningful way.</p> <p>Applications will be accepted from specialist mental health and/or youth organisations with</p>	
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			particular interest in organisations that are based in the community in which they work. Partnership bids are encouraged. Only one proposal per applicant may be submitted.	
Community Fund	Aviva	https://www.aviva.co.uk/good-thinking/community-fund/	<p>Insurance company Aviva is making over £1.5 million available to support not-for-profit groups in the United Kingdom to deliver projects that will make a difference within their local community.</p> <p>In 2017, there are 4 funding levels:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 380 awards of up to £1,000 2. 40 awards of up to £5,000 3. 20 awards of up to £10,000 and 4. 8 awards of up to £25,000 <p>All applicants are encouraged to widely promote their projects and gather as much support from their local community as possible.</p> <p>The most-voted for projects asking for up to £1,000 will secure their funding.</p> <p>The projects with the most votes asking for up to £5,000 or more will go through to the Finals and be judged by Aviva's judging panel.</p> <p>In 2017, the awards will be given out in the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and Wellbeing 	10 th October 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skills for Life • Inclusivity • Community Support 	
Youth Social Action Fund	Quartet Community Foundation on behalf of Big Lottery and the Office for Civil Society	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/youth-social-action-fund/	<p>Opening on 4th September, this fund provides grants of up to £5,000 to raise the level and quality of youth social action. This can involve activities such as campaigning, fundraising and volunteering, all of which enable participants to make a positive difference to their communities.</p> <p>The definition of young people is between 10 and 20, and up to 25 for disabled young people.</p> <p>The Youth Social Action Fund is a national grants programme, and being delivered in the West of England by Quartet Community Foundation. Big Lottery Fund and the Office for Civil Society have invested £2 million this year to fund groups delivering local youth social action opportunities.</p> <p>Groups applying must be working in Bristol, Bath & North East Somerset, North Somerset or South Gloucestershire.</p>	9 th October 2017
Making Every Contact Count (MECC)	Wiltshire Community Foundation	<p>Guidelines and application form can be found here:</p> <p>http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/public-health/guide-</p>	Making Every Contact Count (MECC) is about making the most of the opportunities to make a difference to people's health and wellbeing and has a small grants scheme in place supported by Wiltshire Community Foundation. It is designed to support the costs of third sector organisations in Bath and North East Somerset, Swindon and	6 th October 2017

		programmes-strategies-and-policies/making-every-contact-count-mecc	<p>Wiltshire who wish to undertake MECC training and cascade it within their own organisation.</p> <p>Organisations can apply for a grant of up to £1,000 to support room hire and refreshments for a training event; payment of travel time and costs to attend a training event; payment of staff cover to release employees for training; promotional resources to cascade MECC within an organisation (promotional leaflets, IT time for changing website etc).</p>	
Grants for good food for young people	The Children's Health Fund	http://www.childrenshealthfund.org.uk/grants/	<p>Grants of between £1,000 and £5,000 for projects that provide good food for young people as part of holiday learning, play and activity programmes. Grants of around £5,000 are likely to be made to projects seeking to expand their work.</p> <p>Eligible applicants should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide meals that align with the food and drink requirements (ie, School Food Standards England 2015) and other term time regulations (eg, food hygiene, food labelling); • Include enrichment activities such as sports, art and crafts, growing etc; • Provide holiday food provision for a minimum of three days a week over four weeks; • Implement relevant policies (e.g. health and safety, safeguarding, pastoral); and 	5pm on 6 th October 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate a local partnership is in place which includes a representative from the Local Authority and/or health board. <p>Match funding is welcomed but this can be 'in kind'.</p>	
Active Communities Programme	The People's Health Trust	http://www.peopleshealthtrust.org.uk/apply-for-funding/detailed-guidance?cic=49	<p>Grants of over £5,000 are available to support people to create or shape local projects that will help their community or neighbourhood to become even better. The target areas are those most affected by health inequalities. Projects can cover small areas such as a few streets, a housing estate or a small village; as well as communities of interest (people who have shared experiences, characteristics or common interests and wish to come together to address specific issues that are important to them).</p> <p>Projects can run for between 9 months and 2 years and need to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be designed and led by local people • Support their neighbourhood or community to come together to address an issue that is important to them • Create stronger connections between people by supporting them to meet up regularly • Be for people who experience greater social and economic disadvantage than people living in other parts of the country 	The closing date is 1 pm on 4th October 2017.

			<p>The fund supports projects which last between one and two years.</p> <p>The minimum grant that you can apply for is £5,000 over one year, £7,500 over 18 months, or £10,000 over two years. The maximum amount of funding we will invest in a project is £50,000. We are highly unlikely to fund a grant of £50,000 over one year.</p> <p>To be eligible to apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You are non-profit • Your income is less than £350,000 a year, or an average of £350,000 or less over the last two years • You have less than six months' annual running costs in savings (with no restrictions on the money) after you have deducted the grant you wish to request from us • Your organisation is constituted and is more than three months old 	
Try for Change (Large Grants)	Comic Relief and England Rugby	https://www.comicrelief.com/news/upcoming-funding-news-try-change-fund	<p>Comic Relief and England Rugby joined forces last year to launch the Try for Change Fund small grants fund. The Fund uses rugby union and the rugby union community to deliver social change in England and across the world.</p> <p>Following the success of this scheme, they are</p>	2 nd October 2017

			now launching an inaugural large grants programme with funds up to £100,000 available.	
Community Led Buildings Grant	Locality	http://mycommunity.org.uk/funding-options/community-led-buildings/	<p>Any Town or Parish Council, Neighbourhood Forum or qualifying community group can apply for Pre-Feasibility grants (£1000 to £10,000) and Project Support grants (£5000 to £40,000) to help move a community-led building or community-led housing project to the point at which a Community Right to Build Order, or (in the case of community led housing projects only) a traditional planning permission application, can be submitted. These are revenue grants which means that they do not cover the capital costs of land acquisition or actually constructing a building.</p> <p>Funds must be spent by 31st December 2017.</p>	Applications for grant for 2017-18 can be submitted from 1 st February 2017 until 31 st January 2018.
Countryside Stewardship	Defra, Forestry Commission, Natural England and the Rural Payments Agency	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/countryside-stewardship-get-paid-for-environmental-land-management	<p>A targeted scheme which funds projects to restore habitats, improve water quality and woodland, reduce flood risk, protect landscapes, and provide year-round food and shelter for pollinators, birds and other wildlife.</p> <p>The Higher Tier application process is underway but Mid Tier application packs can be requested no later than 31 July 2017 and applications need to be submitted by 30 September 2017.</p>	Expressions of interest by 31 st July. Deadline for applications is 30 th September 2017.
The Mutuals Interim Support Fund (MISF)	DCMS	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/mutuals-interim-support-	Grants for organisations to purchase professional advice and support to help them consider, develop or grow a public service mutual.	29 th September 2017

		fund	The Department for Culture, Media and Sport expects to announce a third phase with a further £100,000 available later in 2017.	
Housing Infrastructure Fund	DCLG	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/housing-infrastructure-fund	<p>A £2.3 billion fund for local authorities in England for infrastructure projects to support up to 100,000 new homes.</p> <p>The Department for Communities and Local Government's (DCLG) Housing Infrastructure Fund is designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver new physical infrastructure to support new and existing communities; • Make more land available for housing in high demand areas, resulting in new additional homes that otherwise would not have been built; • Support ambitious local authorities who want to step up their plans for growth and make a meaningful difference to overall housing supply; and • Enable local authorities to recycle the funding for other infrastructure projects, achieving more and delivering new homes in the future. 	28 th September 2017
Life Chances Fund	Cabinet Office	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/life-chances-fund	The Life Chances Fund (LCF) was launched in July 2016 with the objective of helping those people in society who face the most significant barriers to leading happy and productive lives. The fund contributes to outcome payments for	Expressions of Interest by 15 th September 2017

			<p>Social Impact Bonds.</p> <p>The Life Chances Fund is now open for Expressions of interest (EOIs) for Social Impact Bonds for all six themes including two new themes: Older People's services and Healthy Lives.</p> <p>There are the six policy areas for which they are seeking proposals:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Drug and Alcohol 2. Children's Services 3. Young People 4. Early Years 5. Older People 6. Healthy Lives 	
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Hate Crime Community Project Fund	The Home Office	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/preventing-hate-crime-funding-for-community-projects	The second year of the hate crime community demonstration projects scheme has launched. The aim of the scheme is to work with affected communities to fund the development of partnership projects aimed at tackling hate crime.	Friday 15 th September 2017
Big Potential	The Big Lottery	http://www.bigpotential.org.uk/	Big Potential will deliver approximately £20m of grant funding over 3 years to eligible VCSE organisations with the aim of improving their sustainability, capacity and scale in order that they may deliver greater social impact. The programme aims to raise awareness of the social investment market and support VCSEs who want to prepare themselves for social investment or winning contracts.	Deadline for Big Potential Breakthrough is 15th September 2017
Small grants for Inter Faith Week	Inter Faith Youth Trust (Alma Royalton-Kisch Trust)	http://www.ifyouthtrust.org.uk/	<p>This is the only UK charitable trust solely to fund inter faith projects for young people.</p> <p>They have opened a Small Grants Programme (up to £500) for events and projects organised by and for young people focused around Inter Faith Week 12-19 November 2017. The age range for</p>	14 th September 2017

			young people is 11-25 years.	
Smart Energy GB in Communities - Grants for engaging with people and communities on smart meters	Charities Aid Foundation	www.cafonline.org/smartenergygb	<p>The Charities Aid Foundation is seeking applications from not-for-profit organisations who can help engage people and communities across Great Britain with smart meters and the rollout. Organisations are required to be working with people over 65 who have no personal internet access to be eligible for funding. Small grants of between £500 and £5,000 are available. Projects must be delivered between 7th August and 1st December 2017.</p> <p>Organisations will have a trusted voice in their community and will provide education, reassurance and direct support to people in our target group to help them address barriers around confidence in new technology with reference to smart meters.</p>	Midday on 13th September 2017
<i>Inshore and Inland Rescue Boat Fund</i>	<i>DfT</i>	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/inshore-and-inland-rescue-boat-grant-how-to-apply-2017-to-2018	<p><i>Grants for UK registered charities that operate a rescue boat in the UK.</i></p> <p><i>Funds can be used to purchase items which will support a charities' lifesaving and rescue operations, including assets and equipment like life rafts, life jackets, and safety equipment. In previous years, the funding has been used by charities to invest in capital equipment (eg. lifeboats, flood rafts or off road vehicles), which have already been used in rescue operations, or for the maintenance of their existing equipment,</i></p>	<i>6th September 2017</i>

			<p><i>or the purchasing of new equipment for crews, such as personal protective equipment.</i></p> <p><i>There is no minimum or maximum grant. In 2016/17, awards ranged from £324 to £42,000, and the average award was £13,502.</i></p> <p><i>For 2017/18, applicants must contribute 10% towards the (ex-VAT) cost of items funded.</i></p> <p><i>Applicants must:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Be a registered charity that is located and operating in the UK</i> • <i>Currently operate an inshore rescue boat/lifeboat in the UK</i> • <i>Be able to provide a letter of support from its tasking authority.</i> <p><i>There is no standard application form for this year. Instead, the Department for Transport is inviting written applications by e-mail or post.</i></p>	
Europe for Citizens Action Grants – Town Twinning and Networks of Towns	European Commission	http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/europe-for-citizens/funding_en	<p>Grants of up to 150,000 Euros are available under the two strands listed below. Match funding of between 30% and 50% is expected.</p> <p>STRAND 1 - EUROPEAN REMEMBRANCE is available to:</p> <p>Public local/regional authorities or non-profit organisations, including civil society</p>	1 st September 2017

			<p>organisations, survivors' associations, and cultural, youth, educational and research organisations, associations of twinned towns.</p> <p>A project must involve organisations from at least one Member State, but preference is given to transnational projects</p> <p>Available funding:</p> <p>Maximum grant amount: €100,000; Maximum percentage of co-funding: 70% ; Maximum duration: 18 months per project</p> <p>STRAND 2 - DEMOCRATIC ENGAGEMENT AND CIVIC PARTICIPATION is available for the following:</p> <p>Town-Twinning initiatives - Towns/municipalities or their twinning committees or other non-profit organisations representing local authorities.</p> <p>Must involve towns from at least two eligible countries of which at least one is an EU Member State.</p> <p>Networks of Towns - Towns/municipalities or their twinning committees or networks, other levels of local/regional authorities, federations/associations of local authorities and non-profit organisations representing local authorities; the other organisations involved in the project can also be</p>	
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			<p>non-profit.</p> <p>Civil Society Organisations - Must involve towns from at least four eligible countries of which at least one is an EU Member State Civil Society Projects. Non-profit organisations, including civil society organisations, educational, cultural or research institutions; the other organisations involved in the project can also be public local/regional authorities.</p> <p>Must involve organisations from at least three eligible countries of which at least one is an EU Member State.</p> <p>Available funding:</p> <p>Town-Twinning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum grant amount: €25,000 per project; • Maximum percentage of co-funding: 50%; • Maximum duration: 21 days per project. <p>Networks of Towns:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum grant amount: €150,000; • Maximum percentage of co-funding: 70%; • Maximum duration: 24 months per project. <p>Civil Society Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum grant amount: €150,000; • Maximum percentage of co-funding: 70% 	
Grants for Places	Heritage Lottery	https://www.hlf.org.uk/lo	Grants between £10,000 and £250,000 for urgent	This fund will

of Worship		oking-funding/our-grant-programmes/grants-places-worship-england	<p>structural repairs to Grade I, II* and II listed places of worship in England. As part of the repair project, we can also fund improvements to facilities and work that helps more people get involved with these buildings.</p> <p>This fund will close in September 2017. See this statement for further information.</p> <p>https://www.hlf.org.uk/about-us/news-features/new-approach-supporting-places-worship</p>	close in September 2017.
Families Fund	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/funding/families-fund/	<p>Sport England's new Families Fund programme will provide revenue and capital grants to support projects that offer new activities for families with children aged between 5 and 15, particularly those from lower socio-economic backgrounds, to get active and play sport together.</p> <p>Eligible projects must help to achieve at least one of the following three outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase activity levels of families in lower socio-economic groups whose children are not doing 60 minutes a day of physical activity • Support families to be active together throughout the week and/or • Deliver positive experiences 	31st August 2017.

			<p>Priority may be given to projects which target those aged between 5 and 10.</p> <p>Sport England has allocated a total budget of up to £10 million in the first round of funding. Grants of between £50,000 and £500,000 are available over a maximum period of 4 years.</p> <p>In exceptional circumstances Sport England may invest up to £1 million. Applicants may also apply for less than £50,000 if they are confident that their project can make a significant, measurable contribution towards supporting families to be active together.</p> <p>Sport England would like to see a level of matched funding from partners which is appropriate to the applicant organisation and any partners who may be supporting the project.</p>	
Engaging Libraries	Carnegie UK Trust	http://www.carnegieuktrust.org.uk/project/engaging-libraries/	<p>Engaging Libraries is looking for public libraries across the UK and Ireland that want to pilot creative and imaginative public engagement projects on health and wellbeing.</p> <p>Engaging Libraries offers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £5,000 – £15,000 to deliver a public engagement project on a health or wellbeing theme. • A package of support from library and public engagement experts 	23 rd August 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kick-starter day with the opportunity to share project ideas, get advice about public engagement and support to think about your evaluation. There will also be the chance to meet other projects. • An external evaluation to ensure learning and experience can be shared more widely <p>Carnegie UK Trust are aiming to support between 8 – 10 libraries and activities must be completed between October 2017 and October 2018.</p>	
Catalyst Small Grants Fund	Arts Council	http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/funding/catalyst-small-grants	<p>This fund supports organisations to build fundraising capacity to enable them to attract more private giving to arts and culture. It aims to achieve this by supporting organisations to invest in systems training and developments for staff, volunteers and boards or to cover the costs of external expertise to support their fundraising. Funding is available as follows:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Portfolio Organisations in receipt of Arts Council investment of £250,000 or less • Accredited museums in receipt of Arts Council investment of £250,000 or less • Other not-for-profit arts and culture organisations and Local Authority library services including arms-length trusts, may apply for a grant of between £10,000 and £30,000. 	10th August 2017

			Projects must start no earlier than 12 February 2018 and must be completed within 18 months of the project start date. All projects must be completed by 14 December 2019 at the latest.	
Grassroots Giving	Skipton Building Society	https://www.skiptongrg.co.uk/apply-for-funding/	£500 of funding for voluntary groups (not registered charities) who only have access to limited funding from elsewhere.	31 st July 2017
Short Film Competition	The Watershed, Bristol	https://www.depict.org/	<p>A free to enter international short film competition. Entrants must make a 90 second film and can win:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • up to £2500 prize money • invaluable industry exposure • screening at BAFTA Qualifying Encounters Short Film & Animation Festival • a host of other exclusive prizes 	3 rd July 2017
Stop Loan Sharks Community Funding	The England Illegal Money Lending Team	http://www.stoploansharks.co.uk/ <p>Guidance notes and an application form are available upon request by sending an email to Catherine Wohlers at her email address below.</p>	<p>Grants of up to £5,000 for local residents, charities, community and voluntary groups, schools and statutory agencies in England for projects that target illegal money lending.</p> <p>The aim of the funding programme is to give groups the opportunity to raise awareness of the issues in their community in a different way. Projects must target illegal money lending and be delivered by 31 March 2018.</p>	30 th June 2017 for projects to be delivered by 21 st March 2018.

		<p>Applicants will be informed two weeks after the closing date as to whether or not they have been successful.</p> <p>Catherine Wohlers Illegal Money Lending Team PO Box 12971 B33 0TD</p> <p>Tel: 07500 809339</p> <p>Email: catherine.wohlers@birmingham.gov.uk</p>	<p>The funding can be spent on any worthwhile community project that meets the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contributes to raising the awareness of the dangers of using loan sharks • Prevents crime and disorder and publicises the Stop Loan Sharks message • Promotes the work of the Illegal Money Lending Team (IMLT) in communities • Encourages the reporting of loan sharks <p>Projects must address all of the following four aims:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Innovative: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has this been done before? • What makes this project different? 2. Community Engagement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who will this project reach? • How many people will be involved? 3. Impact: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How will it effect and influence people reached? • How will it change their actions and understanding? 4. Legacy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What will it leave behind? • How is it sustainable? 	
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			<p>The following are not eligible for funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Existing projects that merely add Illegal Money Lending to its program; • Repeating an existing project • Adverts on radio stations, though funding could be used for campaigns by radio stations • Films that are for audiences of less than 500 people • Staff salaries, day to day running costs of the organisation or vehicle costs • Producing freebies, publicity merchandise and or distribution costs • Staff training • Any costs incurred whilst putting together the application • Food (although tea and coffee can be funded) 	
Families in Stress	Armed Forces Covenant Fund	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covenant-fund-guidance-on-how-to-apply	<p>Grants of between £20,000 and £300,000 for projects lasting 2 – 3 years that support serving personnel who are experiencing a significant stressful life event and would benefit from an intervention from a provider who can offer specialised, localised (or easily accessible) and immediate support. Examples are:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life-changing injury • Bereavement • Domestic abuse 	Noon on 26 th June 2017

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Substance abuse • Relationship break-up • Those who are subject to the civil or service justice system • Mental health issues <p>Local charities, branches of national charities and/or community interest companies that provide specialist services may apply. The lead organisation must work in close partnership with one or more armed forces bases, and must be able to provide evidence of real engagement and partnership working.</p>	
Voices from the Frontline	Rosa	http://www.rosauk.org/news/voices-from-the-frontline	Grants of £500 - £2,000 to voluntary groups to support women's organisations shine a light on their fight for gender equality in the UK, by resourcing advocacy and activists with experience of disadvantage. Grants support advocacy work across Rosa's four pillars: leadership and representation, safety, health and economic justice.	15 th June 2017
Innovation in Cycling and Walking Competition	The Department for Transport	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/funding-competition-innovation-in-cycling-and-walking	<p>The DfT are seeking to increase the number of journeys and journey stages made on foot or by bicycle, by focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Better safety: safety and safety perceptions have been cited as the biggest barriers for people wanting to take up cycling and walking • Better mobility: to make cycling and 	<p>Registration Deadline: noon 7th June 2017</p> <p>Phase 1 Application Deadline: noon 14th June 2017</p>

			<p>walking normal, easy and enjoyable, better links and networks to key destinations are needed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Better streets: well-designed and accessible streets can encourage people to walk or cycle more as part of their daily routine. <p>The key areas of interest include (but are not limited to):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making it easier for people to cycle to work; • Improving the image of cycling so that more of people feel it is an activity they can incorporate into their daily routines; • Improving road safety and helping people, particularly teenagers and women, feel safer (statistics show that once children leave school there is a significant drop in the number who cycle, and women make less than half the number of trips by bicycle than men); • Making it easier to undertake journeys that include both cycling and travelling by rail. • Increasing walking among target groups, including those aged between 30 and 49, and over 60; • Improving actual and perceived road safety for pedestrians through safer crossings, increased personal safety and design of objects and equipment installed on streets 	
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			<p>(street furniture); o Using open source data to encourage walking as part of a longer trip involving public transport.</p> <p>Proposals may be for radical innovation (e.g. connected transport) as well as incremental innovation.</p> <p>The total budget for the competition is up to £470,000. £170,000 is allocated for phase 1 of the competition and up to £300,000 for phase 2:</p> <p>Phase 1 (proof of concept): projects should last up to 15 weeks and range in size up to a total cost of £25,000 each.</p> <p>Phase 2 (demonstrator projects): projects should last up to nine months and range in size up to a total cost of £100,000 per project.</p> <p>The competition is open to individuals, groups and organisations. It is particularly suitable for early stage, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs). Industry partners such as local government, independent organisations and the third sector can carry out the project on their own or with others.</p>	
Places of Worship Security Funding	Home Office	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/places-of-worship-security-funding-scheme	Funding to provide protective security measures (equipment not personnel) to places of worship that have been subject to, or are vulnerable to a hate crime attack.	29 th May 2017

The Energy Impact Award Scheme	NEA and British Gas	http://www.nea.org.uk/award-schemes/energy-impact-awards/	NEA and British Gas have launched this year's Energy Impact Award scheme with a first prize of £10,000, and two runner-up prizes of £5,000 and £2,500. The Awards reward innovation and best practice amongst agencies running projects that focus on energy and tackling fuel poverty. It is open to community groups, charities, other third sector organisations, local authorities, health agencies and other public and statutory organisations. They are specifically looking for applications which demonstrate partnership working.	19 th May 2017
Natural Flood Management Competition	Defra & the Environment Agency	http://www.catchmentbasedapproach.org/resources/tools-and-casestudies/deliver/nfm	<p>Organisations and partnerships may bid for up to £50,000 for individual Natural Flood Management (NFM) projects in England. Projects will need to demonstrate how they will meet the following allocation criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • reduce flood risk, or coastal erosion, to homes • improve habitats and increase biodiversity • contribute to research and development of NFM techniques and interventions • support and develop partnerships working with and between communities <p>The funding is for the initial project construction, which needs to be completed by 31 March 2021. There is no funding available for continued maintenance.</p>	19 th May 2017

Core Funding	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/our-work/core-market/funding-for-the-core-market/	<p>A new fund aimed at keeping people who already exercise active when life changes, or to support people who drop out more than others. Applicants will need to explain how they plan to support people whose circumstances and ability to do sport and activity are at risk – or who have stopped completely. They need not be from within the sports industry.</p> <p>We expect to make individual awards of between £50,000 and £500,000. In exceptional circumstances, investments of up to £1m may be made.</p>	8 th May 2017
Community Cash Grants	Comic Relief	http://quartetcf.org.uk/grant-programmes/comic-relief-community-cash/	<p>Grants of £500 - £1,000 distributed via local Community Foundations. In this area, it is Quartet.</p> <p>Groups need to:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be working in a disadvantaged or deprived area • Be a small local group with an income of less than £100,000 run by local people • Have limited access to other sources of income • Clearly define the need you are addressing • Clearly demonstrate the benefit of your activities to disadvantaged people • Illustrate how you aim to deliver social outcomes • Provide clear evidence that the services 	5 th May 2017

			<p>provided are inclusive to all</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver activities benefitting people who would ordinarily struggle to access such opportunities 	
Early Years Social Action Fund	Office for Civil Society and NESTA	http://www.nesta.org.uk/project/early-years-social-action-fund	Funding for projects where social action builds the confidence and knowledge of parents and primary carers, with the aim of supporting their children to achieve their developmental milestones ahead of their fifth birthday. The fund will provide 4 to 6 grants of between £150,000 and £250,000.	Expressions of Interest by 29 th March 2017
Savers Support Fund	NESTA	http://www.nesta.org.uk/project/savers-support-fund	The £1 million Savers Support Fund will scale proven social action programmes that improve money management skills and reduce debt for individuals and families in England. The fund will provide 4 to 6 grants of between £150,000 and £250,000.	Expressions of Interest by 29 th March 2017
Community Grants	Swimathon	https://swimathonfoundation.org/grants-scheme-information	Funding to groups and individuals who provide and promote swimming in their local community. Grants vary from £300 to £2,500 and will only be awarded to organisations supported by pools that are participating in Swimathon.	17 th March 2017
Discover England Fund	Visit Britain	https://www.visitbritain.org/discover-england-fund	In Years two and three (2017-19) the Fund aims to develop world-class bookable English tourism products, targeted at the right customers, at the right time and through the right channels.	10 th March 2017
Funding for Community Gardening	Grow Wild	https://www.growwilduk.com/content/grow-it-2017	Grants of £500 to young people aged 12–25 to lead projects that will raise awareness about the importance of UK native wild flowers and plants.	15 th January 2018

		Mentoring Training https://www.growwilduk.com/content/volunteer-grow-wild-mentor	Missed out? There's still time to join us as a Grow Wild mentor – a great opportunity to volunteer. The role includes free training throughout the UK during March and April 2017.	
Kick the Dust Programme	Heritage Lottery Fund	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/kick-dust	A fund intended to support ambitious youth-focused projects that transform how heritage organisations engage with young people aged 11 to 25 years. Grants of between £500,000 and £1 million available for projects that take between 3 to 5 years to complete to consortia of three or more organisations, including heritage and youth organisations.	20 th February 2017
Greening Grey Britain	Royal Horticultural Society	https://www.rhs.org.uk/communities/campaigns/greening-grey-britain	Hands-on support from expert advisors and up to £500 per project towards plant and material costs. Open to all Bloom and It's Your Neighbourhood groups, as well as gardening clubs affiliated to the RHS, working with young people.	17 th February 2017
The Active Ageing Fund	Sport England	https://www.sportengland.org/funding/active-ageing-fund/	Grants of between £50,000 and £500,000 to invest in projects that support inactive older people (aged 55 years and above) to achieve at least 30 minutes of moderate intensity physical activity per week For details of other funding on offer from Sport England visit https://www.sportengland.org/funding/	Expressions of interest by 13 th February 2017
Building a Stronger Britain Together	Home Office	https://www.gov.uk/guid	Grant funding and in-kind support to civil society and community organisations working to create more resilient communities, to stand up to	6 th February 2017

		ance/building-a-stronger-britain-together	extremism in all its forms and to offer vulnerable individuals a positive alternative, regardless of race, faith, sexuality, age, and gender.	
Reaching Communities Buildings	The Big Lottery	https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/global-content/programmes/england/reaching-communities-buildings-england	Funding for land and buildings projects costing more than £100,000. It can also provide revenue funding to help to get the building running and deliver project activities.	31 st January 2017
Community Transport Minibus Fund	The Department of Transport	http://www.ctauk.org/advertice-and-information/minibus-fund.aspx	Funding to supply new minibuses for not-for-profit community transport operators in England. One minibus will be awarded to each successful proposal. Requests for proposals that will serve rural areas will be 309rganizatio. The funding is available to any community transport operator running not-for-profit services of benefit to their local community with one or more permits under section 19 of the Transport Act 1985.	2 nd December 2016
Community Chest	Western Power Distribution Community Chest	https://www.cse.org.uk/projects/view/1302	Western Power Distribution Community Chest has reopened offering community groups a share of £50,000 to install energy saving improvements in their village halls and community facilities. Eligible measures include insulating roof spaces, installing energy saving appliances, draught proofing windows and doors, fitting effective heating controls and upgrading lighting.	30 th November 2016
Join In Stay In Fund	NESTA and Office for Civil Society	http://www.nesta.org.uk/	A £500,000 fund that will support up to 10 organisations across England to hold large one-off events for volunteers who are aged 50 and	17 th November 2017

		project/join-stay-fund	over and then run 310organizati control trials to understand what approaches work best to retain these people in impact volunteering activities. Match funding (including in kind contributions of staffing or premises) of at least 25% is usually required.	
Early Years Voluntary and Community Sector Grants	DfE	https://www.gov.uk/government/news/voluntary-and-community-organisations-awarded-60-million-grant	Grants of between £150,000 and £450,000 to develop and further the DfE's strategic aims and achieve the four early years priorities listed below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting Disadvantaged Children • Early Years Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (EYSEND) • Workforce Development – Quality • Implementation Support 	19 th October 2016
Heritage Endowment Grants	Heritage Lottery Fund	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/heritage-endowments	Funding to attract additional private money into the heritage sector through the offer of match funding and achieve a significant growth in endowments in the heritage sector, invested to provide sustainable funding for the long term. <p>Grants of £250,000, £500,000 or £1 million are available but must be matched £ for £ by private donations raised by the applicant. Organisations can also apply for up to 10% of the grant to help resource campaigns.</p>	13 th October 2016
Skills for the Future	Heritage Lottery Fund	https://www.hlf.org.uk/looking-funding/our-grant-programmes/skills-future	Funding to help not-for-profit organisations in the UK deliver paid training placements to meet skills shortages in the heritage sector and to help diversify the workforce. Grants of between	13 th October 2016

			£100,000 and £750,000.	
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FAST FUNDING FINDERS

Funding Central: www.fundingcentral.org.uk (Subscription is free for organisations with a turnover under £100,000).

The Big Lottery: <https://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/funding>

Quartet Community Foundation: <http://www.quartetcf.org.uk/showcontent.asp?CollectionID=@0000000002>

GRANTfinder – subscription only: <http://www.grantfinder.co.uk/>

Directory of Social Change

Funding for the Voluntary and Community sector from:

- Government departments
- Independent grant administrators
- European sources
- Regional sources

<http://governmentfunding.org.uk/default.aspx>

ADVICE AND SUPPORT

Advice for Charities

Type	Description	Links
Lloyd's Bank Foundation Report	This report from the Lloyd's Bank Foundation presents a candid analysis of the ten-upcoming political, economic, social and technological changes which will dramatically affect the operating landscape for the 65,000 small and medium charities working at the heart of communities across England and Wales.	https://www.lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk/Facing%20Forward%20-%202017%20Final.pdf
Charity Governance	Charity trustees need to be able to identify the critical issues – the charity's purposes and plans, its solvency, its resilience and quality of governance – and to be able to review these at regular intervals. The Charity Commission has designed these 15 questions to help charity trustees carry out such a review and decide what they need to focus on. The Commission has also included links to guidance that can help trustees access further information on a particular issue.	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/charity-trustee-meetings-15-questions-you-should-ask/charity-trustee-meetings-15-questions-you-should-ask
Foundation for Social Improvement - Small Charity Index	The Small Charity Index demonstrates the challenges small charities face in securing funding to deliver the vital services they provide for their local communities. In the years post the 2007/08 financial crisis, funds to support local services, especially from Local Authorities (a statutory source) decreased. Small charities, who deliver local services specifically in the areas of health and social welfare, therefore continue to face a challenging commissioning environment. By tracking the experiences in income generation across statutory, voluntary and earned income sources, this report shows how small charities continue to be affected by economic uncertainty, placing pressure on securing funds to remain sustainable in the long term. New fundraising opportunities have emerged, such as social investment and online giving, however these new opportunities are not necessarily appropriate for all charities, and many continue to struggle	http://www.thefsi.org/policyresearch/scindex/

	to replace the income lost through the austerity cuts and the challenging economic climate. Therefore overall, the Small Charity Index paints a picture of income stagnation, at least for the Small Charity Sector. To access the most recent Quarterly Review of the Small Charity Index, which covers the period December to February 2017, visit their website	
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Resources

Type	Description	Links
Food Drop – surplus food	<p>Food Drop is a new Bath initiative to support the redistribution of surplus food from local high street retailers to local charities. We match food retailers to local charities that can accept surplus food donations at the end of the food retailer's working day. Volunteers can support local retailers by helping to redistribute surplus food by downloading our app (launching in early October 2017), where they can sign up and filter through the different Food Drop opportunities in their community.</p> <p>Food Drops are designed to be quick (< 40 mins), flexible and easily accessible, making them a perfect fit for those who want to give back to the community or need volunteering experience.</p>	<p>If you want to learn more about Food Drop or are a charity interested in receiving surplus food donations, please email us at info@fooddrop.co.uk</p> <p>https://www.thesubath.com/vteam/fooddrop/</p>
Marks and Spencer Food Surplus Scheme	<p>Did you know that Marks and Spencers operates a Food Surplus Scheme whereby local charities can collect surplus food from the back of Marks and Spencer stores?</p> <p>Details can be found on their website:</p> <p>http://help.marksandspencer.com/support/company-website/food_redistribution</p> <p>while an article providing more information about the scheme is available</p>	See main article

	<p>here:</p> <p>https://corporate.marksandspencer.com/blog/stories/helping-our-local-communities-by-doing-more-with-our-surplus-food-and-waste</p>	
Free Resources for Care Home Choirs	<p>A Choir in Every Care Home has launched a new set of resources to inspire and support care homes to engage with music. Resources include:</p> <p>A toolkit for Care Homes A toolkit for musicians Evidence about why Care Homes should engage in more singing</p> <p>You can access the videos, toolkits and research on their website.</p>	https://achoirineverycarehome.wordpress.com/
Free Paint – Community Repaint	<p>A national paint reuse network, sponsored by Dulux, that collects leftover paint and redistributes it to benefit individuals, families, communities and charities in need. The network is run on a day to day basis by Resource Futures, an environmental consultancy.</p> <p>Currently the network is made up of over 70 schemes and redistributes over 330,000 litres of paint each year. The paint re-use network has helped local groups and charities refresh shared spaces and create colourful murals for the community; enabled people on low income to redecorate their homes at low cost and provided employment, training and volunteer opportunities that build valuable skills and experience.</p> <p>For further information, visit the Community RePaint website:</p>	https://communityrepaint.org.uk/the-uks-paint-reuse-network/
Free items – In-Kind Direct	<p>Distributes new, usable consumer goods, donated by some of the UK's best known manufacturers and retailers, to charities, not-for-profit organisations and social enterprises working in the UK and abroad.</p>	http://www.inkinddirect.org/about-us/

	<p>The service can be a lifeline to thousands of charities helping vulnerable people across the UK, allowing them to spend more of their money on support, not supplies.</p> <p>For more details, visit the In-Kind Direct website.</p>	
Free items - Freecycle	<p>The Freecycle Network is made up of 5,000+ groups with over 9 million members across the globe.</p> <p>It's a grassroots and entirely nonprofit movement of people who are giving (and getting) stuff for free in their own towns and keeping good stuff out of landfills.</p> <p>Membership is free, and everything posted must be free, legal and appropriate for all ages.</p> <p>As a nonprofit, The Freecycle Network's server and operating expenses are funded by corporate underwriting, on-site advertising (in the form of a Google sponsor bar), grants and individual donations.</p> <p>Groups are run by volunteer moderators and members take part in the worldwide gifting movement that reduces waste, saves precious resources and eases the burden on our landfills.</p> <p>For further details and information about signing up, visit the Freecycle Network website.</p>	<p>https://www.freecycle.org/about/background</p>
Free items – Warp It	<p>WARP IT – Free resources for not-for-profits Organisations often have surplus resources which they no longer need but are in good condition. Warp It was created to make sure these items can be passed to organisations carrying out charitable activities in a safe and legal manner. Warp It is free to all charities, not for profit's, social enterprises, community groups and groups which are not commercial but offer a social service.</p>	<p>https://www.warp-it.co.uk/charities</p>

	<p>Charities can sign up and, by linking up with local organisations, receive notifications of surplus items in their area. Benefiting organisations do not have to be a charity with a charity number: they just need to be carrying out a social benefit to the community.</p> <p>Charitable groups can benefit from Warp It in a number of ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get access to surplus resources in their area and nationally. This will save you money that can then be spent on charitable activities. • Collaborate and make connections with other organisations in an area. • Furniture and bulky waste charities can distribute their own goods on Warp It for other charities, individuals or organisations to claim • Transport charities can advertise their services for the transfer of goods from one organisation to another • National charities can use the system to advertise their resources around their own networks • Furniture refurbishment charities can advertise their services to members • Furniture and bulky waste charities can advertise their services to members. <p>There are two types of account, one for small to medium sized not-for-profits and another for larger, and/or national charities.</p>	
<p>Support with your project from University of Bath Students</p>	<p>For the past 5 years Zurich Community Trust (on behalf of the Zurich Life business in the UK) have been working in partnership with the University of Bath's School of Management faculty with the aim of encouraging small teams of students to volunteer their time and/or skills in October and November to add value to local charitable organisations. They have developed this initiative with help from ourselves and the Students' Union Volunteer Office. A member of Zurich's staff who has already completed a</p>	<p>E-mail: mike.plows@vol-centre.org.uk Phone: 01225 477115 Mobile 07815 564726</p> <p>The Volunteer Centre can offer</p>

	<p>successful challenge project will be mentoring each of the student teams.</p> <p>They are currently looking for fairly simple projects that a team of up to 7 students can deliver in November 2017. This could include :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • assisting you in the planning or delivery of an event • pre-Xmas activity planning eg maybe doing a small amount of fundraising to provide Xmas decorations • collating a collection for you eg food or arts and crafts items or good quality items for a charity shop • organising a simple event like afternoon tea for your client group • using their skills - marketing, strategy and planning, finance - to carry out a piece of work for you or provide training • Helping to raise the profile of your charity <p>The students involved in this scheme are international and will be put into teams of other students that they have probably not met before. Therefore part of their challenge may well include language and cultural barriers, as well as the short time given to deliver the project but they usually really embrace the opportunity and will go above and beyond the brief to deliver a successful event. However, your time will be needed to support them as this is a learning experience for these students and things may go wrong but it's how they then deal with these problems that is a key learning curve for them. Your project will be helping them to develop their teamwork, problem solving, communication and leadership skills to name but a few!</p> <p>For an application form, contact Mike Plows at the Volunteer Centre by 31st August 2017. You will need to give as much detail as possible about the challenge and the benefits for you or your client group. You may request as many projects as you like but each one must be on a separate form.</p>	<p>a range of support to community organisations. Visit their website for further information: www.vol-centre.org.uk</p>
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	The projects will be launched to Bath University students on the 10th October and the student groups then choose which challenge they would like to deliver. Some challenges will not get selected to go through to the final round. However, other groups of students might want to take up some of these projects at a later date.	
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Awards

Type	Description	Links
Charity Awards – Civil Society Media	Open to charities of any size based anywhere in the UK who have achieved something exceptional in their work. The annual Charity Awards were established in 2000 by Civil Society Media ‘to recognise those charities that are innovative, exemplify best practice, and deliver sustainable benefit to communities and society in general’. Nominations usually have to be received in February for a ceremony taking place in London in June.	https://www.civilsociety.co.uk/news/charity-awards-2018-open-for-entries.html
South West Fairtrade Business Awards	Annual Awards to recognise the contribution that businesses, organisations and institutes in the region make in support of Fairtrade by purchasing certified Fairtrade products for the workplace and raising awareness of ethical trade issues amongst their staff, customers and peers. The awards are free to enter, and will culminate in a high profile ceremony each March. The South West Fairtrade Region spans from Cornwall to Swindon. It is the leading Fairtrade region in the UK.	https://www.bristolfairtrade.org.uk/fairtrade-business
Museums and Heritage Awards for Excellence	Groups in the UK have until 1 st February 2018 to submit an entry to the Museum and Heritage Awards for Excellence. This year’s Awards will feature eleven categories, covering all major aspects of the museums,	http://awards.museumsandheritage.com/

	galleries and heritage attractions sector and are also open to operators and suppliers unless otherwise stated.	
Hearts for Arts Awards	<p>After a successful first year the Hearts for the Arts Awards are back. The awards recognise those local authorities from across the UK who invest the most in the joy, excitement and life-enriching quality of the arts.</p> <p>Hearts for the Arts Awards shine a spotlight on councils and individual officers and Councillors who are overcoming financial challenges to ensure the arts are at the centre of community life. Anyone can make a nomination, whether you are a member of the public who has experienced an outstanding Local Authority project, work for a Local Authority, or work in the arts sector.</p> <p>There are four categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best Local Authority Arts Initiative • Best Local Authority Arts Champion: Officer • Best Local Authority Arts Champion: Councillor • Best Local Authority Arts Project encouraging community cohesion. <p>All Hearts for the Arts winners will be presented with their award at a full council meeting (or similar event) by an arts celebrity.</p>	http://forthearts.org.uk/campaigns/hearts-for-the-arts/
Queen's Award for Voluntary Service	<p>The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service is the highest award given to volunteer groups across the UK.</p> <p>Any group of 2 or more people doing volunteering work can be nominated for the award. The majority of the group must be volunteers, and more than half the volunteers must have the right to live in the UK.</p> <p>To be nominated they should do work that:</p>	https://www.gov.uk/queens-award-for-voluntary-service/overview

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provides a service and meets a need for people living in the local community • is supported, recognised and respected by the local community and the people who benefit from it • is run locally <p>Volunteer groups should have been running for 3 years or more to be nominated.</p> <p>The closing date for the 2018 Awards is 15th September 2017.</p>	
<p>The Glaxo Smith Klein Impact Awards</p>	<p>The GSK Impact Awards are open to registered charities that are at least three years old, working in a health-related field in the UK, and with a total annual income of between £80,000 and £2.5 million. Award winners receive a whole host of benefits including funding, free training, publicity and national recognition.</p> <p>This year's deadline for applications is 5pm on Friday 22nd September 2017.</p>	<p>https://www.kingsfund.org.uk/projects/gsk-impact-awards/how-to-apply</p>
<p>NCVO Winifred Tumim Memorial Prize</p>	<p>NCVO has established the Winifred Tumim Memorial Prize for best practice in charity governance in honour of the work done by Lady Winifred Tumim, chair of NCVO from 1996-2001, to improve the quality of charity governance.</p> <p>Entrants must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be able to demonstrate, through the application process, how they have improved the effectiveness of their governance and delivered greater public benefit as a charity in line with the new good governance code 	<p>https://www.ncvo.org.uk/practical-support/information/governance/winifred-tumim-memorial-prize</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be a charity based in England (even if your organisation operates across the UK, your headquarters must be based in England) • cover work carried out since April 2016 • Entries are welcome from charities of any size and decisions will be made based on their achievements irrespective of the resources expended. • The judges will assess all entries received and will use the Code as a framework for their decision making <p>The deadline for this year is 8th September 2017</p>	
The Ockenden International Prizes	<p>The Ockenden International Prizes rewards successful on-the-ground projects for refugees and displaced people around the world. These prizes focus on solutions to the challenges faced by displaced people, raising awareness of their range of needs, and providing reward and recognition for those giving outstanding support.</p> <p>The Ockenden International Annual Prize 2018 will relaunch on 1st September in a new format with prize money of £100,000 to be split between four winners.</p>	http://www.ockendenprizes.org/

Advice and Information

Type	Description	Links
New Bill enabling a CIC to convert to a CIO.	<p>Parliament has passed legislation that will enable a Community Interest Company (CIC) and charities with company structures to convert more quickly into a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO).</p> <p>CIOs, which allow charities to enter into contracts as corporate entities with</p>	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/change-your-charity-structure

	<p>limited liability for trustees and members, were included in the Charities Act 2006. After lengthy delays, they finally became a new legal structure in 2013. Since then 12,500 CIOs have registered with the Charity Commission.</p> <p>This recent legislation will allow charities wishing to convert to do so swiftly as part of a phased timetable (see below) just announced by the Commission.</p> <p>The timetable allows organisations with annual incomes of less than £12,500 to be the first to convert. Organisations with incomes above £500,000 will need to wait until August 2018.</p> <p>The timetable is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday 1 January 2018 for CICs with an annual income of £12,500 or less; • Thursday 1 March 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £12,500 and £25,000; • Tuesday 1 May 2018 for CICs with an income of between £25,000 and £100,000; • Friday 1 June 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £100,000 and £250,000; • Sunday 1 July 2018 for CICs with an annual income of between £250,000 and £500,000; and • Wednesday 1 August 2018 for CICs with an annual income of greater than £500,000. <p>Further information about how a charity structure can be changed is available on the GOV.UK website.</p>	
Guide for	GOV.UK has produced a useful guide for organisations wishing to become	https://www.gov.uk/government

<p>becoming, or converting to, a Community Interest Company</p>	<p>or convert to a Community Interest Company (CIC).</p> <p>A Community Interest Company (CIC) is a limited company, with special additional features, created for the use of people who want to conduct a business or other activity for community benefit, and not purely for private advantage.</p>	<p>/publications/community-interest-companies-business-activities</p>
<p>My Community Rights Support Programme</p>	<p>If you're looking to buy a building or land for your community, help save a local pub, library or park, or want to transfer ownership of assets to the community to create and retain spaces for local use, help and advice is available through the Community Rights Support Programme, including business planning, grants and fundraising.</p>	<p>https://mycommunity.org.uk/</p>
<p>How to Decide on Priorities</p>	<p>GOV.UK has published a guide on how to identify and decide on priorities. Here's what the introduction to the briefing says:</p> <p>"There's always a long list of things you could work on when developing a product or service. But you'll usually have a limited amount of time, materials or skills available. Prioritising what you should work on and in what order is an important part of delivering good products and services."</p> <p>The item also includes a link to "20 Product Prioritisation Techniques: A Map and Guided Tour".</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/deciding-on-priorities</p>
<p>Business Support for Social Enterprises</p>	<p>The Social Business Trust provides grants and business advice to UK-based social enterprises. Successful organisations are given the opportunity to work in partnership with the Social Business Trust and its partners to use the advice and guidance offered to pursue substantial growth for further social impact. To be eligible, social enterprises must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be registered as a charity or demonstrate a clear charitable 	<p>http://www.socialbusinesstrust.org/</p>

	<p>purpose, eg, as a community interest company (CIC) with an asset lock in place</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have annual revenues of at least £1 million (or be on track to achieve that in 18 months), including a significant proportion of earned income (income excluding grants or donations) • Have at least one year's audited trading accounts • Benefit a minimum of 1,000 people per year, directly or indirectly, from the organisation's goods or services; and • Be based predominantly in the UK, serving UK beneficiaries <p>Social enterprises should also be able to demonstrate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A strong social mission • A robust business model • A proven track record • Ambitious growth plans (the potential to grow to national scale or significance) • The capacity and willingness to work with the Social Business Trust • A willingness to change • A well-defined need for the support offered <p>Organisations with “strong political or religious links” are not eligible to apply.</p> <p>The first stage in the application process is to contact the Social Business Trust for an initial discussion by emailing info@socialbusinesstrust.org.</p>	
National Citizen Service	<p>Guidance has been published to help students get involved with the National Citizen Service</p> <p>Further information is also available for Local Authorities.</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/national-citizen-service-guidance-for-schools-and-colleges</p>

		https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/national-citizen-service-guidance-for-local-authorities
Local Charities Day – December Annually	<p>15th December is Local Charities Day 2017. The Department for Culture, Media and Sport have been publishing guest blogs from small local charities over the last few weeks - powerful stories well worth a read.</p> <p>In addition, charities have been registering on the Local Charities Day Map which lets people search for charities in their area The LCD Toolkit contains publicity materials that people can to download to help show support for local charities You can sign-up for the #LocalCharitiesDay New Foundation for Social Improvement training offers are now available You can let DCMS know how you will be celebrating by emailing them at: LocalCharitiesDay@culture.gov.uk.</p>	https://dcmsblog.uk/2017/09/local-charities-day-2017/
Matchmaking Service for small businesses seeking finance that have been turned down by banks.	<p>Nine of the UK's biggest banks have undertaken to pass on the details of small businesses they have rejected for finance to four finance platforms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding Xchange • Business Finance Compared • Funding Options. • Alternative Business Funding Ltd <p>These platforms will then share these details with alternative finance providers and go on to facilitate a conversation between the business and any provider who expresses an interest in supplying finance to them. The arrangements are designed to make it easier for businesses to access finance when they have been turned down by traditional lenders.</p>	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/designation-of-banks-and-finance-platforms-for-finance-platforms-regulations

	<p>RBS, Lloyds, HSBC, Barclays, Santander, Clydesdale and Yorkshire Bank, Bank of Ireland, Danske Bank and First Trust Bank, will all have to offer access to these finance platforms, with small business having to give their permission before their details are shared.</p> <p>The scheme is expected to give businesses additional opportunities to secure funding, alternative providers access to a bigger market of potential clients, and major banks an extra service to offer their business clients when they cannot themselves provide finance.</p>	
Support with technology	<p>The Dot Project launched the Tech for Good Bath initiative in May 2017. Tech for Good Bath is building a supportive and collaborative community for those interested in technology for social impact. By creating a space for people to gather we hope to inspire and learn from each other, share ideas and collaborate to support organisations across Bath and beyond.</p> <p>We would like to find out more about what organisations and individuals have to offer in terms of technology skills and experience in Bath and surrounding areas. We would also like to assess the technology needs of organisations based in Bath - particularly those working to solve social and community problems.</p> <p>What is the problem we are trying to solve?</p> <p>How might we better map and connect the technology needs of charities, and the social sector with the skills and motivations of the tech for good members in Bath and Bristol?</p>	<p>Website: https://www.meetup.com/TechForGoodBath/ Twitter: https://twitter.com/techforgoodbath</p>
Lloyds Bank launches £500 million Growth Fund	<p>Lloyds Banking Group has opened a £500 million pound loan fund to help British businesses finance equipment. Essentially, this is the same £500 million scheme the bank opened a couple of years ago for the agricultural sector, but now its remit has been widened to include manufacturing,</p>	<p>Interested parties can phone either of the Bank's two 24-hour helpline/contact numbers: 0345 300 0000 or 01733 347</p>

	<p>construction and transport.</p> <p>The scheme targets small and medium-sized companies which banks froze out of credit following the financial crisis. The bank said the fund will deliver quick access to finance by allowing companies to spread the cost of assets over their lifetime, enabling big investments that don't eat into working capital.</p> <p>The government sees small and medium-sized companies as key to unlocking higher productivity, which has fallen back to below pre-crisis levels this year, and to the success of the UK economy post-Brexit.</p> <p>These businesses have struggled to invest in the decade since the financial crisis as banks have shied away from lending to smaller businesses.</p>	<p>007. PLEASE NOTE: these are not Freephone numbers - calls are charged at a local rate.</p>
<p>Research on mental health and social relationships</p>	<p>Mental illness has huge cost implications for society and the NHS in terms of lost work days and healthcare. Research into the health effect of social networks and interaction could inform cost-efficient mental health initiatives and policies. Depression, anxiety and other psychological conditions cost the UK an estimated £77 billion a year. Experts predict that by 2020 depression will be second only to heart disease as an international health problem. Social isolation has long been known as a key trigger for mental illness, while supportive relationships with friends, family and neighbours are beneficial to the mental health of individuals and the population. Other forms of social interaction such as volunteering are also known to boost wellbeing.</p> <p>People with supportive friends and family generally have better mental and physical health than those who lack these networks. The same is true for those who take part in churches, clubs and voluntary organisations. It is only by analysing people's lives over time within a structural, social and</p>	<p>http://www.esrc.ac.uk/news-events-and-publications/evidence-briefings/mental-health-and-social-relationships/</p>

	<p>cultural context that we can establish whether social relationships really do contribute to better health and increased wellbeing – or whether better health and more energy in the first place enable people to invest in relationships with family and friends.</p> <p>Researchers at the ESRC-funded International Centre for Lifecourse Studies In Society and Health have examined how social networks have a positive psychological impact. Attachment theory suggests that people with secure childhoods may be better at relationships of any kind – for instance making friends at school and work, or getting on well with neighbours. This theory can only be tested by looking at information over the span of a person’s life, preferably from birth to old age.</p> <p>For further information and key findings, see the website to the right.</p>	
<p>Fundraising Advice – Hold a Fast Party</p>	<p>The idea behind a Fast Party is not to plough through the buffet at a party as quickly as possible, but to 'fast' - as in abstaining from eating. A Fast Party is actually a non-event, whereby people are invited to a party that isn't going to take place. This type of fundraiser works particularly well with well-known charitable organisations with a strong supporter base either locally or nationally. Guests are asked to go without one meal on a specific date and to contribute the money that would otherwise be spend on the meal to your not-for-profit. The advantage of this fundraising idea is that it:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires very little organising • Doesn't require a venue • Has very little financial outlay - all you're paying for is the cost of the invitations (and you could get a sponsor for this in return for a bit of advertising) • Can be quite easy to obtain sponsorship. <p>Disadvantages are relatively few. The main drawback is that supporters who may already be contributing to the charity or cause may feel 'put upon'</p>	

	<p>by another request for help.</p> <p>It's also a fundraising idea you should be wary of overusing. It's okay as a witty, fun one-off activity, but at best this should be an annual event and possibly take place even less frequently.</p> <p>To organise a Fast Party, find a couple or several friends to help write a Guest List and put together an eye-catching, well-designed and witty invitation (for example, 'Mr and Mrs Smith have pleasure in not requesting your company.....' or 'Guests of Honour will not include...").</p> <p>You could also print an unappetising menu on the back of the invitation to show 'participants' that they've had a lucky escape. Include a vegetarian option.</p> <p>Print the invitations on good quality card (you guests may want the option of displaying the invitation on their mantelpiece) and include a self-addressed envelope or set up an online payment system so that participants can make their financial contribution easily - or you could just pop round to a supporters' house to collect their donation.</p> <p>Make sure that cheques are made out to the charity or cause rather than to an individual, which could lead you open to criticism or, worse, accusations of fraud. Tickets to the party could be £5 per person, £8 per couple or £10 per family, whatever you think is appropriate for your supporters. The advantage for 'participants' is that they don't have to do anything to participate. A Fast Party enables them to show their support for a cause at a relatively low cost without having to spend much effort, plan, or use up valuable time and effort.</p> <p>In terms of return, most Fast Parties report at least 50% of invitees making a donation. Some may not wish to participate but may still be willing to</p>	
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	<p>make a donation.</p> <p>Finally, always send a short thank-you letter, telling donors how the funding will be used and the difference it will make!</p>	
Report on Heritage Attractions	<p>Heritage Attractions Boost England's Economy by £12bn each year. A new report published by Historic England has revealed that heritage is a major contributor to England's economy. The report, entitled, "Heritage and the Economy 2017", reveals that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heritage contributed £11.9 billion in Gross Value Added (GVA) • There are 278,000 people employed in heritage • Heritage tourism generated £16.4 billion in spending by domestic and international visitors • The repair and maintenance of historic buildings generated £9.6 billion in construction sector output <p>The report can be downloaded from their website.</p>	<p>https://historicengland.org.uk/research/heritage-counts/2017-conservation-areas/heritage-and-economy/</p>
Amateur Sports Clubs Listings	<p>Have you ever wondered which community amateur sports clubs are in your area? Well, wonder no more - HM Revenues and Customs maintains a list!</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/community-amateur-sports-clubs-casc-registered-with-hmrc--2</p>
Skills West – free support to tackle skills gaps	<p>Struggling to find staff with the correct skills? Want to upskill existing staff, but not sure where to start? Then take up this FREE specialist advice service which can assess your needs and set you on the path to success.</p>	<p>http://www.investinbath.co.uk/news/tackle-skills-gaps-your-business</p>
Invest in Bath – Business Support Services	<p>There is a raft of support on hand to help inspire and support new entrepreneurs and to help business managers take a fresh, objective look at their business.</p>	<p>http://www.investinbath.co.uk/business-support/business-support-services</p>

	You can keep up to date with new support available for businesses - including new grant funding schemes - from both Government and other providers by signing up to our e-newsletter, by following us on Twitter @Investinbath, and by checking out our news pages. The West of England Growth Hub is also a great place to search for advice and support.	
Invest in Bath – Property Search	If your organisation is looking for workspace in Bath and North East Somerset, please take a look at our workspace pages or contact us to discuss the range of options available	http://www.investinbath.co.uk/space
Business Support and Advice – West of England	<p>Since 2013, our free business support service has advised over 700 SME businesses and helped over 90 businesses to start. Led by experienced SME advisors Cool Ventures and a range of local specialist advisors, it is a fantastic resource for the business community.</p> <p>We're very excited to announce that residents and businesses can now access much more, thanks to an injection of funding by the European Regional Development Fund and members of the Enterprising West of England consortium (which includes Bath and North East Somerset Council).</p> <p>Any B&NES-based resident who's had a bright idea for a business but wants to get some objective feedback on business planning, or who needs to get to grips with the legal and financial basics of setting up a business can use the service. Also, any start-up or established SME business (an enterprise employing fewer than 250 employees) wanting assistance with strategic planning, investment readiness, or help to deal with operational issues or key challenges such as accounting and finance.</p> <p>B&NES-based residents, start-ups and established small businesses are able to access:</p>	http://www.investinbath.co.uk/business/support/free-advice-service

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extensive one-to-one advice sessions with experienced small business and specialist advisors. Sessions can offer feedback on new business ideas, business plans and sales strategies, and offer advice on finance, employment issues, resource efficiency, social media and more; • Group workshop sessions on a range of topics, including starting in business and finance basics; • Grant funding towards the cost of intensive coaching to help businesses with growth plans. • 	
<p>Fundraising – Auctions of Promises</p>	<p>Auctions of Promises tend to be most successful when held on the back of another event when equipment and furniture is already available.</p> <p>A good Auction of Promises (50 lots takes about an hour to get through if you have a good auctioneer) can often raise £1,000 or more.</p> <p>An Auction of Promises is held on identical lines to a conventional auction, but the 'lots' are quite different. Each lot is a 'Promise', usually written on individual slips of paper and signed and dated by the person offering the promise. Promises are secured by asking around your contacts, private companies or prominent individuals in the community, such as the Mayor or your local MP. It's a good idea to have a wide selection of lots, for example, handmade goods, offers of help, vouchers, special opportunities and donated items. Example of promises can include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theatre tickets • Having your car(s) cleaned • A free round of golf • A week's holiday in a country cottage or an apartment overseas • A free meal at a local restaurant <p>To organise an Auction of Promises, follow these steps:</p>	

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Get together a small group of helpers or form a committee; 2. Decide on a date and a venue and apply for an occasional licence if you intend to run a bar, which could usefully increase the amount of funding raised; 3. Find an auctioneer who will ideally volunteer their time. If you can get one, a professional auctioneer will bring a sense of authenticity as well as ensuring the auction moves along at a brisk pace. If someone other than an experienced auctioneer wants to do it. it's essential they have a presence; 4. Proactively seek donations and promises. Make sure you get specific commitments from people or companies. Type up the promises and get them signed before the donor can pull out! Make it clear the offer is available for a limited period only, for instance 6 months or a year. 5. Prepare a catalogue showing images and the running order of all the lots which can be shown online or handed out at the event. It can help if you publish a reserve price for each lot to give participants an idea of where to begin bidding. <p>To keep things interesting:</p> <p>Include a Surprise Auction: keep 2-3 popular lots in unmarked envelopes. Announce that the next lot is one of the unmarked promises, but bidders won't know which one it is. Participants make 'blind bids' and the successful bidder receives a surprise (it's important not to announce the lots until all have been auctioned).</p> <p>Include a Sealed Bid Auction: this is where you display the lots and make pens, papers and envelopes available. Bidders place their bids in sealed envelopes and place them in a box. The winners are announced at the end of the Promises Auction. It's worth bearing in mind that Sealed Bid Auctions don't generally raise as much funding.</p>	
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	<p>At the end of the Auction, try to encourage all successful bidders to pay before they leave. Thank the auctioneer with a bottle of wine and flowers. Make sure you have sufficient volunteers to clear up. After the event, thank your donors, volunteers and successful bidders and let them know how much has been raised and how the funds will be used.</p> <p>Ensure the Auction is reported in the local and social media (this can also be done in real-time during the event), together with the amount raised. An Auction of Promises is a great PR opportunity because you can gain additional publicity as people redeem their promises throughout the 6 months or year.</p> <p>Finally, think about making it an annual event to develop your commercial and public supporter base!</p>	
Localgiving	<p>Localgiving's Grow Your Tenner, 'the campaign that turns tenners into twenties' is returning for a sixth year of match funding. It launches on 17th October 2017.</p> <p>This year the campaign has a match fund pot of £200,000, with £100,000 for matching one-time donations and £100,000 for matching monthly donations.</p>	<p>https://localgiving.org/what-we-do/campaigns/grow-your-tenner</p>
Bath Fund-raisers Group	<p>The Bath Fundraisers' Group meets every few months to bring together fundraisers based in and around Bath to network, share experiences and hear from speakers about relevant issues and case studies. The group includes professionals and volunteers, from large charities to small community based organisations.</p> <p>The group is open to all those involved in fundraising in and around Bath and if you want to attend or sign up to receive updates from the group, you</p>	<p>http://eepurl.com/cPTzzX</p>

	can contact them via the link.	
Advice on using Commission based Fundraisers	Guidance from the Institute of Fundraising and the Fundraising Regulator on using commission based fundraisers	www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/code-of-fundraising-practice/guidance/consultants-guidance/fees www.fundraisingregulator.org.uk/19-0-payment-fundraisers
Crowdfunding - Spacehive	<p>Spacehive is a crowd-funding platform which provides a single portal where people with project ideas can build support from their local community, ensure their plans are viable, pitch for funding from the crowd and partners at the same time, and share the impact they've created.</p> <p>When organisations create a project on Spacehive they're automatically matched with all of the funds that match the same criteria. For example, a Community Garden project will get matched to a Green Space fund in the same way a playground in Manchester will get matched to Manchester funds.</p> <p>You can get your project matched, pitch your project to funds and attract additional support from partners to help bring your project to life. Currently, a number of funds are available to support community projects, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Better Communities Fund - to support projects which get your community active! From organising a 100 metre sprint on your high street to revamping a 5-a-side football pitch • Esmee Fairbairn Community Fund - for projects that bring communities together and have a lasting impact • The Growing a Greener Britain Fund - for creative and innovative 	https://www.spacehive.com/

	<p>ideas that enhance greenery across the country, like building a park on a disused rail line in the sky, creating a community garden, or installing a wifi network in a park, whatever you think will make your local greenspace an even better place to be</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The UnLtd Spaces for Change Fund - to empower young people to improve unused or under used spaces within their communities <p>For more details and information about other funds offering pledges, visit the Spacehive website.</p>	
<p>Evidence for Funding Applications – Indices of Multiple Deprivation</p>	<p>The Indices of Multiple Deprivation (IMD) is often a vital resource to evidence need for a project.</p> <p>The current Indices of Multiple Deprivation maps for England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland can be accessed using the link.</p>	<p>http://dclgapps.communities.gov.uk/imd/idmap.html</p>
<p>Energy Saving Advice for start up businesses and young SMEs</p>	<p>START2ACT is an energy efficiency support programme for young SMEs and startups, funded by the European Commission's Horizon 2020 programme. The programme can help your business to identify and implement low cost energy saving measures, to save money on your energy bills and reduce your environmental impact. START2ACT has also been designed to improve how you manage energy now and in the future, so that you can lay the groundwork for long term sustainable growth.</p> <p>Businesses taking part in START2ACT will receive three visits from a Carbon Trust expert over the course of a year, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification and implementation of low cost energy saving opportunities • Support with understanding and managing energy • A training pack including top tips, easy-to-use templates, checklists and energy saving materials 	<p>https://www.carbontrust.com/client-services/programmes/start2act/</p> <p>or register your interest by e-mailing: start2act@carbontrust.com</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A young SME is defined as a company with fewer than 50 employees that has been operating for under five years. If you do not meet these criteria and are interested in receiving energy saving advice, please see the Carbon Trust Green Business Fund. <p>https://www.carbontrust.com/client-services/programmes/green-business-fund/</p>	
Support with Applying for Funding	<p>HHJ Consultancy is established in the South East and now setting up in the South West. They would like to support small charities and community groups to raise much needed funds for their work and on-going sustainability.</p> <p>Last year, they raised over £300,000 for groups. They do not charge for their service until the money they apply for has been received by the group they are supporting. All they ask in return is that the group pays 15% of the total raised. If they are unsuccessful in obtaining funding, they do not ask for any payment.</p> <p>They are also able to construct the evaluation and monitoring of the use of the monies on a group's behalf.</p>	For further information contact Heather Harrington-James by e-mail to hhjconsultancy@outlook.com
Business support	<p>BusinessBalls.com BusinessBalls.com offers a range of free resources that can be adapted and applied by not-for-profits and businesses, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business planning • Business networking • Marketing and advertising • Negotiation • Project management skills and techniques 	http://www.businessballs.com/index.htm

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sales training and selling theories • SWOT analysis <p>There's also resources on team building, leadership and management, personal development, motivational quotes and even sayings to help relieve stress in the workplace, such as this one by Dame Anita Roddick, 1942-2007 probably best known as the founder of the Body Shop): "If you think you're too small to have an impact, try going to bed with a mosquito in the room."</p>	
<p>Study into what encourages people to give to charity and what puts people off (and other reports)</p>	<p>NFP Synergy released two reports recently looking at what encourages people to give to charity and what puts people off from giving. The top four factors that encourage people to give are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The charity is clear about what donations are spent on (56%); • Learning about the impact which the charity has (47%); • Positive stories about the charity in the media (37%); • Case stories/stories about individuals that have been helped (33%). <p>Different age groups tend to be motivated by different factors, so those over 55 years old are more likely to want the charity to be clear about what its donations are spent on, as well wanting more information about impact. In contrast people under the age of 35 want case stories much more than older groups (40%+ for the under 35s vs around 30% for the other age groups), as well as fundraising events to take part in, thank you's, celebrity endorsements, and volunteering opportunities. All age groups want good stories in the media, and a strong media presence.</p> <p>Donors like to see great case studies and human stories - a clear mix of the information that motivates and inspires, and information that convinces them their donation isn't being wasted. More interesting perhaps is how</p>	<p>https://nfpsynergy.net/free-reports-and-presentations</p>

	<p>young people want more than other age groups: they wanted to be engaged as a whole supporter: to give and to volunteer, to take part and be thanked.</p> <p>WHAT PUTS PEOPLE OFF?</p> <p>The most significant factor that puts people off from giving to charity is the persistence and intrusiveness of fundraising. Irritation with fundraising rises steadily with age, peaking at the 55-64 year old age group. However fundraising is not the main barrier to people giving. This remains ‘too little money actually going to the cause’ at 54%. The second highest factor that puts people off from giving is ‘too much money spent on staff salaries’ at 43%.</p> <p>The reports, along with many other useful resources, are available on NFP's website under the 'Free Resources' tab.</p>	
Cyber Attacks	<p>The Charity Commission is urging charities to be ‘vigilant’ in protecting their organisation from ransomware attacks and to follow protection advice recently issued by the National Cyber Security Centre. The Charity Commission, the independent regulator of charities in England and Wales, warns that the vulnerabilities exploited by the hackers over the last few days are the same for charities as they are for individuals, public or private sector organisations. The following information is relevant to all voluntary, community, and social enterprise (VCSE) organisations across the UK.</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ransomware-threat-keep-your-charity-safe</p>
General Advice	<p>Website with a number of helpful briefings covering such issues as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crowdfunding for Creative Groups; • Making committees work; • Insurance for arts groups; • How to write a press release; and 	<p>https://www.voluntaryarts.org</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Getting charitable status <p>Voluntary Arts also has specific pages on arts funding, jobs, training and creative opportunities. Its resources can be accessed free of charge.</p>	
Soup Fundraisers	<p>'Soups' are a recent fundraising idea, imported from Detroit in America, that has gathered momentum in the UK over the last 18-24 months and also includes a public vote, although in this instance this is restricted to those attending the Soup event.</p> <p>'Soup' is designed first and foremost to be a great night out. For £5, audiences get a bowl of fresh, locally made soup, bread and sometimes a small slice of cake and music from local acts. The centrepiece of the night is pitches from local community groups, each getting five minutes to tell people about projects that need funding followed by a quick question and answer. The audience then votes for the one they like best, and the winner gets the pot of donations taken on the door. Successful soup nights often receive support from local businesses which provide in-kind support with soup/bread/cake making. It is not unusual for businesses attending soups to offer those pitching in-kind support, equipment etc whether they win the pot or not.</p>	<p>Bath has its own soup organised by the B&NES Volunteer Centre and Midsomer Norton held its first soup in March 2017.</p> <p>Edinburgh Soup is very happy to provide advice on how to start a Soup Night. Email: edinburghsoup@gmail.com for information.</p>
Fundraising	50 fund raising ideas	http://www.soulsoup.co.uk/get-involved/fundraising
General Advice	Emma Beeston has worked in the charity sector for over 20 years and for the past 15 years has worked in grant making including roles with BBC Children in Need, Lloyds Bank Foundation and Comic Relief. She co-chairs a network of funders, Funding South West and writes a fortnightly blog on funding-related issues for charities and not for profit organisations which is full of useful hints and tips.	http://emmabeeston.blogspot.co.uk

Crowd Funding for Parks	From Growing a Greener Britain	https://www.growingagreenerbritain.org/love-your-local-park-this-year-with-crowdfundmypark2017/
Funding for Playgrounds	Playdale have created a workbook full of advice to assist you in securing funding for your playground project	https://www.playdale.co.uk/playground-equipment-funding/
Fund-raising Platform	Give as You Live is an award-winning fundraising platform that works with over 4,000+ leading online retailers so a percentage of every purchase is donated to charity, without costing the charity or the shopper a penny extra.	https://workwithus.giveasyoulive.com/
Advice for fundraisers	The Institute of Fundraisers – advice and information from this professional membership body.	http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/home/
General advice	Clarity is a South West based non-profit company offering a skilled resource for the not-for-profit sector, helping organisations solve everyday issues and adding capacity to existing organisations. They have a regular blog on their website.	http://www.claritycic.org/home-1.html
Digital Advice	Digital is a growing area for many charities, from strategy, to fundraising, to communications. This guide is for everyone, from frontline staff at small charities to experienced digital managers and leaders wondering how to take their charity's use of digital up to the next level. Your trustees might also benefit from the section on digital governance, which is one of the most critical areas in helping your charity unlock the potential of digital.	http://micro.skillsplatform.org/charitydigitaltoolkit/
Advice on personal data	A total of 11 charities have been fined between £6,000 and £18,000 for misusing donors' personal data. NCVO has created guidelines on donor consent in fundraising in order to ensure charities are always on the right side of the law.	https://www.ncvo.org.uk/images/images/about_us/media-centre/NCVO_-_Charities_relationships_with_donors.pdf

General fundraising	A guide to fund-raising and data protection.	http://2040training.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/Fundraising-DP-guide.pdf
Gift Aid	<p>When people donate to a registered charity or a Community Amateur Sports Club (CASC), it's from an income they've usually already been taxed on. Charities can therefore reclaim the equivalent of the basic rate of tax, increasing the value of the donation made. For every £1 donated, the charity can claim an extra 25p, so each £1 can become £1.25 for the cause.</p> <p>There are special rules for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds from sponsored challenges (for example: overseas treks or marathons); • Charity membership fees; • Church collections; • Selling goods on behalf of individuals (for example through a charity shop); • Charity events or to view charity property; • Charity auctions; • Volunteer expenses donated back to a charity or CASC; and • Funds raised through charities involved in running schools <p>For your contribution to qualify for Gift Aid, you must pay enough UK tax to cover the amount the charity will reclaim. You'll also need to make a Gift Aid declaration if you want the organisation to make the claim, and many charities will include this on their donation forms.</p> <p>The giver must confirm that this is a Gift Aid donation and that they have paid enough UK tax to cover the reclaimed amount.</p>	https://www.gov.uk/claim-gift-aid/what-you-can-claim-it-on

	<p>You can make a declaration that covers an individual donation, contributions made during the previous six years and all future gifts to an organisation.</p> <p>If you pay more than the basic rate of tax you can benefit from your donation as well.</p> <p>Donors paying 40 per cent tax can claim back the remaining tax for themselves by requesting a P810 Tax Review, or adding it to a Self Assessment tax return.</p>	
General advice	A guide on setting up a group, governance, recruiting volunteers and fundraising from Skipton Building Society	https://www.skiptongrg.co.uk/free-resources/
Good Finance – Helping Not-for-Profits understand social investment	<p>Good Finance is a new website and collaborative project to help charities and social enterprises navigate social investment.</p> <p>The site addresses a commonly identified problem from organisations: that social investment is often confusing and complex to understand, with there being too little information available about how and where to access it. The website contains up-to-date content and case studies, a tool to help users assess if social investment is right for them and a directory of social investors and advisers.</p>	http://www.goodfinance.org.uk/understanding-social-investment
Data Protection Advice	Fundraisers and other charity staff alike need to know that GDPR (General Data Protection Regulation) is coming, and despite leaving the EU, it will still apply to charities. Are you ready? It's worth checking out the following information and advice:	https://ico.org.uk/for-organisations/data-protection-reform/ https://knowhownonprofit.org/funding/fundraising/dataprotection

		n https://blogs.ncvo.org.uk/2017/04/13/what-the-ico-guidance-on-gdpr-says-and-what-we-think-about-it/
Fundraising Ideas	12 fund-raising ideas using the old and new £1 coins	https://fundraising.co.uk/2017/03/28/10-ways-charities-are-fundraising-poundforpound-with-the-new-1-coin/#.WR25pFKZOi5
Communications	Ideas on how to keep them supporter focused	http://101fundraising.org/2017/04/five-rs-supporter-focused-fundraising-communications-questions/?utm_content=buffer_e3645&utm_medium=social&utm_source=twitter.com&utm_campaign=buffer

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- CIC: Community Interest Company (non-profit company)
- Registered Charity: non-profit organisations registered with the Charity Commission with charitable objects (these can be unincorporated or also registered as companies with Companies House)
- CIO: Charity Incorporated Organisation (incorporated legal structure for charities regulated by the Charity Commission)
- Association with charitable aims and objectives: formal group with a constitution which is charitable but not registered with the Charity Commission (most likely because their income is below the £5,000 threshold)
- Constituted community group: formal group with a constitution which lays out issues around membership, who can make decisions, what they do and how they will use any money etc
- Un-constituted community group: generally small groups who have come together because of a shared issue, or to set up support within their geographical community. Tend to be organised informally and have no written rules around their group
- CASCs: Community and Amateur Sports Clubs. Groups who are constituted and whose core purpose is amateur sport.