



# Boost your business

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- Business Growth Enabler covering Bristol and Bath
  - Provide events and seminars
  - Work alongside 10 Relationship Managers
  - Relationship Managers support businesses £0.5m-£2m turnover OR over £35k Bank borrowing



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- Launched April 2016
  - introduced #NatWestBoost across UK
  - Local Business Growth Enablers providing free support to businesses locally
  - Events aren't customer specific
  - National Events – 4<sup>th</sup> July @ Ashton Gate
  - Monthly Start-up surgeries
  - Highlight support locally from other funded organisations
  - Work in partnership with local eco-system to provide benefit to businesses



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# More than just a provider of Financial Services

More than just a Bank



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Opportunities  
Fund

Making a difference  
in our communities

# Entrepreneurial Spark – powered by NatWest



- World's largest, free people accelerator
- Provide business leaders skills to develop
- Non-sector specific
- 12 hubs across UK
- London hub launching this year
- [www.entrepreneurial-spark.com](http://www.entrepreneurial-spark.com)

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# FreeAgent



Accounting software used by over 50,000 small businesses,  
contractors and their accountants





# RBS Skills and Opportunities Fund



- Launched in 2015
- Awarded over £950,000 to causes in the South West
- Grants of up to £35,000 to assist development of financial inclusion
- Applications open twice per year
- Search: RBS Skills and Opportunities





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# Thank you

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