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**Funding Bulletin – April 2025**

Projects stand the best chance of funding if they are in one of these four areas: Education – Training – Health – Arts and Culture

Why? Because these are the top four things most funders in the UK want to fund. Consider how your project links to one of these areas.

(Top Tip #1 from Carol Akiwumi, Social Impact Entrepreneur and Fundraising Consultant, DSC Fundraising Fair)

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## Army Benevolent Fund Opens for Applications

Last Checked: 1 April 2025

[Grants to charities - Army Benevolent Fund](https://armybenevolentfund.org/need-our-help/charity-grants/)

## Deadline: 2 May 2025

**What for?**

The funding is intended to support charities and organisations with projects and activities that directly benefit the Army community in six key areas: supporting the family; employment, education and training; elderly care; mobility; housing; and wellbeing.

Who can apply? Not-for-profit organisations, Community interest companies, Community projects, Housing

**How much?**

Funding is at the discretion of the Grants Committee. The charity has not set a minimum or maximum amount. Applications from organisations with which the charity has no established relationship are likely to be below £15,000.

**How to apply:** Apply online at [Grants to charities - Army Benevolent Fund](https://armybenevolentfund.org/need-our-help/charity-grants/)

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**Alpkit Foundation**

[Alpkit Foundation | Alpkit](https://alpkit.com/pages/foundation)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Individuals, community groups, schools, grassroots organisations.

**How much?**

Grants between £50 and £500.

**What for?**

Funding can provide support for activities e.g. helping vulnerable and elderly people who are self-isolating, supporting the homeless, providing access to food, medicines or social care, supporting foodbanks, increasing the number of meals on wheels deliveries, and bringing exercise indoors.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Alpkit Foundation | Alpkit](https://alpkit.com/pages/foundation#apply)

**Arnold Clark Community Fund**

[Arnoldclark.com/community-fund](https://www.arnoldclark.com/community-fund)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline: Paused**

**Who can apply?** UK registered charities, local community groups, social enterprises, community interest companies, groups of organisations that are community or voluntary led and charitable incorporated organisations.

**How much?**

Grants up to £1,000.

**What for?**

The fund aims to help UK charities and local community groups continue their important work which may be at risk due to the cost-of-living crisis.

**How to apply:** Apply online: <https://www.arnoldclark.com/community-fund>

**BBC Children in Need - Core Costs Funding Stream**

[Core (Organisational) Costs Funding Stream - BBC Children in Need](https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/grants/apply/core-costs/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Charities and Not-for-profit organisations working with children and young people aged 18 or under.

**How much?**

Up to £120,000 - Organisations can apply for grants of up to £40,000 per year for a maximum of three years, with most grants being lower. Quicker decisions will be made for groups requesting £15,000 or less.

**What for?**

Core Costs support essential organisational and administrative spending. These are the key expenses required to keep your organisation running.

Core Costs funding can be spent on your organisation’s central day-to-day operations.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Core (Organisational) Costs Funding Stream - BBC Children in Need](https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/grants/apply/core-costs/)

**Blue Spark Foundation**

[Home - Blue Spark Foundation](https://bluesparkfoundation.org.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Schools, community groups, clubs, not for profit organisations and individuals.

**How much?**

Up to £5,000.

**What for?**

Blue Spark provides funding for projects which aim to improve the education and development of children and young people by means of educational, cultural, sporting or other activities.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Blue Spark Foundation](https://bluesparkfoundation.org.uk/how-to-apply/)

**Bluestar Community Fund**

[Bluestar Community Fund - Bluestar (bluestarbus.co.uk)](https://www.bluestarbus.co.uk/bluestar-community-fund)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme – funding donated for two months a year, January and July.

**Who can apply?** Local groups and charities, including schools, a sports team, or local events.

**How much?**

£500 shared among successful applicants twice a year.

**What for?**

Worthy local causes to those who need a helping hand.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Bluestar Community Fund - Bluestar (bluestarbus.co.uk)](https://www.bluestarbus.co.uk/bluestar-community-fund)

**Buttle UK- Chances for Children Grant**

[Chances for Children Grants - Buttle UK](https://buttleuk.org/apply-for-a-grant/chances-for-children-grants/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Statutory Organisations.

**How much?**

Up to £2,400.

**What for?**

To support the needs of vulnerable children and young people who have experienced a recent crisis or change in life that has had a significant impact on their social and emotional wellbeing and their education.

**How to apply:** Apply online**:** [Chances for Children Grants - Buttle UK](https://buttleuk.org/apply-for-a-grant/chances-for-children-grants/)

**Cash for Kids Cost-of-Living Grants**

<https://www.edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk/>[Grants | Cash for Kids | Helping the children that need it most](https://cashforkids.org.uk/grants)

Last checked: 25 March 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Organisations and service providers who support children who have a genuine need for support and are suffering from disadvantage due to the cost-of-living crisis.

**How much?**

£50 per child.

**What for?**

**I**tems that support children and young people’s physical and mental well-being. Items we will consider funding include food, clothing, school uniform and household fuel. This list is not exhaustive, and consideration will be given to applications that aim to improve physical and mental well-being and have the required supporting documentation.

**How to apply:** [https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england](https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england#section-4)Apply online: [Grants | Cash for Kids | Helping the children that need it most](https://cashforkids.org.uk/grants)

**Community Ownership Fund**

[Gov.uk/guidance/community-ownership-fund](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/community-ownership-fund-round-4-how-to-express-your-interest-in-applying?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

Last checked: 25 February 2025

**Deadline:** Not Stated

**Who can apply?** Applications will be accepted from voluntary and community organisations from all parts of the United Kingdom who have a viable plan for taking ownership of a community asset at risk and running it sustainably for community benefit.

**How much?**

Not Stated.

**What for?**

The funding is intended to support community groups in taking ownership of at-risk assets and to provide essential renovations for assets already in community ownership, ensuring long-term sustainability for the benefit of the community.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [funding-round/cof](https://frontend.access-funding.levellingup.gov.uk/funding-round/cof-eoi/r1)

**Co-operative Bank Customer Donation Fund**

<https://www.edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk/>[Supporting local communities | Customer Donation Fund | The Co-operative Bank](https://www.co-operativebank.co.uk/business/community/customer-donation-fund/supporting-local-communities/)

Last checked: 31 January 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Organisations such as Registered Charities, Community Interest Companies, Co-operatives and Credit Unions etc. that have a Community Directplus account can apply for funding.

**How much?**

Up to £1,000.

**What for?**

Projects that will support and enhance local communities, making a positive difference. E.g. supporting positive mental health, collecting surplus food and delivering it to the most vulnerable, supporting disabled children to build their confidence, and equipping young people with the skills they need for a better digital future.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Supporting local communities | Customer Donation Fund | The Co-operative Bank](https://www.co-operativebank.co.uk/business/community/customer-donation-fund/supporting-local-communities/)

**The Edward Gostling Foundation**

[The Edward Gostling Foundation | Enhance quality of life for people in need](https://www.edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** UK registered charities.

To be eligible:

* Your project must support one of our 4 life "themes", which are Health and Wellbeing, Independent Living at Home, Respite, and Transition.
* You must be a UK Registered Charity with a proven track record that has been registered with a UK Charity Commission for at least 3 years and can provide a minimum of 2 full years of accounts.

**How much?**

Various.

**What for?**

Funds should be used for enhancing quality of life for people in need, and supporting people of all ages living on low incomes who have a physical and/or mental disability or long-term illness.

Grants:

Small Grants: small and medium-sized charities with a gross annual income of £3M or less. This programme is aimed at charities needing urgent grant support of up to £5000 to help maintain an existing service. This grant may be used to meet the cost of any charitable activity.

Capital Grants - open to all charities with a gross annual income of £5M or less, wishing to apply for a grant in excess of £5000 towards the cost of funding a new project. Any grant awarded under this programme will be restricted and may only be used towards the cost of the project to be delivered.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Apply for a grant | The Edward Gostling Foundation](https://www.edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk/content/apply-grant-0)

**Energy Saving Trust - Energy Redress Scheme**

[Apply for funding | Energy Redress scheme](https://energyredress.org.uk/apply-funding)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Charities and community organisations.

**How much?**

Funding for this round is divided as follows:

* The Small Project Fund contains £300,000 in total and offers grants of between £20,000 and £49,999.
* The Main Project Fund contains £1.8 million in total and offers grants of between £50,000 and £250,000.

**What for?**

Registered charities in Great Britain can now apply for Energy Saving Trust’s Main and Small Project Grants Funds.

Grants can be used for capital or revenue funding and can provide up to 100% of the project cost. Projects lasting up to two years can be funded.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Apply for funding | Energy Redress scheme](https://energyredress.org.uk/apply-funding)

**Forces in Mind Trust**

<https://www.fim-trust.org/>

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Not for profit and charities.

**How much?**

No limit stated.

**What for?**

Projects which benefit veterans and their families in the UK.

The project should align with one of their six outcome areas: housing, employment, health, finance, criminal justice, relationships, and enablement.

**How to apply:** Apply online: <https://www.fim-trust.org/apply/check-your-eligibility/>

**Greggs Foundation – Breakfast Clubs**

[Breakfast Clubs | Greggs Foundation](https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/breakfast-clubs)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** UK primary schools.

**How much**

Up to£3,000.

**What for?**

Grants are available for UK primary schools interested in opening free breakfast clubs. The Greggs Foundation will provide an initial start-up grant for equipment such as chest freezers to store food items or toys and activities for the club.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Breakfast Clubs | Greggs Foundation](https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/breakfast-clubs)

**The Henry Smith Charity, Holiday Grants for Children**

[Holiday Grants for Children - The Henry Smith Charity](https://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/explore-our-grants-and-apply/holiday-grants-for-children/holiday-grants-for-children-overview/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Schools, youth groups, not for profit organisations and charities.

**How much?**

Between £500 – £2,750.

**What for**?

The Holiday Grants programme aims to provide access to recreational trips or holidays for groups of children who experience disadvantage or who have disabilities. In particular, they are interested in contributing to trips that would not take place without their funding.

Grants are only available to support children who are aged 13 and under. Grants are not available for individuals or families, whether this is a single family or a larger group of several families. Priority will go towards funding trips in the 20% most deprived areas in the UK.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Holiday Grants for Children - The Henry Smith Charity](https://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/explore-our-grants-and-apply/holiday-grants-for-children/holiday-grants-for-children-overview/)

**The Jordan Sinnott Foundation Trust**

[js25.co.uk/](https://www.js25.co.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline: Ongoing**

**Who can apply?** Applications are accepted from clubs, community groups and teams in the UK.

Priority is given to applications for those who are vulnerable, underprivileged, especially those challenged by abuse; addiction; young carers; those who find themselves in transition and those without a place to call home.

**How much?**

Up to £5,000.

**What for?**

The Jordan Sinnott Foundation Trust, a small, registered charity, was established in September 2020 after the untimely death of footballer Jordan Sinnott.

The funding aims to support the Trust's objectives, which are:

To provide relief to those who are in need, particularly children and young people, by reason of sickness or disability, financial hardship or social and economic circumstances.

To provide grants to fund items such as sports equipment, club membership or training facilities for those who cannot afford them.

To help young people, by means of sport and healthy recreation, to develop their capabilities and fulfil their potential as individuals and members of society.

**How to apply:** Apply online: <https://www.js25.co.uk/apply-for-a-grant/>

**The KFC Foundation**

[kfc-foundation-community-grants](https://www.kfc.co.uk/kfc-foundation-community-grants)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** The target beneficiaries of KFC Foundation grants are those in a position of economic disadvantage (Including at least one of these groups; care leavers, those experiencing homelessness, young carers, young parents, refugees, young people at risk of or with experience of the criminal justice system).

**How much?**

Up to £2,500.

**What for?**

The KFC Foundation loves its community, so we support grassroots organisations in the heart of KFC

restaurant communities. Organisations focused on empowering young people in the UK to fulfil their potential and build a positive future by providing spaces that allow young people to feel safe and secure, by providing mentoring and helping to unlock talent and build life skills to improve their chances to gain meaningful employment.

**How to apply:** Apply online:[kfcfoundationuk.smapply.org](https://kfcfoundationuk.smapply.org/prog/kfc_youth_foundation_-_community_grant_programme/)

**National Lottery Awards for All England**

[National Lottery Awards for All England | The National Lottery Community Fund](https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england#section-4)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Community focused organisations.

**How much?**

Between £300 and £10,000.

**What for**?

To support communities with the things that are important to them, including mitigating the impact of the cost-of-living crisis and supporting them as they seek to recover, rebuild, and grow following the Covid-19 pandemic.

Towards projects and organisations which aim to:

* Build strong relationships in and across communities.
* Improve the places and spaces that matter to communities.
* Help more people to reach their potential, by supporting them at the earliest possible stage.
* Support people, communities and organisations that are facing increased demands and challenges as a direct result of the cost-of-living crisis.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [National Lottery Awards for All England | The National Lottery Community Fund](https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england#section-4)

**National Lottery Heritage Fund - Various Streams**

[Funding | The National Lottery Heritage Fund](https://www.heritagefund.org.uk/funding)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Heritage Groups, Charities, Community Groups, Not for Profit Groups.

**How much?**

Over £3,000.

**What for**?

Projects that connect people and communities to the national, regional, and local heritage of the UK.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [The Michael Tippett Musical Foundation: guidelines (tippettfoundation.org.uk)](http://www.tippettfoundation.org.uk/html/guidelines.htm#support)

**Nationwide Building Society – Community Grants Programme**

[www.nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/](http://www.nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply?** Charities, Community Land Trusts and housing co-operatives can apply.

**How much?**

Up to £60,000.

**What for?**

To help people into homes of their owns, through projects that will strengthen local communities to support the most vulnerable by:

* Preventing people from losing their home.
* Helping people into a home.
* Supporting people to thrive within the home environment.

**How to apply:** Apply online:<https://nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/>

**Screwfix Foundation**

[Screwfix Foundation | Help | Screwfix Website](https://www.screwfix.com/help/screwfixfoundation/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Local registered charities and not for profit organisations.

**How much?**

Up to £5,000.

**What for?**

Projects that will fix, maintain, improve and repair charitable and community facilities for those in need by reason of financial hardship, sickness, disability, distress or other disadvantage in the UK.

**How to apply:** Apply online:[The Screwfix Foundation (wufoo.com)](https://screwfix.wufoo.com/forms/s3clvj61l7pusn/)

## Funding to Address Homelessness Across South East England

[Action against homelessness - Shanly Foundation](https://shanlyfoundation.com/action-against-homelessness/?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

Last checked: 2 April 2025

**Deadline: 31 May 2025.**

**Who can apply? Charities , community interest companies and charitable incorporated organisations.**

**How much?**

Single-year grants of up to £50,000, or multi-year grants of up to £150,000 over a maximum of three years

**What for?**

Funding is available for:

* Project and specific activities with a defined scope of work and project timescale.
* Operating/core costs, including running costs such as bills, rent, and salaries (it is unlikely that the Foundation will fund more than 2% of the organisation’s total annual budget).
* Unrestricted funding.
* Capital projects for building works, repairs, or equipment that is needed for the group’s work.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Action against homelessness - Shanly Foundation](https://shanlyfoundation.com/action-against-homelessness/?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

**Southampton Airport Spitfire Wellbeing Fund**

[Southamptonairport.com/](https://www.southamptonairport.com/about-us/the-health-and-wellbeing-fund/?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:**  Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Non-profit making community groups, voluntary organisations, trusts, friendly societies,

social enterprises, parish councils and community interest companies can apply provided

their objectives are charitable as defined by the Charity Act 2006.

**How much?**

Up to £5,000.

**What for?**

The Fund can be applied for against any of the purposes outlined below:

* Purchase of equipment or materials.
* Contribution towards running costs.
* Funding specific projects.
* Development of the organisation.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Southamptonairport.com/application-form](https://www.southamptonairport.com/about-us/the-health-and-wellbeing-fund/health-and-wellbeing-fund-application-form/)

**Sovereign Network Group**

[Crowdfunder.co.uk/funds/sng-communities](https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/funds/sng-communities?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** To be eligible to apply, organisations must be:

* local not-for-profit groups,
* community organisations,
* registered charities.

**How much?**

Up to £10,000.

**What for?**

Sovereign Network Group recognises the important role that community & voluntary organisations have in delivering key services to our communities. Sovereign Network Group’s Thriving Communities fund is aimed at supporting, not-for-profit groups and organisations that can clearly demonstrate how their services and projects help deliver cohesive, sustainable, resilient communities.

**How to apply:** Apply online:[Crowdfunder.co.uk/funds](https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/funds/sng-communities?utm_ID=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery)

**Tesco Community Grants**

[Tesco Community Grants](https://tescocommunitygrants.org.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply?** Registered charities and not-for-profit organisations, including voluntary or community organisations, schools, health bodies, Parish/Town Councils, local authorities and social housing providers.

Priority given to projects that provide food and support to young people.

**How much?**

Up to £1,500.

**What for?**

Local community projects and good causes across the UK e.g.:

* A local school needing support to buy food for a children’s breakfast club.
* A voluntary organisation working with families to run a food bank.
* A charity supporting young people with specialist advice to manage mental health.
* Kitchen equipment for a youth project to set up a holiday club.
* Supporting a community centre wanting to put on a Christmas lunch or Meals on Wheels service.
* A healthy eating project that supports families to cook healthy meals on a budget.

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Apply for a grant – Tesco Community Grants](https://tescocommunitygrants.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/)

**Thomas Wall Trust (Individuals)**

[Thomaswalltrust.org.uk/](http://www.thomaswalltrust.org.uk/)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Who can apply**? Individuals.

**How much?**

£1,500 Funding is available for course fees, equipment/materials, travel costs and childcare.

**What for?**

To help people complete vocational training (up to Level 3), we prioritise applications from people who have experienced hardship in their lives. The aim of our grants programme is to help people enter paid employment.

**How to apply:**  Before entering the application form you will be asked to complete an eligibility quiz, so please read our eligibility criteria.

Apply online: <https://www.thomaswalltrust.org.uk/grants-for-individuals/>

**Wooden Spoon**

[Apply for a grant: Wooden Spoon, the children's charity of rugby | Wooden Spoon.](https://woodenspoon.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/?utm_term=charity%20grant&utm_campaign=Grant&utm_source=adwords&utm_medium=ppc&hsa_acc=1831758058&hsa_cam=14630126140&hsa_grp=141097792920&hsa_ad=608887286637&hsa_src=g&hsa_tgt=kwd-297562037971&hsa_kw=charity%20grant&hsa_mt=b&hsa_net=adwords&hsa_ver=3&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI19GW74O_-QIVv4FQBh0tHgJiEAAYASAAEgIuXvD_BwE)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline:** Rolling programme

**Who can apply**? Organisations with a legal status e.g., schools, charities, and clubs.

**How much?**

There is neither a minimum nor a maximum grant award amount, but it is unlikely that a project of a

physical nature that is under £5,000 will have sufficient substance and scale to qualify under the ‘projected lifespan’ rule.

**What for?**

Projects must fall within Wooden Spoon’s Vision Statement: “Our aim is to make a positive impact on the lives of children and young people through our commitment to quality charitable work”.

The project must enhance and support the lives of children and young people (under 25) that are disadvantaged physically, mentally or socially. The project must work directly with children and young people and have a positive influence on their lives from the activities or service provided**.**

**How to apply:** Apply online: [Apply for a grant: Wooden Spoon, the children's charity of rugby | Wooden Spoon.](https://woodenspoon.org.uk/apply-for-a-grant/?utm_term=charity%20grant&utm_campaign=Grant&utm_source=adwords&utm_medium=ppc&hsa_acc=1831758058&hsa_cam=14630126140&hsa_grp=141097792920&hsa_ad=608887286637&hsa_src=g&hsa_tgt=kwd-297562037971&hsa_kw=charity%20grant&hsa_mt=b&hsa_net=adwords&hsa_ver=3&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI19GW74O_-QIVv4FQBh0tHgJiEAAYASAAEgIuXvD_BwE)

## ****Womble Bond Dickinson Foundation Accepting Applications for Community Projects Across the UK****

[Womble Bond Dickinson Foundation | Womble Bond Dickinson](https://www.womblebonddickinson.com/uk/about/responsible-business/our-foundation?mc_cid=a94d870624&mc_eid=450a7608cb&utm_ID=&utm_campaign=a94d870624-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2024_11_26_09_46_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery&utm_term=0_-73f9222cb2-201554818)

Last checked: 1 April 2025

**Deadline: Ongoing**

**Who can apply? Organisations who work with or towards the following**

* Climate action and environmental protection.
* LGBTQ+ inclusion.
* Supporting the inclusion of individuals from ethnic minority backgrounds.
* Increasing women's opportunities in life and work.
* Disability and neurodiversity inclusion.
* Mental health and wellbeing support.

**How much?**

Offering one-off grants of up to £5,000 for UK-registered charities to deliver projects and activities that make a positive impact in local communities.

**What for?**

Funding can be used for project costs, including running costs that are directly associated with project deliver.

**How to apply:** Online at[Womble Bond Dickinson Foundation | Womble Bond Dickinson](https://www.womblebonddickinson.com/uk/about/responsible-business/our-foundation?mc_cid=a94d870624&mc_eid=450a7608cb&utm_ID=&utm_campaign=a94d870624-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2024_11_26_09_46_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery&utm_term=0_-73f9222cb2-201554818).