

New funds as at 22nd Nov 2021

Funder / Fund	Amount	Status	Further Information
<p>Essentia Foundation</p>	<p>Up to £3,000</p>	<p>Open ~ deadline 26/11/21</p>	<p>Essentia Foundation</p> <p>Grants are available to small charities and community groups in Scotland for projects aiming to improve the health and social welfare of children and young people and those providing opportunities for training, enhanced learning and upskilling. The funding is intended for projects that achieve the following objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved health and social welfare of children and young people up to the age of 25. • Increased opportunities for training, enhancing learning, upskilling, and developing career opportunities, and supporting young people up to the age of 25 years old to move towards employment. <p>Value Notes Grants of between £500 and £3,000 are available.</p> <p>Who Can Apply Constituted groups, with a governing document, can apply. They must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A bank account set up in the name of the group. • At least three unrelated members on the management committee. • Unrelated account signatories. • Committee meetings with a quorum of at least three unrelated members present. <p>For projects that involve working with children and/or vulnerable adults, an appropriate Safeguarding Policy must be in place.</p> <p>Eligible Expenditure Examples of projects that can be funded include those that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the participation in mainstream society for individuals with learning disabilities or long-term life limiting health conditions. • Support young people who face long-term challenges living in poverty and inequality. • Support those who have been excluded from school to access or return to education or training opportunities. • Provide skills and training to those who are furthest from the labour market. • Aim to improve the health and welfare of children and young people.

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Transport Scotland – Smart Choices, Smarter Places COP26 Legacy Fund	Up to £50,000	Open ~ deadline November 2021	<p>Smart Choices, Smarter Places COP26 Legacy Fund</p> <p>This fund aims to encourage people to travel actively and sustainably by walking, wheeling, cycling, and use of public transport. The fund will support projects that specifically link transport with a wider environmental agenda to help achieve Scotland's ambitious target to reach net-zero carbon emissions by 2045.</p> <p>Value Notes Grants range from £5,000 to £50,000. A total of £110,000 is available. Funding is available for 50% of a total project cost.</p> <p>Who Can Apply Eligible organisations include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constituted groups, clubs, and community organisations. • Registered charities. • Not-for-profit companies or community interest companies (CICs). • Statutory bodies. • Local authorities. • Health boards. • Health and social care partnerships. <p>Eligible Expenditure The funding is intended for revenue costs only and can be used for the following types of projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities that increase awareness of, and support people to tackle the Climate Emergency. • Carbon emission-reducing cycling and walking activities. • Climate change awareness events. • Raising awareness of air pollution and its effects on our environment and health. • Environmental projects that benefit the community, increase environmental sustainability, and encourage greater use of sustainable forms of travel.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing training, advice, and support. • Holding car-free days. <p>Projects must start no later than 31 March 2022 and will have 12 months from the date of the award to complete their activities.</p> <p>Restrictions Match funding of 50% is required; 25% of the total project cost can be in-kind contributions.</p> <p>How to Apply There is no deadline but applications for COP26 Legacy funding should ideally be submitted during the month of November 2021. Expressions of Interest should be made using the SCSP Open Fund grants stream with 'COP26 Legacy' in the project title.</p> <p>https://www.pathsforall.org.uk/active-travel/smarter-choices-smarter-places-1</p>
<p>National Lottery Community Fund – Platinum Jubilee Fund</p>	<p>Up to £50,000</p>	<p>Open ~ deadline 15/12/21 (17:00) or once 700 applications are received, whichever comes first.</p>	<p>Platinum Jubilee Fund</p> <p>Funding for local projects which promote community development, local connections and commemorate the Jubilee. Non-profit organisations across the United Kingdom can apply for their share of a £3.5 million pot from the National Lottery Community Fund, in celebration of Her Majesty the Queen's 70th year of reign.</p> <p>Value Notes Grants of £30,000 to £50,000 are available, with the expectation that 70 projects will be funded.</p> <p>Fund Criteria Projects should go beyond simply celebrating, and must meet at least two of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connects people across generations through doing activities together. • Makes use of significant local sites or spaces, e.g. parks, heritage buildings, community spaces. • Considers future generations and how the Jubilee can leave a legacy for them in the community.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creates new opportunities for the people that live locally to contribute and/or to build skills and experience. • Starts something new (a set of activities, a group, a community space, a service, a network) that marks the jubilee as a turning point in the community. • Is designed and led by young people who want to be more active in shaping the future of their communities. • Starts collective action in relation to the natural world, giving more people the opportunity to care for the planet at a local level. <p>Fund Priorities Priority will be given to groups which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have not received a grant from National Lottery Community Fund before. • Are smaller or medium-sized organisations with an annual turnover of less than £100,000 or can demonstrate that they have significant reach into communities to engage a large number of people. • Work in communities where there is a history of fewer funding opportunities. • Work in areas where communities face more challenging economic circumstances. <p>Organisations will have up to two years to deliver their activities from award. Funded projects must be up and running into time for Her Majesty the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee Central Weekend on 5 June 2022.</p> <p>Who Can Apply The following types of organisations in the UK may apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voluntary or community organisations. • Registered charities. • Constituted groups or clubs. • Not-for-profit companies or Community Interest Companies. • Schools. • Statutory bodies (including town, parish, community councils or local councils). <p>How to Apply https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/the-platinum-jubilee-fund#section-3</p>
AllChurches Trust – Emergency Grants	Discretionary	Open ~ deadline 15/12/2021	Fund Name

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Programme to Support Afghan Evacuees			<p>Grants are available for Christian churches and charities to help address the ongoing Afghan evacuee crisis and cover costs associated with resettlement during a time when the economic and resource effects of the pandemic are still being felt.</p> <p>Who Can Apply Christian churches and charities are eligible to apply. Applicants must have the reach and the capacity to support the resettlement of Afghan evacuees who been granted, or are eligible to apply for, indefinite leave to remain by the UK Government.</p> <p>Eligible Expenditure There is no set minimum or maximum grant. Funding is at the discretion of the Trust and can be used to cover costs associated with resettling Afghan evacuees, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal items, such as clothing, mobile phones, food, or baby items. • Home items such as furniture. • Language support, such as English classes and translation services. • Integrating and resettling, such as drop-in sessions, welcome parties, UK life courses, or befriending programmes. • Expenses for volunteers/facilities, such as rental costs, training, or DBS checks. <p>How to Apply Guidance notes and an application form are available from the AllChurches Trust website: Afghan Evacuees Emergency Grants Programme Thematic Programme (allchurches.co.uk)</p>
Co-op Carbon Innovation Fund	Up to £100,000	Open ~ deadline 10/12/21	<p>Carbon Innovation Fund</p> <p>The purpose of the fund is to support work that reduces greenhouse gas emissions in the food and farming sector. Co-op also wishes to fund projects that create benefits for the wider community and can demonstrate how the work will support those most affected by climate change.</p> <p>Value Notes Funding of between £75,000 and £100,000 is available. The fund has a total value of £3 million over three years.</p> <p>Who Can Apply</p>

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			<p>Applications will be accepted from organisations based in the United Kingdom, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered charities. • Social enterprises. • Voluntary and community organisations. • Co-operatives. • Companies. • Partnerships. • Local, regional and national government. <p>Applications are welcomed from organisations working in partnership, including projects joining up with statutory organisations and involving voluntary, public, and private sectors.</p> <p>Eligible Expenditure</p> <p>Eligible projects and activities may include those with a focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farming and food production practices. • Initiatives around regenerative agriculture/agroecology. • Community supported agriculture initiatives. • Supporting diversity, resilience and learning amongst key players in the food and farming sector. • Behaviour change (amongst consumers or producers). <p>How to Apply</p> <p>Contact Co-op Foundation for further information. Carbon Innovation Fund Co-op Foundation (coopfoundation.org.uk)</p>