

Funding News: Thursday 18 March 2021



Business & Enterprise

Applications Open for £20m SME Brexit Support Fund

Applications will close on 30 June 2021 or earlier if all funding is allocated prior to this date.

Grants are now available to help small UK businesses in respect of changes to trade rules with the EU.

Farmers Invited to Participate in Sustainable Farming Incentive Pilot

England's farmers are invited to take part in the first phase of piloting a new funding stream for actions around biodiversity, cleaner air, improving soil, and carbon reduction on their land.

HSBC Unveils £15 Billion Fund to Help SMEs Recover from Pandemic

Applications can be made at any time.

A UK bank is launching a £15 billion lending fund for SMEs across the UK to support recovery from the coronavirus pandemic.

Triodos Bank

Triodos Bank provides financial services to UK charities, businesses and organisations that are committed to making a positive cultural, social or environmental impact.



Children & Young People

COVID-19 Recovery Funding Available for Youth Centre Charities in England

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Communities

Fellfoot Forward Community Fund

The Fellfoot Forward LPS has a rolling application window for its community fund.

Grants are available for groups and organisations who are involved in community projects that benefit the sustainability and well-being of Fellfoot Forward communities and are in, partly within or demonstrating a clear benefit to the Fellfoot area. A fund of £100,000 is set aside for community initiatives delivered over the four delivery years 2020-2023 via the Community Fund.

Grants of up to £50,000 Available for Community Projects (UK)

The closing date for this round is the 7th April 2021.

Aviva has launched the next round of its Community Fund. Aviva has teamed up with the fundraising platform Crowdfunder to offer funding of up to £50,000 to small charities, schools and community interest groups in the UK with innovative ideas that benefit their community.



Support, Training & Events

Lunch with a Funder: BBC Children in Need Friday 19 March 2021 **12noon - 1.30pm**

Join Cumbria CVS for this online session where BBC Children in Need will give a presentation of their current funding priorities followed by a Question and Answer session.

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Sports, Leisure & Tourism

Funding Available for Return of Grassroots Football in England

Applications are invited to a new fund that seeks to support grassroots football clubs and organisations in England with restarting or delivering new activities.

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Local Funders

- [Carlisle City Council Grants](#)
- [Cumbria County Council Community Grants](#)
- [Cumbria Community Foundation](#)
- [Cumbria Local Enterprise Partnership](#)
- [Cumbria Office of Police and Crime Commissioner](#)
- [Cumbria Waste Management Environment Trust](#)



National Funders

- [Arts Council England](#)
- [Disability Grants](#)
- [Funding Central](#)
- [Spacehive - Crowdfunding For Local Projects](#)
- [Sport England](#)
- [The National Lottery Community Fund](#)
- [The National Lottery Heritage Fund](#)
- [Turn2us](#)



Further support and resources

[Grants and External Funding](#) - information on grants and external funding news and resources

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