Art, Culture & Leisure

**National Lottery Grants for Heritage Opens for Phase 1 Applications**

Grants of between £3,000 and £100,000 to support the UK’s heritage sector respond to the impacts of coronavirus and to adapt and thrive again.

**Shared History Fund**

Grants are available for public sector and not-for-profit organisations across the UK that are seeking to mark the centenary of Northern Ireland.

**Scops Arts Trust - The next deadline for Stage 1 applications is 12noon on 8 December 2020**

Grants are available to charities across the UK for high quality projects that provide opportunities for people from all backgrounds to access, enjoy and participate in the arts.

Business & Enterprise

**Applications Open for Third Self-employed Support Grants**

Cash grants for self-employed individuals (including members of partnerships) whose income has been negatively impacted by COVID-19.

**Carlisle City Council 4 Business**

Carlisle City Council is providing local businesses with free access to business support and grant finder portal provided by Open4Business.

**Community Business ReBoost Fund**

Grant funding and matched equity investment are available for existing community business, with charitable purpose, that are based in England to prepare a community share offer to support their recovery from coronavirus pandemic.

Government Outlines Future Support for England’s Farmers

A roadmap towards supporting farmers and landowners through a fairer system from next year have been published.

**Power to Change - Powering Up! Capacity Strengthening Support Programme**

Tailored support package of up to £3,000 to increase community business leaders’ knowledge, to provide wellbeing support and to build peer relationships to boost recovery especially in communities hardest hit by COVID-19.
Children and Young People

Peter Sell Annual Award
Grants for Scout or Guide groups in the UK to encourage new members and to ensure long term benefits from the award.

Applications Invited for Weston Charity Awards 2021
The 2021 round of the annual Weston Charity Awards is now open for applications from registered charities that are working in the fields of youth, welfare or community and are based in the North of England, the Midlands or in Wales.

Community

Comic Relief Community Fund - Capacity Building Grant
Grants are available for small local grassroots organisations in England to become stronger and more robust and better able to deliver projects that bring about lasting change.

Community Business ReBoost Fund
Grant funding and matched equity investment are available for existing community business, with charitable purpose, that are based in England to prepare a community share offer to support their recovery from coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic.

National Lottery funding in England: Update
National Lottery Awards for All, Reaching Communities and Partnerships funding programmes in England are open again.

Power to Change - Powering Up! Capacity Strengthening Support Programme
Tailored support package of up to £3,000 to increase community business leaders’ knowledge, to provide wellbeing support and to build peer relationships to boost recovery especially in communities hardest hit by COVID-19.
Winter Resilience Fund - Deadline 7 December

This fund will provide financial support for voluntary organisations and community groups that are providing health and wellbeing support and have struggled financially during COVID-19 due to limited access to funding, loss of funding and an increase in workload.

COVID 19

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Funding News

Funding news related to coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak.

Education & Skills Development

Funding to Support Schools and Colleges During COVID-19

A new COVID workforce fund will be made available to support with costs of staff absences in schools and colleges.
Deadline Alert

Scops Arts Trust - The next deadline for Stage 1 applications is 12 noon on 8 December 2020

Grants are available to charities across the UK for high quality projects that provide opportunities for people from all backgrounds to access, enjoy and participate in the arts.

Winter Resilience Fund - Deadline 7 December

This fund will provide financial support for voluntary organisations and community groups that are providing health and wellbeing support and have struggled financially during COVID-19 due to limited access to funding, loss of funding and an increase in workload.

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

Contact Abigail Roberts - Funding and Development Officer

Abigail.Roberts@carlisle.gov.uk

NB. The above funds have been grouped under themes for ease of reading, but please note that some will fund across several themes.