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Art, Culture & Leisure

Heritage Trade Up Programme

A learning programme and match funding grant are available for leaders of heritage organisations in the UK.

Lankelly Chase - News and Media Fund

Grants are available to people working in the UK journalism sector to support a collection of independent conversations, partnerships, experiments or spaces where people can come together to explore what it means to reimagine and renew parts of the news and media system.



Business & Enterprise

Carlisle City Council Business Support

Information on Carlisle City Council Business Support including a Free Fund finding Portal, Coronavirus Business Grants and EU Transition information.

Cumbria Chamber of Commerce - Cumbria Growth Hub

One-stop-shop for business support in Cumbria offering an extensive package of practical support designed to increase your profitability, growth and competitiveness.

Cumbria LEP Business Support

If you run a business, Cumbria LEP has expert business advisers who are available to work with you one-to-one to overcome your business challenges.

Cumbria Social Enterprise Partnership

Working in partnership to strengthen Social Enterprise in Cumbria with support & advice, funding sources and toolkits & resources.

Open4Business Free Funding Portal

Carlisle City Council is providing local businesses with free access to its local business support and grant portal provided by Open4Business. This is tailored for the Carlisle area and includes local, regional and national schemes. Business can also search for funding relevant to their size and sector. To use the portal, you will first need to register with Open4Business.

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Children & Young People

Kellogg's Breakfast Club Grants

Funding available to support school breakfast clubs in the UK.

Youth Endowment Fund Announces New Themed Rounds for 2021

Funding to support programmes that prevent children and young people in England and Wales from becoming involved in violence.



Communities

Cumbria CVS Focus on Funding Update 2 March 2021

Latest edition of the Cumbria CVS Health and Care Project's Focus on Funding update.

Magic Little Grants Fund 2021

Small one-off grants are available to small local charities and community groups for community projects in Great Britain that address themes set out by the funders.



Education, skills & training

Ernest Cook Trust Launches COVID Grant to Support Remote Learning

New grant available to UK schools to help to those pupils who are missing out due to a lack of equipment, data or connectivity during COVID lockdown.

Further Education Capital Transformation Fund - Deadline Extended

Funding available to Further Education (FE) colleges and designated institutions in England to tackle poor condition across their estates.

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Environmental & Climate

NLCF Launches Round 2 of Climate Action Fund

Up to £10 million in funding for community-led partnerships in the UK to make changes in their community that they believe will have the biggest impact on climate change.

Applications Invited for UK Local Environmental Initiatives Fund

Grants are available to charities, community groups, schools, small businesses and other local organisations in the United Kingdom for green projects and environment-friendly initiatives.

Grants to Go Green - Webinar on funding 4 March 1pm!

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Launch of Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Support Programme

UK wind component manufacturers can apply for grants to support the offshore wind supply chain.



Health & Social Welfare

Armed Forces Covenant Fund Trust Announces 2021/22 Funding Programmes

Funding programmes to support the UK's Armed Forces communities with post COVID recovery, with initial application rounds starting in April 2021.

NHS Patient Transport Fund

Grants for groups to provide patient transport to COVID-19 vaccination hubs in North Cumbria CCG area (i.e. for patients registered with a North Cumbria CCG GP).

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Sport & Recreation

Active Cumbria Funding

The Active Cumbria team can help clubs, organisations and individuals access a wide variety of funds that will help support these ambitions.



Support, Training & Events

Help and Support from Cumbria CVS

Cumbria CVS currently has dedicated Funding Officers to help your organisation or group including helping to identify sources of funding, application development and much more...



Deadline Alert!

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Fleabag Theatre Worker Support Fund - Deadline 05 March 2021

A fund to provide grants to theatre workers in the UK who are in financial need due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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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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