FUNDING FROM THE NATIONAL LOTTERY

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Awards for All is a Lottery grants scheme aimed at local communities. They award grants of between £300 and £10,000, in any one year period, in a simple and straightforward way.

They fund projects that enable people to take part in community activities, as well as projects that promote education, the environment and health in the local area.

You can apply at any time and the application form is short and simple. However, even if you are successful, you should allow at least **three months** between submitting your application and receiving a grant.

For more information [click here](#) or telephone their hotline 0345 4 10 20 30
Arts Council England is the national development agency for the arts in England, distributing public money from Government and the National Lottery.

Grants for the arts are for individuals and organisations, including artists, performers, arts organisations, local authorities, and voluntary and community groups.

Grants normally range from £1,000 up to £100,000 and can cover activities lasting up to three years.

For more information click here

or telephone their hotline 0845 300 6200
The Big Lottery Fund (BIG) is committed to improving communities and the lives of people most in need.

Every year BIG gives out millions of pounds, from the National Lottery, to good causes. Their money mainly goes to community groups and projects that improve health, education and the environment.

Grant programmes usually start from a minimum amount of £10,000. For groups and projects working in the above areas but needing less than this see Awards for All above.

For more information click here

or telephone the BIG hotline 0345 4 10 20 30
The Heritage Lottery Fund (HLF) enables communities to celebrate, look after and learn more about our diverse heritage.

From museums and historic buildings to parks and nature reserves to community groups celebrating traditions, customs and history, the HLF has made grants to projects that open up our nation’s heritage for everyone to enjoy.

Their grants start from a minimum amount of £3,000.

For more information click here

or telephone their advice line 020 7591 6042/44
**Sport England** is the government agency responsible for developing a world-class community sport system.

Whether you are a village club who needs to purchase extra equipment or a multi-million pound facility that hosts Olympic athletes, they have a funding stream that can help you.

Their grants start from a minimum amount of £300.

For more information [click here](#)

or telephone their helpline **03458 508 508**
Funding a better future

The National Lottery makes a difference to us all by investing in people and places across the United Kingdom. For every £1 that the public spends on Lottery tickets 28 pence goes to the Lottery good causes. These are the arts, charities and voluntary groups, heritage, health, education, the environment and sports. Lottery funders are the organisations that distribute the good causes money to local communities and national projects.

The National Lottery Good Causes website provides information on how to get Lottery funding, the latest news on the organisations that distribute Lottery money, and a funding search that will help you find the funding programmes that best match your project.

For more information click here