

# Sources of funding

Financial support, guidance and advice are available from a wide range of sources

Use this list to find the organisations most suitable for your project



## [The National Lottery](#)

Over £13 billion has been raised so far for the National Lottery's six good causes



## [UK Sport](#)

Supports talented men and women in sports where we compete as the United Kingdom



## [National Sports Foundation](#)

A Government-led initiative designed to facilitate and encourage partnerships between private investors and community sports projects in England



## [Sport Scotland](#)

The agency for sport and recreation in Scotland.



## [Sports Council for Northern Ireland](#)

The agency for sport and recreation in Northern Ireland.



## [Sports Council for Wales](#)

The agency for sport and recreation in Wales.



## [Big Lottery Fund](#)

The Big Lottery Fund distributes half of the money for good causes from the National Lottery. It replaces the New Opportunities Fund and the Community Fund.



## [Awards for All](#)

A lottery grant scheme aimed at local communities issuing grants of between £300 and £10000.



## [The Football Foundation](#)

Oversees investment in grassroots football.



## [Inclusive Fitness Initiative](#)

Promotes and supports opportunities for people with disabilities to take part in physical activities.



## [Foundation for Sports and the Arts](#)

Uses income generated by the football pools promoters to give grants to a wide range of projects.

Contact number: 0151 259 5505.



## [Sportsmatch](#)

A grassroots sponsorship incentive scheme which matches commercial sponsorship, pound for pound.



## [SportsAid](#)

Provides direct financial support to sports men and women between 12 and 18 years old.



## [European funding programmes](#)

A database of over 400 EU grants and loans.



## [j4bGRANTS](#)

A free database for community groups to search for funding for sports projects.

