

Funding Opportunities for Coaching

Across the Coaching System Support Network in England

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Due to the fluid nature of funding streams, some county sports partnerships have requested that a link to the funding section of their website is included within this guide, rather than a detailed description of the funding that is available. Where such a request has been made, the detail presented will be a direct hyperlink to the relevant site.



National Funding

All England Netball Association Youth Trust

Summary	Five thousand pounds is available to support the development of netball for those aged under 21. Equipment, courses, coaching, facilities and promotion of netball are all eligible. Projects must demonstrate a long-term impact/benefit.
More information	www.englandnetball.co.uk/About_Us/AENA_Youth_Trust.php

ASA Teaching and Coaching National Funding Opportunities

Summary	The Amateur Swimming Association (ASA) pages offer information on both national and regional funding streams available in swimming.
More information	National funding: www.swimming.org/asa/teaching-and-coaching/teacher-funding/national-funding-opportunities/2200/ Funding by region: www.swimming.org/asa/teaching-and-coaching/funding-opportunities-for-teachers-coaches/

Bag4Sport (B4S)

Summary	B4S is a social enterprise that supports colleges, sports clubs, schools, youth clubs, communities and charities by turning unwanted clothing into useful cash. Fifty full bags could earn a sports club £200, and B4S will pay a further 2% on top of this for donations weighing over one tonne. Telephone 01380-728 880.
More information	www.bag4sport.co.uk

Barclays Community Sports Award

Summary	Each month, the winner of the award will receive £1000 for their group or organisation and a limited edition trophy, and be entered into the end of season award to win a further £5000. Email enquires@barclayscommunitysportsaward.com
More information	www.barclayscommunitysportsaward.com

Barclays Spaces for Sports

Summary	Run in partnership with the Football Foundation, the programme focuses on regeneration and sports, creating sustainable sports sites for people to engage in sport and physical activities in areas without such facilities. Telephone 0121-236 8565.
More information	http://group.barclays.com/Citizenship/Community-Investment/Community-programmes/Barclays-Spaces-for-Sports

Bernard Sunley Charitable Foundation

Summary	The Foundation provides support to registered charities of up to £5000. It avoids publishing specific areas of interest to maintain a broad spectrum of charitable giving. However, most grants for sport fall into the following categories: education; youth; community; health; or leisure. Telephone 020-7408 2198 or email office@sunleyfoundation.com
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Big Lottery Fund

Summary	Various funding programmes are available. Of particular interest is the Reaching Communities programme. Telephone the advice line on 08454-102 030.
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More information	www.biglotteryfund.org.uk
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Big Lottery Fund Awards for All

Summary	Awards for All provides lottery grants of between £300 and £10,000 to fund projects that involve people in their communities through local groups and activities. The project must meet at least one of the Big Lottery Fund's outcomes. Telephone the advice line on 08454-102 030.
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More information	www.awardsforall.org.uk
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Big Lottery Fund Reaching Communities buildings

Summary	Reaching Communities has been expanded. Projects involving community buildings within targeted urban and rural settings will be able to apply for funding of between £100,000 and £500,000. Telephone the advice line on 08454-102 030.
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More information	www.biglotteryfund.org.uk
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Boost Charitable Trust

Summary	The Trust aims to Build On Overlooked Sporting Talent. All of its activities are designed to champion the disabled and disadvantaged and to inspire them to overcome their challenges through the power of sport. Grants are categorised into small awards (£500 or less) and large awards (over £500). Telephone Lucy Till on 020-7078 1955 or email: lucy.till@boostct.org
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More information	www.boostct.org
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Cash 4 Clubs	
Summary	Cash 4 Clubs is a sports funding scheme enabling clubs to apply for grants to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications and generally invest in the sustainability of their club. There are three tiers of grants at £250, £500 and £1000. Applications can be submitted at any time, and grants are awarded on a quarterly basis.
More information	www.cash-4-clubs.com
ClubNet	
Summary	Clubs register for free and, as a member, you are able to raise money, save money and access support. For example, you can place an advert on your club's website and earn up to £150 per year.
More information	www.clubnet.org.uk
Comic Relief	
Summary	Grants are available to support projects through the Sport for Change and Local Communities programmes. On average, grants are of between £25,000 and £40,000 per year. Funding can be used to cover both running and capital costs. Comic Relief is keen to make sure the funding reaches all parts of the UK, especially areas that often miss out, such as rural communities.
More information	www.comicrelief.com/apply_for_a_grant/
Community Amateur Sports Clubs (CASC)	
Summary	While not a grant-giving group, this website (from HM Revenue & Customs [HMRC]) outlines tax-break opportunities for community sports clubs. Telephone 0845-302 0203.
More information	www.hmrc.gov.uk/casc/casc_guidance.htm
Co-operative Community Fund	
Summary	Applications to the Community Fund can only be submitted online. Grants of between £100 and £2000 are available. If you are a newly formed group (less than three months old), the maximum you can apply for is £500. Telephone 0844-262 4001.
More information	www.co-operative.coop/corporate/ethicsinaction/communities/fundsandfoundations/communityfund/

Daily Telegraph and RBS Sport for You

Summary	Five £1000 support packages are available each month throughout 2011 to encourage the development of clubs across the country. A simple application form is all that needs to be completed to apply.
More information	www.telegraph.co.uk/sport/othersports/amateur/8281316/A-1000-amateur-sports-club-grant-could-be-yours.html

Dickie Bird Foundation Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme (TASS)

Summary	<p>TASS Scholarships are for up to 24 year olds who are studying at least 50% of a full-time higher level course at college or starting out in employment and can be worth £3500 per annum. Disabled athletes can apply up to the age of 35.</p> <p>TASS 2012 Scholarships are available to those with the potential to be a medallist in The London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games and can be worth £10,000 per annum.</p>
More information	www.thedickiebirdfoundation.co.uk or dbgrants@btinternet.com

Football Foundation

Summary	The Football Foundation has various funding streams, including: Facilities; Build the Game; Grow the Game; Corporate Partner Programmes; Football Stadia Improvement Fund; Extra Time; Inside Right; PlaySport London Facility Fund; and Premier League Community Facility Fund. Telephone 0845-345 4555
More information	www.footballfoundation.org.uk

Funding Central

Summary	Funding Central is a free website for charities, voluntary organisations and social enterprises. The site provides access to thousands of funding and finance opportunities, plus a wealth of tools and resources supporting organisations to develop sustainable income strategies appropriate to their needs.
More information	www.fundingcentral.org.uk

Ladbrokes in the Community Charitable Trust	
Summary	Funding comes via the fund-raising efforts of head office, shop staff, customers and 'event days'. Initially, the support of a local shop should be secured in raising funds on behalf of a cause. Any monies raised are banked with the trust, with consideration of additional funds being added by Ladbrokes taken by the trust's grants committee.
More information	www.ladbrokesplc.com/responsible-business/communities-and-charities.aspx
Lord's Taverners	
Summary	The charity supports organisations seeking to encourage youth participation in cricket and other sporting/leisure activities. In particular, the scheme wishes to fund organisations involved with young people who have social, environmental, physical or learning disadvantages. Telephone Richard Anstey on 020-7821 2828 or email richard.anstey@lordstaverners.org
More information	www.lordstaverners.org
Lottery Funding	
Summary	Lottery Funding is a joint website run by all lottery funders in the UK. This site allows you to search for information on current funding programmes across the UK, including Awards For All and the Big Lottery Fund.
More information	www.lotteryfunding.org.uk
People's Postcode Trust	
Summary	Grants of £500–£5,000 are available for projects lasting up to three months in the areas of community development, public sports, advancement of health, human rights, poverty prevention and environmental protection.
More information	www.postcodetrust.org.uk
Peter Harrison Foundation	
Summary	The foundation has an Opportunities through Sport programme aimed at assisting sports activities or projects for disabled or disadvantaged individuals. Telephone 01737-228 000 or email enquiries@peterharrisonfoundation.org
More information	www.peterharrisonfoundation.org

Ron Pickering Memorial Fund (Athletics)

Summary	The Fund supports young athletes who are in education and may need financial help towards training or provision of equipment. Applicants must be aged 15–23 years, medallists from their National Schools AA,AAA U17 and U20 or U23 Championships or in the top six of the appropriate UK ranking list. Grant applications open each year on 1 October and close on 30 November.
More information	www.rpmf.org.uk

Rowing Foundation

Summary	The Rowing Foundation provides funding for participation in sports and games, particularly water sports. It aims to aid and support young people (those under 18 or still in full-time education) and disabled people of all ages through their participation in sport and games in Britain. Projects must incorporate participation in sport and games, particularly water sports. Telephone Pauline Churcher, Secretary, on 020-8878 3723 or email applications@therowingfoundation.org.uk
More information	www.therowingfoundation.org.uk

Sir Steve Redgrave Fund

Summary	The Fund aims to use the power of sport and sporting activity to bring about positive change in the lives of disadvantaged children, young people and their communities. Funding is for community groups, small charities and schools. Telephone Rebecca Hanshaw on 020-7820 5555 or email enquiries@steveredgravefund.com
More information	www.steveredgravefund.com

SITA Trust Queen Elizabeth II Fields Challenge

Summary	The trust aims to protect 2012 outdoor recreational spaces. You can apply to obtain Queen Elizabeth II Field status. All areas designated a Queen Elizabeth II Field will then be able to apply for grants to make improvements to the recreation area. There are two different strands: the QEII Fields Volunteer Support Fund, with grants up to £5000; and the QEII Major Works Fund, with grants up to £25,000.
More information	www.sitatrust.org.uk

South West Foundation in partnership with the Esmee Fairbairn Foundation

Summary	The Foundation will invest small grants in small community organisations operating in rural areas, and market and coastal towns, with the aim of encouraging and enabling people to take part in their communities. Small grants are up to £1000 (most grants will be in the region of £200–£600). Telephone 01275-333 666.
More information	www.the-foundation.org.uk/grants.htm

Sport England Iconic Facilities

Summary	Funding is available to support innovative, large-scale, multi-sport facility projects that are regionally significant for at least two sports and can demonstrate long-term financial viability. Round two opens in autumn 2011 and round three in autumn 2012. Telephone 08458-508 508 or email funding@sportengland.org
More information	www.sportengland.org/about_us/places_people_play/iconic_facilities.aspx

Sport England Inspired Facilities

Summary	Grants of between £25,000 and £150,000 are available where there is a proven local need for a facility to be modernised, extended or refurbished to open up new sporting opportunities. Telephone 08458-508 508 or email funding@sportengland.org
More information	http://inspiredfacilities.sportengland.org

Sport England Small Grants Programme

Summary	Applications are invited from sports recognised by Sport England for projects with a clear sporting outcome. Awards of between £300 and £10,000 are made for community-level activities. There is an online application process. Telephone 08458-508 508 or email funding@sportengland.org
More information	www.sportengland.org/funding/small_grants.aspx

Sport England Sportsmatch

Summary	Sportsmatch can match commercial business sponsorship for a grass-roots sporting event or activity. Sportsmatch acts as an incentive by offering to double the pot of money available from your sponsor on a pound-for-pound matching basis. A minimum of £1000 is required to be matched. Telephone 08458-508 508 or email funding@sportengland.org
More information	www.sportengland.org/funding/sportsmatch.aspx

SportsAid	
Summary	Recipients are generally youngsters aged between 12 and 18 years, male or female, for able-bodied applicants, or up to 35 for disabled athletes, spread across 50 sports. Nominations for support must be made by official representatives of the governing body of sport.
More information	www.sportsaid.org.uk
Swimathon Foundation	
Summary	Grants between £300 and £2500 are available to help more people participate in and enjoy swimming and to make swimming more accessible. Applicants must be a representative of, or have the support of, a pool participating in Swimathon or Simply Swim 2011.
More information	www.swimathon.org/page.php?page=Foundation
Tesco Charity Trust Community Awards Scheme	
Summary	The Scheme supports local community projects whose core work supports the welfare of children, elderly people and people with disabilities, and which are based in areas where Tesco has stores. One-off donations range between £500 and £4000, and applications for larger grants of between £4000 and £25,000 are also considered. Telephone 0845-612 3575
More information	http://cr2010.tescopl.com/communities/tesco-charity-trust.aspx
Torch Trophy Trust	
Summary	Bursaries of £100–£1000 are available to support volunteers in improving their skills as coaches or officials. 50% funding is available, and a governing body of sport letter of support is required. Telephone Angela Sasso on 020-7976 3900 or email angela.sasso@torchtrophytrust.org
More information	www.torchtrophytrust.org
UnLtd	
Summary	UnLtd provides opportunities for young people aged 11–21 years to bring communities together, help promote understanding and solve problems through sport, arts and recreational activities. Two categories of funds are available: between £500 and £5000; and up to £15,000. Telephone 020-7566 1100.
More information	www.unltd.org.uk

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London Luton Airport Community Trust Fund	
Summary	This offers grants of £250–£3000 per organisation to local groups in Beds, Herts and Luton who fulfil their criteria (which are pretty wide as long as it is not solely for the promotion of religion).
More information	www.blcf.org.uk/grants/documents/LLAcriteria.pdf
Bedfordshire and Luton	
CSSN funding contact	Mark Stokes, Team Beds and Luton Email: mark@teambedsandluton.co.uk
Alderman Newton's Educational Foundation	
Summary	The Foundation is administered by Bedford Borough Council and offers one-off grants to young people (aged 13–25) who live in Bedford. (Certain areas to the north of the town are excluded, although it is hoped to increase the area to include Kempston and the rural part of the Borough of Bedford). Grants are awarded for educational purposes, such as the cost of books needed in connection with courses. For further details, please contact David Baker on 01234-227 203.
Bedford Borough Council	
Summary	Bedford Borough Council offers modest Community Chest (up to £500) and Community Support (up to £1000) grants on a rolling basis throughout the year, subject to budget.
More information	www.bedford.gov.uk
Bedfordshire Crimebeat	
Summary	This is a funding initiative for young people. Anyone under 25 can apply. Small grants are available to support groups involving young people in helping to solve some of the problems that face communities, like solvent abuse, vandalism, shoplifting and bullying. Contact Jane Regan, Youth and Community Safety Officer, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford SG17 5TQ. Tel: 01462-611 112. Email: jane.regan@midbeds.gov.uk
More information	www.national-crimebeat.org.uk

Bedfordshire and Luton Community Foundation

Summary	The Foundation is dedicated to improving the quality of the community life of Bedfordshire people, and in particular those in special need by reason of disability, age, financial or other disadvantage. Grants can be made for a wide range of purposes, including buying equipment, training staff and volunteers, printing and publicity, start-up costs, social events and running costs. Grants will not be considered from individuals, political parties/organisations, statutory groups and for the promotion of any one religion. There is a general grants procedure for up to £500, but the Foundation administers a range of grants appropriate to different causes and areas. Contact the Foundation Director, Mark West, at the Bedfordshire and Luton Community Foundation, The Barn, Buttercup Farm, Hockliffe Road, Tebworth, Beds LU7 9QA. Tel/fax: 01525-878 142.
More information	www.blcf.org.uk/grants/index.php

Bedfordshire Police Partnership Trust

Summary	The Trust supports community initiatives in Bedfordshire that work in the following fields: crime prevention; community safety; drugs misuse and prevention; schools liaison; or road safety. Grants of up to £1000 are currently available. Telephone 01234-842 612 or email: brian.prickett@bedspolicepartnership.org
More information	www.bedspolicepartnership.org

Central Bedfordshire Council's Chairman's Charitable Fund

Summary	Small grants of up to £250 are available for community groups in Central Bedfordshire (the southern half). The website states: <i>We no longer publish our deadlines for receiving completed bids under any of the funds we operate as this has always created a very uneven workflow for us in the past, with the majority of bids coming in at the last moment. Our panel meets four times a year, in March, June, September and December, and so it will not take any more than three months for you to receive a decision. You will need to make sure your bid is with us a minimum of three months before you need the funds for which you are applying – particularly if the bid is for a one-off event with a specific date in mind.</i>
More information	www.blcf.org.uk/grants/documents/centralbedschairmansfundcriteria.pdf

Central Bedfordshire Flagship Fund and More Active Grant Scheme

Summary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Flagship Fund is for community-based projects and up to £500 for parish plans in rural areas of South Beds. The More Active Grant Scheme offers financial assistance towards specific projects and activities, and is available to community groups and talented individuals in sports and community development. For more details, telephone 0300-300 8000.
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Community and Voluntary Service Mid and North Beds

Summary	The Service provides high quality funding advice and information to local voluntary and community organisations, including a resource of national and local funding opportunities.
More information	www.voluntaryworks.org.uk/cvsmidandnorthbeds/FundingAdvice.asp

Fit for Funding Workshops

Summary	These workshops will cover all the basics to get you to the stage where your organisation will be able to apply for funding. We will go through all the documentation you will need, including your governing document, policies, budgeting, and explain the basics of outcomes and demonstrating need. There will also be the opportunity to go through examples of funding applications and guidance on the use of our resources area, including a demonstration of www.trustfunding.org.uk and an opportunity to participate in our 'Who Wants to be a Millionaire?' funding game. If you would like to attend one of the workshops, please contact Mandy Field on 01234-354 366 or email mandy@yourcvs.org
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Houghton Regis Town Council

Summary	Grants are available for development costs or setting up a new group, new activities or new projects and may be available for general running costs at the discretion of the council. There is no set limit; however, grants are normally between £50 and £500. For an application form, contact Town Clerk, Houghton Regis Town Council, Council Offices, Peel Street, Houghton Regis, Bedfordshire LU5 5EY. Telephone: 01582-708 542 or email: info@houghtonregis.org.uk
More information	www.houghtonregis.org.uk

Leighton Linlade Sports Council

Summary	The council distributes grants to sports organisations and individuals. For more information and to check eligibility, please email Wendy Guy (Secretary) on wendy.5guys@btinternet.com or telephone 01525-371 534.
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Luton Sports Network

Summary	Funded coaching qualifications are available for those who are involved in sports clubs in Luton. Individuals and projects will be fully or partially funded depending on the circumstances of the application. For full grants criteria and to apply, go to the Luton Sports Network website.
More information	www.teambedsandluton.co.uk/coaching/funding-support/luton-sports-network

Sport Bedford	
Summary	Grants for coaching and officiating qualifications are available for those who are involved in sports clubs in Bedford. For full grants criteria and to apply, go to the Sport Bedford web pages.
More information	www.bedford.gov.uk/leisure_and_culture/sports_development/sport_bedford.aspx
Strangward Trust	
Summary	The Trust makes grants to organisations working with people who have physical or mental disabilities. Apply in writing to Mrs L Davies, The Strangward Trust, Vincent Sykes and Higham, Montague House, Chancery Lane, Thrapston, Northamptonshire NN14 4LN. Telephone: 01832-732 161. Email: louise.davies@vshlaw.co.uk
Wixamtree Trust	
Summary	The organisation must either be based or operating within the county of Bedfordshire or be a national charity focusing on family social issues. They must be either a registered charity or considered to be charitable in nature by HM Revenue & Customs. The trust does not provide support to individuals. Grants average £1000–£10,000 and can be for one-off projects, core costs and research. Email wixamtree@thetrustpartnership.com
More information	www.wixamtree.org
Cambridgeshire	
CSSN funding contact	Helen Clarke, Living Sport Cambridgeshire Email: helen.clarke@livingsport.co.uk
Cambridgeshire County Council IYSS Transformation Fund	
Summary	<p>The aim of the IYSS Development Funds 2011–2013 is to enhance young people aged 10–19's access to support and positive activities by building capacity at a locality/cross-locality level, and fostering new partnerships and joint funding arrangements.</p> <p>The funding has been identified to support work with local communities or communities of interest to develop sustainable provision or activities being run at locality/cross-locality level, and in particular that provide a springboard to longer-term, more permanent solutions where there are gaps. The total County Transformation Fund allocation for the two-year period is £487,000.</p> <p>For more information, contact:</p> <p>Cambridge City and S Cambs Helen Rees, RES 1402, The Old Police House, Shire Hall, Cambridge CB3 0AP</p> <p>E Cambs and Fenland Emma Pearce, 1C/17B Noble House, St Thomas Place, Cambridgeshire Business Park, Ely CB7 4EX</p> <p>Huntingdonshire Margaret Verill, 1C/10A, Unit 7, The Meadows, St Ives PE27 4LG</p>

Cambridgeshire County Council 2012 Small Grants for Celebrations and Events

Summary	Cambridgeshire County Council has funding to help local groups and organisations create activities and events that will celebrate The London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games in the local community. Your celebration must be inspired by London 2012, but it does not have to be a new event or activity. We would like you to devise celebrations in your community that 'welcome the world' or involve and inspire young people and create a lasting and positive legacy in the community. Grants will be up to a maximum of £500 and additional funding or support in kind will be expected. Please see the guidelines and application form on the website.
More information	www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/leisure/olympics2012/Small+Grants+2012.htm

Huntingdonshire District Council

Summary	The council has a local fund finder site for residents.
More information	www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk/Leisure and Culture/Leisure Development/Sports Clubs/Pages/Funding for Sports Clubs.aspx

Essex

CSSN funding contact	Kate Williams, sportessex
	Email: Kate.Williams@sportessex.org.uk

Hertfordshire

CSSN funding contact	Rob Hardwick, Coaching Development Manager, Herts Sports Partnership
	Email: coaching@sportinherts.org.uk

North Hertfordshire Sports Grants

Summary	North Herts District Council is committed to supporting talented sporting individuals and coaches. Each year, a dedicated fund provides grant assistance to North Herts residents. This is administered through Sport North Herts, a community sports network representing statutory, private and community organisations dedicated to delivering and developing sport.
More information	http://bit.ly/t6eP5F

Watford Volunteer Bursary Scheme

Summary	Watford Borough Council's bursary scheme offers coaches in Watford sports clubs the opportunity to apply for a subsidy to support the development of their coaching qualifications.
More information	www.watford.gov.uk/ccm/content/leisure-and-community/watford-volunteer-bursary-scheme.en

Norfolk	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Ian Grange, Active Norfolk</p> <p>Email: ian.grange@activenorfolk.org</p>
Breckland District Council Coach Development Grant Scheme	
Summary	<p>Breckland are offering a new sports coach development bursary scheme to complement their 2012 initiatives and raise the quality of coaching and volunteering within clubs across the district. Aspiring Breckland-based coaches can apply for 75% (up to £300) of their total course costs in priority sports, and 50% (up to £150) for all other sports. To download an application form and for more information regarding priority sports, please visit the website. Applicants must be Breckland residents and prepared to offer six hours' coaching free of charge within the district subsequent to achieving their qualification. The deadline for applications is 10 March 2012. Email Stefan.Clifford@breckland.gov.uk or telephone 01362-656 870.</p>
More information	<p>www.breckland.gov.uk/coachdevelopment</p>
Broadland District Council Sponsorship for Excellence Sports Grant	
Summary	<p>The aim of the Sponsorship for Excellence scheme is to support those in sport who perform at a high standard. In order to reach this level, it takes time, effort and also resources. The scheme recognises this and offers small financial awards to support those who are involved in sport at this level. Please note this grant is for Broadland residents only. Email maria.alborough@Broadland.gov.uk or telephone 01603-430 570.</p>
Disability Coach Bursary	
Summary	<p>Active Norfolk runs several disability sport events across the year. These include the Active Norfolk Youth Games, Adult Disability Games, Playground to Podium Talent ID days and also several multi-sports clubs across the county. We are keen to link as many coaches in as many different sports with these activities to create as many opportunities as possible and have therefore created this bursary scheme. We are offering to pay up to 75% of the agreed coaching qualification with an understanding that you, the coach, will deliver a minimum of 10 hours' coaching within disability sport in Norfolk. This will be agreed on a case by case basis. Email ellen.vanlint@activenorfolk.org</p>
Great Yarmouth Borough Council Coach Education Grants	
Summary	<p>Great Yarmouth Borough Council currently issues the local sports council with an annual sum of money for distribution to promote and encourage coach education within the borough. Grants are available to assist individuals to attend coaching courses or to assist clubs in holding coaching courses. Either the individual or the club should reside in the borough. Grants of up to £100 are awarded. Application forms are available from Marie Hartley, GYBC Culture, Sport & Leisure Manager. Telephone 01493-846 354 or email: mlh@great-yarmouth.gov.uk</p>

King's Lynn and West Norfolk District Council Coach Education Grants

Summary	The Borough Council of King's Lynn and West Norfolk wants to encourage people to become qualified sports coaches and take up sports coaching and leadership positions in the community. The council therefore still offers small grants to those residents wishing to take governing body coach qualification courses. Email lynne.playford@west-norfolk.gov.uk or telephone 01553-818 015.
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Norfolk Village Games

Summary	Funding secured as part of the Norfolk Village Games project is available to support 140 coaches with grants for coaching and development workshops. This funding is open to all coaches in Norfolk, new and current. Coaches who are funded would be expected to support part of the delivery of the Norfolk Village Games, working in partnership with the Norfolk Village Games team. Email ian.grange@activenorfolk.org
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Suffolk

CSSN funding contact	Richard Neal, Suffolk Sport
	Email: Richard.neal@suffolksport.com

Suffolk Disability Sport Coaching Bursary Scheme

Summary	The scheme is creating new or better-qualified disability sport coaches in Suffolk by offering funding to coaches working with disabled athletes looking to become qualified or progress up the coaching ladder.
More information	www.optua.org.uk/Leisure-disability_sport_academy.asp

Suffolk Sport

	Suffolk Sport is able to offer up to 50% funding for a recognised governing body of sport coaching qualification. See the website for an application form and guidance notes.
More information	www.suffolksport.com/coaching

East Midlands

Derbyshire	
Coaching Derbyshire Coach Bursary Fund	
Summary	The aim of the fund is to encourage and support the personal and professional development of coaches working in Derbyshire through subsidising the cost of coach education. Coaches must fit into one of the following categories: Derbyshire Coach Mark; Sportivate; School Sports Coaching Programme; Talented Athletes Fund; Coaching within a Voluntary Sector Club; Coaching on a School-Club Link Programme; Step into Sport; or Leadership Academy.
More information	Telephone Allison Nolan on 01332-387 450 or email coaching@derbyshire.gov.uk
Derbyshire Community Foundation	
Summary	Priority is given to coaches who are from under-represented groups in coaching: women; black and ethnic minorities; disabled people; and the unemployed.
More information	www.derbyshirecommunityfoundation.co.uk
Leicestershire	
CSSN funding contact	Natalia Marshall
	Email: n.marshall@lboro.ac.uk Telephone: 01509-564 863
Leicester City – Achievement Project	
Criteria	Coaches on the Achievement Project
Summary	This is a city-based coaching agency that is run by the city council to maintain high standards in coaching-based activities. As part of the agency, all coaches signed up to the programme receive minimum standards for deployment (MSD) workshops and subsidies to coach education courses.
More information	www.achievementproject.org.uk

Local Authority Coach Bursary Schemes	
Criteria	All coaches
Summary	A number of local authorities and local sports alliances in Leicestershire run various grants programmes to support the development of coaches in local sports clubs. Further information can be found on the Leicester-Shire and Rutland Sport website.
More information	www.lrsport.org
Lincolnshire	
CSSN funding contact	Lizzie Couling Email: lizzie.couling@lincolnshiresports.co.uk Telephone: 01522-585 580
Lincolnshire Coaches Network	
Criteria	All coaches
Summary	Bespoke CPD workshops and courses in conjunction with the University of Lincoln Department for Sport are available at a reduced cost. Telephone Lincolnshire Sports Partnership on 01522-585 580.
More information	http://lincolnshiresports.com/sport/coaching
Lincolnshire Community Foundation	
Criteria	Community coaches
Summary	£400,000 is available to groups that benefit the community, including individual applications for up to £5000 to support community coaches.
More information	www.lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Lincolnshire County Council	
Criteria	Community coaches
Summary	Small grants are available to support coaches on coach education courses.
More information	www.lincolnshire.gov.uk

Northamptonshire	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Cathy Brown</p> <p>Email: catbrown@northamptonshire.gov.uk</p> <p>Telephone: 01604-366 976</p>
Northamptonshire Coach Scholarship Scheme	
Criteria	All coaches
Summary	The aim of the fund is to encourage and support the personal and professional development of coaches working in Northamptonshire through subsidising the cost of coach education. Priority is given to coaches working with children and young people, delivering sport-specific and Multi-skills coaching, or under-represented groups.
More information	www.northamptonshiresport.org
Strangward Trust	
Summary	The Trust makes grants to organisations working with people who have physical or mental disabilities. Apply in writing to Mrs L Davies, The Strangward Trust, Vincent Sykes and Higham, Montague House, Chancery Lane, Thrapston, Northamptonshire NN14 4LN. Telephone: 01832-732 161. Email: louise.davies@vshlaw.co.uk
Nottinghamshire	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Pete Forster</p> <p>Email: pete.forster@nottsc.gov.uk</p> <p>Telephone: 0115-977 2218</p>
Local Authority Coach Bursary Schemes	
Criteria	All coaches
Summary	A number of local authorities run various grants programmes to support coaches in local sports clubs.
More information	www.sportnottinghamshire.co.uk

London

Regional	
British Judo Association	
Criteria	Candidates who successfully apply for 75% funding from the Mayor's Sports Legacy Fund
Summary	The British Judo Association will support candidates who access Mayor's Sports Legacy funding by toping this up with development money so the candidates are only required to fund the £50 deposit for UKCC courses. Email Karen French (London Development Manager) at karen.french@britishjudo.org.uk or telephone 020-7928 0888.
London Sports Trust	
Summary	Funds are mainly for talented athletes, but there is some funding available for children and young people aged 12–25 to access coach education and leadership training.
More information	www.londonsportstrust.org

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Mayor's Sports Legacy Fund	
Summary	<p>PlaySport London's Skills Investment Programme provides funding to deliver a training and development investment initiative that will build the capacity and skills of Londoners working and volunteering in the sports sector in the lead up to, and beyond, The London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games.</p> <p>To deliver this vision, the right people, with the right skills and qualifications, must be in place.</p> <p>The programme of activity covers the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the growth and sustainability of local sports clubs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Recruit new sports coaches and officials. – Upskill existing sports coaches and officials. – Upskill sports club operational staff. • Increase the number of Londoners volunteering in sport: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Help local sports clubs identify volunteer opportunities. – Help local volunteer centres promote sports clubs volunteer vacancies. – Recruit participants from sports clubs to complete volunteer manager training. – Target under-represented groups as sports volunteers. • Recruit, retain and upskill the workforce (both voluntary and paid): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Upskill both paid and unpaid employees in management, supervisory and leadership skills. – Upskill both paid and unpaid employees in customer service skills. – Recruit and upskill health 'activators'. – Upskill employees to enable them to work more effectively with people with a disability. – Recruit more people with disabilities into the sector in either a voluntary or paid capacity. <p>Email mayorslegacy@skillsactive.com or telephone 020-7632 2000 and ask to be put through to the legacy team. Complete an online application at www.sportactivena.co.uk/mayors-sports-legacy-fund</p>
More information	www.sportactivena.co.uk/mayors-sports-legacy-fund

Pro-Active London Funding Portal	
Summary	This section of the Pro-Active London website provides the most up to date information on funding available within London.
More information	www.pro-activelondon.org/funding.asp?section=0001000100010005&sectionTitle=Funding
Pro-Active Central London	
CSSN funding contact	Gary Palmer Email: palmerg4@lsbu.ac.uk
Kensington and Chelsea Coaching Bursary	
Criteria	Young people (aged 16–19)
Summary	Level 1 and 2 coaching courses can be funded, as well as courses such as National Pool Lifeguard 16–19. Young people are allocated volunteer placements on completion of their course. Contact Alisha Williams Gayle (Youth Sports Development Team) on 020-7351 2346.
Wandsworth Coach Grant Scheme	
Criteria	Coaches must either live or coach at a club in Wandsworth.
Summary	Coaches can receive up to 50% of the cost of a UKCC course, as well as minimum deployment standards courses up to a maximum of £500. Email Chris Austin (Community Sports Development Officer) at caustin@wandsworth.gov.uk or telephone 020-8871 8337.
Westway Coaching Bursary	
Criteria	Adults aged 19+
Summary	Coaching bursaries are available to pay for Level 1 and 2 coaching courses. Email John O'Brien, Westway Development Trust: jobrien@westway.org

Pro-Active East London	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Laura Pierce</p> <p>Email: l.pierce@uel.ac.uk</p>
Barking and Dagenham	
Summary	Discounts are available on sports coach UK workshops for Clubmark Clubs and Barking and Dagenham residents (ie £15 for a Clubmark/Borough Standard club, £20 for a Barking and Dagenham resident, £25 for a non-Barking and Dagenham resident). This is also applicable for any UKCC courses the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham (LBBD) may run in the future. Email Susy Massey: susy.massey@lbld.gov.uk
Bexley Small Grants Scheme	
Criteria	The coach's work must predominantly be for the benefit of Bexley residents.
Summary	A maximum of £500 is available. For more information, telephone Hugh Elsegood, Senior Sports Development Officer, on 020-8294 6985.
More information	www.bexley.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=860
Bexley Sports Council	
Criteria	The coach's work must predominantly be for the benefit of Bexley residents.
Summary	A maximum of £500 is available. For more information, telephone Hugh Elsegood, Senior Sports Development Officer, on 020-8294 6985.
More information	www.bexley.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=860

City of London Sport Coaching Grant

Criteria

Applicants must:

- be resident/coaching/officiating within the City of London
- have a verified referee
- be coaching in a Sport England recognised sport
- be applying for a course available through the Mayor of London's PlaySport Skills stream.

Summary

A bursary is available to individuals who wish to attain Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 coaching qualifications and/or officiating qualifications. The bursary will contribute up to 25% of the course cost, up to a maximum of £200, with the other 75% of funding coming from the Mayor of London's PlaySport Skills Fund.

More information

www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/Corporation/LGNL_Services/Leisure_and_culture/Sports_clubs_and_centres/sports_grant_scheme.htm

Hackney Youth Sports Fund – Coach Education

Criteria

Applicants must:

- be resident/delivering within the borough of Hackney
- hold a Level 1 qualification
- be able to deliver the minimum number of voluntary hours at the identified level applied for
- deliver coaching that targets Hackney young people under the age of 25.

Summary

Funding is available for coaches who hold at least a Level 1 governing body of qualification and want to gain a higher level of qualification, which will be used to deliver to young people in Hackney.

More information

www.hackney.gov.uk/c-sports-grants.htm

Lewisham Sports Small Grants Scheme Skills Stream

Criteria

- Individuals must:
 - meet the minimum age criteria outlined by the awarding organisation
 - be resident within the London borough of Lewisham
 - be coaching/officiating within the London borough of Lewisham
 - have a verified referee.
- The sport must be a Sport England recognised sport.
- The course must be available through the Mayor of London PlaySport skills stream

Summary

A bursary is available to individuals who wish to attain Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 coaching qualifications and/or officiating qualifications. The bursary will contribute up to 25% of the course cost, up to a maximum of £200, with the other 75% of funding coming from the Mayor of London's PlaySport Skills Fund.

More information

<http://193.195.199.50/CommunityAndLiving/Funding/SportsSmallGrantsScheme.htm>

London Borough of Newham Go For It Grants

Criteria

Newham residents are eligible for a Go For It Grant. However, they must be running their project with at least two other residents of the borough, who accept shared responsibility for the project's operation and its financial management. A formally constituted voluntary group will have adopted a constitution that sets out aims and objectives, and outlines how the group will be democratically run by a committee as a non-profit-making organisation.

Summary

Go For It Grants are available to groups of residents and voluntary organisations working in Newham for a broad range of project activities. Projects must be not-for-profit, and for the direct benefit of Newham residents. Grants are available in two bands: £500 or less and £501 up to £1000. This programme provides small grants to help local people and groups deliver projects and activities for their local communities. It is at the core of the neighbourhood renewal community participation work stream, and capitalises on the excitement of hosting the Olympic Games and Paralympic Games and the motivation they provide to achieve. Applications may be made at any time.

For further information on how to obtain this funding opportunity locally, please telephone 020-3373 7511 or email goforit@newham.gov.uk

More information

www.newham.gov.uk/goforit

Newham Coach Education Programme

Summary	Candidates can apply for funding from the Mayor's Sports Legacy Fund for Level 1 coaching courses, and the remaining 25% will be funded through Newham's Volunteers Programme. Email Alison Mitchell – alison.mitchell@newham.gov.uk – or telephone 020-3373 7661.
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Redbridge Sports Development

Summary	Up to 50% financial assistance towards qualifications/training is available. Candidates must be a resident of Redbridge or a volunteer/member of a sports club within Redbridge. For further details, please telephone Darren Trippick, Sports Development Officer, on 020-8708 0950 or email darren.trippick@visionrcl.gov.uk
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Tower Hamlets Sports Council

Criteria	Must be a resident in the borough of Tower Hamlets or a member of a sports club based in the borough.
Summary	Approx £5000 per year is available. There is no individual limit (awards are based on need).
More information	www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/lgs/451-500/455_tower_hamlets_sports_counc.aspx

Pro-Active North London

CSSN funding contact	Matt Eames
	Email: matthew.eames@mdx.ac.uk

Barnet – West London Sports Trust

Criteria	14–18 years old, resident or at school in the boroughs of Barnet, Brent, Camden, Ealing, Hammersmith and Fulham, Harrow, Kensington and Chelsea, City of London and Westminster.
Summary	The West London Sports Trust was established in October 1999 following a pilot sports scheme. So far, the trust has supported over 200 people through its programmes of sports scholarship, coach education, sports leadership and sports seminars. Operating across West London, the trust supports many to attain great personal and national achievements. The trust has three main areas of work: the Sports Scholarship Programme; Community Sports Leadership Scheme; and Sports Education Programme. These three areas work alongside each other, developing pathways for young people in sport. Telephone Harrow Club on 020-8206 5851.

Waltham Forest Active Sport Clubs Funding

Summary	The aim of the Active Sport Clubs project is to increase participation in sport by residents of the London Borough of Waltham Forest. The funding opportunity is open to sports clubs based in Waltham Forest or able to provide activities based within the borough. The maximum amount each club can apply for is £1500. The extra funding should result in new members joining the club or additional training sessions being offered. The funding should also enable clubs to buy necessary equipment or pay costs associated with coach education or upskilling club members to grow their club further. Telephone Waltham Forest Sports Development Team on 020-8496 3695.
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Pro-Active South London

CSSN funding contact	Brian Thomas
	Email: brian@pro-activesouthlondon.org

Kingston upon Thames Local Authority Neighbourhood Grants

Criteria	50% of members must live in the neighbourhood they are applying to.
Summary	Up to £750 of funding is available for coaching courses to help develop clubs and especially to help clubs gain accreditation. There is no specific date for application. Neighbourhood committees meet on a regular basis.
More information	www.kingston.gov.uk/browse/community_people_and_living/voluntary_sector/grants.htm

Sutton Sports Council Grants

Summary	Typical funding for individuals includes: training at a higher level (eg attending national squad training); travel costs for a competition; coach/official education and training (proof of costs of courses etc required); and the purchase of large items of equipment.
More information	www.suttonsports council.co.uk

Pro-Active West London	
CSSN funding contact	Debbie Griffiths Email: debbie.griffiths@brunel.ac.uk
Hammersmith and Fulham Linford Christie Trust Grants	
Summary	Level 1 and Level 2 bursaries are available.
More information	http://tinyurl.com/45a2aaj
Hillingdon Coach Development Grant	
Criteria	The candidate must be working or living within Hillingdon.
Summary	50% grants are available for any Level 1 or 2 course; Level 3 is available on request. Email Yolanda Edwards: yedwards@Hillingdon.gov.uk

North East

Regional	
Regional	£1.4million of ESF Community Grants for the North East
Summary	<p>County Durham Community Foundation, the Community Foundation serving Tyne and Wear and Northumberland, the Tees Valley Community Foundation and the Acumen Development Trust are working in partnership to deliver a £1.4million European Social Fund (ESF) Community Grants programme across the North East for 2011–2013. Grants of up to £12,000 are available to voluntary and community organisations in the North East of England for projects that help people return to work.</p> <p>The money can be used to fund activities including help with basic skills, work experience, training advice and guidance, job search assistance, confidence building, personal development and support to overcome barriers to training and employment.</p> <p>The target group is unemployed and economically inactive people over 18, with particular priority given to black and minority ethnic groups, people over 50, women, lone parents and those with health conditions or disabilities.</p>
More information	www.communityfoundation.org.uk/connect/funds/3367 www.cdcf.org.uk/esf-community-grants-2011-2013
Tony Blair Sports Foundation	
Summary	<p>The Tony Blair Sports Foundation aims to improve access to sport for young people in the North East by increasing the number of Level 1 coaches and officials in grass-roots sport. To do this, it has identified six sports that it is currently concentrating on. Having started with athletics, football, indoor rowing and tennis, it expanded in 2009 to include basketball and cycling.</p>
More information	www.tonyblairsportsfoundation.org/sports/
Durham	
EFDS Disability Coach Scheme County Durham	
Summary	<p>The funding is to help develop and increase the number of disabled leaders and coaches in sport. Bursary support will target both new leaders and coaches, but will also focus on developing the skill sets of those already involved in sport. For more details, telephone Lynne Wightman, Development Manager, County Durham Sport on 0191-372 9124 or email lynne.wightman@durham.gov.uk</p>
More information	www.countydurhamsport.com

Northumberland

Alnwick and District Sports Council

Summary	Alnwick and District Sports Council (ADSC) has a remit to support member clubs, individuals and organisations with grant aid. Funding is available for projects that add to the development and sustainability of your activities. Every ADSC committee meeting sees the committee examine the respective applications and make the award that they feel appropriate. Email leah.flynn@northcountryleisure.org.uk or telephone 01665-511 494.
More information	www.northumberlandsport.co.uk/microsites/active-alnwick/alnwick-district-sports-council

Tynedale Sports Council Coach Development Fund

Summary	The principal purpose of the Fund is to give financial assistance to individuals who wish to enhance their knowledge and abilities by gaining recognised coaching qualifications for the benefit of the club or organisation and for the development of individual skills within that club or organisation.
More information	www.northcountryleisure.org.uk/documents/1536

Young Coach Bursary Scheme

Summary	Northumberland Sport has launched its Bringing the Games Closer project. Part of this project is to support young coaches in Northumberland via a Young Coach Bursary Scheme. This is a small grant scheme to support young people aged 16–25 to get on the coaching ladder. The scheme makes additional provision for young people from families in receipt of specific benefits linked to low household income.
More information	www.northumberlandsport.co.uk/2012-olympics/bringing-the-games-closer

Tees Valley

Hartlepool – Community Activities Network Fund

Summary	Grants of up to £10,000 are available for projects that tackle physical activity.
More information	www.hartlepool.gov.uk/download/6157/hartlepool_can

Middlesbrough Sports Development

Summary	Grants up to £1000 are available for projects that demonstrate they will impact on the participation of Middlesbrough residents and complement the Middlesbrough strategy.
More information	www.middlesbrough.gov.uk/ccm/navigation/leisure-and-culture/sport-and-leisure-services/sports-development-team/

Redcar – Public Health Grant Scheme

Summary	Grants of up to £10,000 are available for projects that tackle physical activity.
More information	www.redcar-cleveland.gov.uk/main.nsf/Web+Full+List/5AC444DD0664E6BB8025781C006573AD

SUNEE (Sport Universities North East England) – Teesside University

Summary	This is a reward scheme for students to access funding for Level 1 and Level 2 governing body of sport courses in return for volunteering.
More information	www.tees.ac.uk/sections/sport/sunee.cfm

Tyne and Wear

Tyne and Wear Disability Sport Coach Bursary Scheme

Summary	The scheme will aim to create new or better-qualified disability sports coaches in Tyne and Wear. It will be managed by Tyne and Wear Sport, and will financially support people to either become newly qualified as disability coaches or improve existing disability coaches' qualifications.
More information	www.necoachtw.org

Widening Horizons 4 Sport Coach Education Grant

Summary	The Widening Horizons 4 Sport Coach Education Grant aims to assist coaches with their development by supporting them in obtaining a Level 2 or higher award in their chosen sport. Individuals who live and/or are involved in community delivery within North Tyneside could be eligible to apply for a Widening Horizons 4 Sport Coach Education Grant. Applicants can ask for funding of up to £250 per financial year. The panel will meet on a quarterly basis to decide which coaches are eligible for funding.
More information	www.tynewearsport.org/files/coach_education_grant_form.pdf

North West

Regional	
GRANTfinder	
All five CSPs in the North West have GRANTfinder or similar areas on their websites to support you to find funding opportunities.	
Active Cumbria	www.activecumbria.org
Greater Manchester Sports Partnership	www.greatersport.co.uk
Lancashire Sport Partnership	www.lancshiresport.org.uk
Merseyside Sports Partnership	www.merseysidesport.com
Sport Cheshire	www.cwsportspartnership.org/funding-and-sponsorship/fundingadvice
Cheshire and Warrington	
CSSN funding contact	Rob Burchell, Sport Cheshire
	Email: rob.burchell@sportcheshire.org
Local Authority Sport England Club Development Officer Funding	
Criteria	Residents of Cheshire East, Cheshire West and Warrington.
Summary	Coaches can access up to 100% of funding (upfront) if it is linked to a club working toward ClubMark accreditation. Email Rob Burchell, Coaching Lead: rob.burchell@cwsportspartnership.org

Cumbria

CSSN funding contact

Richard Metcalf

Email: Richard.metcalf@cumbria.gov.uk

Cumbria Sportivate Coaching Bursary

Summary

The bursary is for:

- coaches/instructors to achieve the minimum standards for deployment (MSD) or increase qualification levels to deliver new projects in Sportivate Year 2
- coaches/instructors within the Sportivate year 1 exit routes to achieve MSD
- leaders/activators/coaches/instructors to gain training to deliver governing body of sport participation products (Rush Hockey, Back to Netball, Return to Rounders, No Strings Badminton etc)
- leaders/activators/coaches/instructors to gain training to directly deliver increases in 16+ participation.

Bursaries will be given to fund up to 75% of training or governing body of sport qualification to a maximum of £250 on **successful** completion of the course (or the equivalent level of qualification to allow the coach to **lead** a session as stipulated by the governing body) or to fund 100% (to a maximum of £75) for MSD workshops on safeguarding and first aid.

Written (email) bids should come from organisations rather than individuals, focusing on the impact of the investment towards increasing 16+ participation figures.

Greater Manchester

CSSN funding contact

Sarah Fullick, GreaterSport

Web: www.greatersport.co.uk

Lancashire

CSSN funding contact

Jayne Lee, Lancashire Sport Partnership

Email: jlee@lancashiresport.org.uk

Merseyside	
Get Qualified Merseyside	
Summary	Each local authority now has a Get Qualified Merseyside pot of funding, which is worth approximately £6000 per local authority. This funding must be matched by partners and counts towards the qualifying of Level 1 coaches. Governing bodies of sport need to contact Merseyside Sports Partnership if they wish to utilise some of the funding and will be supported in accessing the money. Email Andy Somers: a.somers@merseysidesport.com
More information	http://merseysidesport.com/funding/funding.asp
Knowsley	
Summary	At the moment, Knowsley offers a reduced rate for Knowsley residents and clubs for the minimum operating standards courses (equity, child protection etc). These courses should cost £25, but for a Knowsley resident or club, it is £10. Email Andy Somers: a.somers@merseysidesport.com
More information	http://merseysidesport.com/funding/funding.asp
St Helens	
Summary	St Helens offers reduced rates on minimum operating standards courses. The rate is reduced from £30 to £10. Email Andy Somers: a.somers@merseysidesport.com
More information	http://merseysidesport.com/funding/funding.asp

South East

Regional	
CSPs in the South East update funding information on a regular basis via their websites. Therefore, please use the links below to find the latest news on funding. Information relating to specific CSP funding initiatives can be found on the following pages.	
Berkshire	www.berkshiresport.com/sponsorships-funding/coaching-bursaries/
Buckinghamshire	www.buckssport.org/funding/ Search for 'Coaching' from the 'Categories' drop-down list on the right.
Hampshire	www.coachinghampshire.co.uk/funding/funding
Kent	www.kentsport.org/funding.cfm Search for 'Coach – for education and training' from the 'Choose a category' drop-down list.
Oxfordshire	www.oxfordshiresport.org/fundingguide
Surrey	www.activesurrey.com/funding
Sussex	www.activesussex.org/funding/coaches

Berkshire	
CSSN funding contact	Justine Mosley Email: justine.mosley@berkscsp.co.uk
Berkshire CSP Coach Bursary	
Summary	The coach bursary will provide coaches who live in Berkshire or coach within a Berkshire sports club with the opportunity to access funding to contribute to the cost of coaching and CPD courses. Coaches must apply for the bursary before they attend the course, and funding will be awarded upon successful completion of the course. There will be two application rounds per year and applications will be assessed on an individual basis. Email Justine Mosley at justine.mosley@berkscsp.co.uk or telephone 07718 195 824.
More information	www.berkshiresport.com/sponsorships-funding/coaching-bursaries/
Buckinghamshire	
CSSN funding contact	Ben Fisher Email: BFisher@buckssport.org
Hampshire	
CSSN funding contact	CJ Lee Email: CJ.Lee@hants.gov.uk
Kent	
CSSN funding contact	Louisa Arnold Email: L.Arnold@kent.ac.uk
Oxfordshire	
CSSN funding contact	Graham Hurst Email: ghurst@oxfordshiresport.org

Surrey	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Suzannah Laver</p> <p>Email: suzannah.laver@surreycc.gov.uk</p>
Sussex	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Anthony Statham</p> <p>Email: astatham@activesussex.org</p>
Coach Sussex Bursary	
Summary	<p>The bursary will provide coaches with the opportunity to undertake a Level 1 or 2 coaching qualification with a financial bursary made available to support those who successfully complete their course and deliver coaching hours in return. The Coach Sussex Bursary will fund 75% of the course cost, up to £150 for Level 1 and £200 for Level 2.</p> <p>Email Anthony Statham at astatham@activesussex.org or telephone 01273-644 149.</p>
More information	www.activesussex.org/funding/coaches

South West

Regional	
ASA South West County Bursary	
Criteria	This bursary can be accessed by volunteers at swim21 clubs in the region.
Summary	The bursary can be used to help fund the UKCC Level 1 and Level 2 teaching qualification and Level 1–3 coaching qualifications. Candidates can apply for up to £100 for Level 1, up to £200 for Level 2 and up to £400 for Level 3. To request an application pack, telephone the South West regional office on 01452-396 615 or email Leanne Douglas: leanne.douglas@swimming.org
More information	www.swimming.org/asa/teaching-and-coaching/funding-opportunities/south-west-funding-opportunities/2248
Cornwall	
CSSN funding contacts	Robert Harrison
	Email: rharrison@cornwall.gov.uk
	Natasha Howard
	Email: nhoward@cornwall.gov.uk
Caradon Area Community Fund (Cornwall Community Foundation)	
Summary	The fund offers grants to grass-roots community and voluntary groups in Caradon District to create and/or deliver projects for the benefit of their community. Grants of up to £500 are available.
More information	Tel: 01566-779 333 www.cornwallfoundation.com
Cornwall Coach Bursary (Cornwall Sports Partnership)	
Summary	Funding is available for up to 50% (to a maximum of £150 per person and £200 per club) of the cost of governing body of sport qualifications or awards. The bursary is for coaches working with participants over the age of 16. It is available until 29 February 2012. Telephone 01872-323 348 or email rharrison@cornwall.gov.uk for more details.
More information	www.cornwallsportspartnership.co.uk/high-quality-coaching/cornwall-coach-bursary

Cornwall Councillor Community Grant Scheme

Summary Cornwall councillors each have a small grant allocation (£50–£1000) to assist projects in Cornwall run by voluntary/community groups.

More information www.cornwall.gov.uk/default.aspx?page=12439

Cornwall 100 (Cornwall Community Foundation)

Summary The Foundation awards grants of up to £5000 to support local projects in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly that engage local people in making their communities better places to live. It encourages projects incorporating a combination of the following themes: transport; poverty and crisis; older people; communities and local environment; young people; disabled; and minority groups.

More information Tel: 01566-779 333
www.cornwallfoundation.com

Get Coaching Cornwall

Summary Are you a sports coach? Do you want to receive regular funding information? Register on the website. For more details, telephone 01872-323 348 or email rharrison@cornwall.gov.uk

More information www.getcoachingcornwall.co.uk

Health Promotion Service

Summary The Service has a small grants scheme offering up to £300 for community projects including active recreation.

More information Tel: 01209-313 419
www.healthpromcornwall.org

Redruth Charity Trust

Summary The trust's Youth Sports Award scheme helps youth organisations and sports clubs in the Redruth area. Grants of £250–£1000 are available. For an application form, write to Charity Trust Secretary, 26 Heanton Terrace, Redruth TR15 2HS

SITA Cornwall Trust	
Summary	The trust supports community improvement projects around landfill sites owned by the waste management company SITA UK and the Environment Agency throughout Cornwall. Grants of up to £25,000 are available.
More information	www.sitacornwalltrust.co.uk
Sport Relief (Cornwall Community Foundation)	
Summary	This is funding to benefit people who are excluded or disadvantaged through low income, rural or social isolation, age, disabilities, race, sexuality or gender. Priority is given to small, locally based groups or organisations in areas of disadvantage addressing local need. The average award is £1500. For more information, telephone 01566-779 333 or email grants@cornwallfoundation.com
More information	www.cornwallfoundation.com
sported.	
Summary	Candidates can apply to be a member of sported. via the website. The charity will either fund directly or help with applying for funding from other sources. It will consider funding salaries, running costs/overheads and programme delivery costs, and will consider funding a project for more than one year.
More information	Tel: 07901 339 335 Email: j.wills@sported.org.uk Web: www.sported.org.uk
Sportivate (Cornwall Sports Partnership)	
Summary	This is aimed at supporting projects working with people aged 14–25 years old, providing six weeks of coaching at a local venue. For more details, telephone 01872-323 344 or email info@cornwallsportpartnership.co.uk
More information	www.cornwallsportpartnership.co.uk/sportivate

Devon

Active Devon Bursary

Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above.
Summary	<p>Bursaries will only be allocated through an application process by governing bodies of sport. Governing bodies will identify coaches who meet:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • their Whole Sport Plan priorities • the needs of Devon County Council's funding conditions • the eligibility criteria laid out for the scheme. <p>Following a panel assessment, governing body officers will be informed of the outcome of the application. Candidates will then be able to access the bursary by completing the Active Devon Coach Bursary Registration Form and submitting full payment for the course to Active Devon. An agreed level of bursary will be returned to the candidate upon completion of the course (or at a time specified by the governing body). Bursaries of up to 50% of the cost of the course will be made available to candidates identified as a priority to the governing body. This is subject to a maximum of £100 for Level 1, £150 for Level 2 and £500 for Level 3 qualifications. Any coaching awards or qualifications can be funded. These can be governing body of sport awards or UKCC qualifications. Generic workshops, such as first aid or 'Equity in Your Coaching' are not eligible for funding. Applications to receive bursary funding will be assessed by a panel of representatives from Active Devon and Devon County Council against specified criteria.</p>
More information	www.activedevon.org/page.asp?section=0001000100240004&sectionTitle=Funding+for+Sport+and+Physical+Activity

Barnstaple Bridge Trust

Criteria	The Trust's policy is to make grants to bodies rather than to individual persons. Grant aid is limited to Barnstaple and a radius of five miles around.
Summary	This local charitable trust is administered by a board of 10 local elected trustees and five trustees nominated by the town council. Grants are normally made in March each year. The full board meets on the first Tuesday of March, June, September and December. Contact Mr C J Bartlett FCA, 7 Bridge Chambers Office, Barnstaple, Devon EX31 1HB. Telephone 01271-343 995.

Bideford Bridge Trust

Criteria	The trust can assist only those who live within its area of benefit, namely Bideford and its neighbourhood.
Summary	<p>The trust can assist projects for the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • relief of the aged, sick and disabled, and poor inhabitants of the area of benefit • relief of distress and sickness among the inhabitants of the area of benefit • provision and support (with the object of improving the conditions of life for the inhabitants of the area of benefit in the interest of social welfare) of facilities for recreation or other leisure time occupation • provision and support of educational facilities for the inhabitants of the area of benefit. <p>The trust can also assist any other charitable purposes for the benefit of the inhabitants of the area of benefit.</p> <p>Contact PR Sims, 24 Bridgeland Street, Bideford, Devon EX39 2QB. Telephone 01237-473 122.</p>

Heavitree Brewery Charitable Trust

Criteria	Awards are for organisations based in Devon for amounts up to £2000, but mainly up to £500. Grant decisions are made every two months.
Summary	Applications for support should be made by letter. Contact Mr GJ Crocker, Heavitree Brewery Plc, Trood Lane, Matford, Exeter EX2 8YP. Telephone 01392-849 273.

John Gush Charitable Trust

Criteria	Applicants must be under the age of 18 (awards may be made to individuals over that age at the discretion of the trustees). Awards are made to develop beneficiaries' physical and spiritual capacities, that they may grow to full maturity as individuals and members of society and that their conditions in life may be improved.
Summary	<p>The trust promotes youth participation in healthy recreation by the provision, or assistance in the provision, of facilities, education, coaching or equipment for the playing of cricket for the benefit of young people who live or were born in the county of Devon.</p> <p>Contact 12 Turnpike, Sampford Peverell, Tiverton, Devon EX16 7BN. Telephone 01884-820 544.</p>

Plymouth City Council – Sports and Recreational Grant Aid	
Criteria	Applicants must live within the recognised city boundaries or represent a recognised Plymouth sports club or organisation that is non-profit-making.
Summary	<p>Plymouth is committed to supporting individuals, voluntary sports clubs and other voluntary organisations (eg community centres) to create opportunities to develop sport in Plymouth.</p> <p>Applications can be made for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • coaching courses or sporting qualifications • officiating courses • leadership awards • development/good practice workshops • sports-related volunteer training courses. <p>Financial assistance is available for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • between 50% and 75% of the course cost • up to £60 towards travel costs • £15 per night towards accommodation costs. <p>Grant applications are considered by the Grants Committee, which includes representatives from the Plymouth Sports Forum. Meetings take place in April, July, October and January of each year.</p>
More information	www.plymouth.gov.uk/homepage/leisureandtourism/sportandrecreation/sport/sportsgrantaidd.htm
Team Plymouth	
Summary	<p>Team Plymouth offers coaches the support they require so they can continually develop, learn, mature and grow, to be at the cutting edge of their profession. This professional coaching development will assist athletes in their quest for elite athletic performance.</p> <p>The support is offered to coaches, to ensure it suits a coach's sport, style, method, athlete and approach. Therefore, the applicant may be offered financial support, mentors, academic assistance, sports science information, injury prevention advice etc.</p> <p>Coaches who can answer 'yes' to all of the following should apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are you a committed and ambitious coach currently practising in Plymouth? • Are you dedicated to your own professional coaching development? • Are you passionate about coaching all athletes? • Do you require support so you can fully develop your coaching skills? • Do you have the desire to make it as a top-level coach?
More information	www.teamplymouth.co.uk/coaches.aspx

Torbay Council – Sports Grant Scheme	
Criteria	The grant may be used to fund costs for training, competitions, travel/accommodation, competition entries and coaching fees, subscriptions to sports clubs or obtaining governing body of sport qualifications.
Summary	<p>Individuals may only be awarded one grant within any 12-month period. They must reside in Torbay (and have been a permanent resident in Torbay for at least one year at the time of application). The grant scheme gives priority to individuals under 25 years of age, but applications from other age groups are welcome, particularly in sports where peak performance is normally achieved later. Applicants under 16 must have their application countersigned by a parent or guardian. Recipients will be required to account for all expenditure, submitting receipts upon request.</p> <p>To qualify for an award, applicants must demonstrate that they have achieved:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • national competition level • national competition potential or inclusion in a national training squad • county or regional competition level with national potential (ie a sportsperson who attends regional training or a centre of excellence). <p>Successful applicants must demonstrate that they are already making a considerable commitment to their sport. This must be supported by the county or regional sports association, governing body or a club representative.</p>
More information	www.torbay.gov.uk/index/leisure/sportsdevelopment/sportsgrants.htm

West Devon Borough Council – Sports Grant Scheme

Criteria	<p>Support is given only to clubs/organisations rather than individuals. Organisations applying must be not for private profit making. To be considered for grant aid, the group/club/organisation must be located within the borough administrative area. A financial need must be demonstrated. Sports grants are also available to youth groups, play organisations and community groups who plan to use the money to support informal sporting activity, physical activity or active play. The sports grant criteria will be used to assess the eligibility of these applications, with each being assessed on its own merits.</p>
Summary	<p>West Devon Borough Council is committed to developing wide-ranging sport and physical activity programmes. The following criteria are desirable elements for a successful application for grant aid. The council allocates a small sum of money each year to be given in grants to organisations undertaking projects that are of benefit to people within the borough.</p> <p>Generally, the grants support projects that aim to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • improve the quality, range and impact of sport and physical activity • increase access and encourage people to take part. <p>The maximum grant available is £700, or one third of the total project cost (whichever is the smallest amount). These grants should be seen as the 'port of last call', with other funding options, such as Awards for All, being fully investigated prior to application to West Devon Borough Council.</p> <p>The Sports Development Officer will assess the applications and make recommendations. Details of each application are then circulated to all West Devon Borough Councillors for a final decision.</p> <p>Grants, if offered, will be subject to the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The West Devon Borough Council logo (available on request) is included on publicity material together with an acknowledgment 'supported by West Devon Borough Council' wherever possible. • At the conclusion of the project, the following information will be supplied: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – a financial summary of all actual project expenditure supported by copies of invoices/receipts – basic information on the outcomes of the project – copies of any publicity material, press cuttings if available, photographs or any other documentation of the project. • The information above must be returned within two months of the completion of the project. • Further specific conditions may be attached to an offer if it is felt necessary. <p>The following will need to be submitted with an application:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the aims and objectives of the organisation applying, or a copy of its governing document • a copy of the offer letter for any grant offered from elsewhere. <p>Telephone the Sports Development Officer on 01822-813 628 to discuss an application further.</p>
More information	<p>www.westdevon.gov.uk/doc.asp?doc=8597&cat=1601</p>

Dorset	
Active Dorset County Sports and Physical Activity Partnership (CSPAP)	
Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above.
Summary	A £5000 grant is available from the local Hub club. The money will be used to generate an annual coaching and leadership development weekend. Any surplus will be used to offer coaches the opportunity to bid for self-development (amount to be discussed).
More information	www.activedorset.org
Christchurch and Purbeck District Council	
Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above.
Summary	The funding normally ranges between £50 and £100 for training and development, which can be coaching or club accreditation.
More information	www.dorsetforyou.com/387525
Community Foundation Bournemouth, Dorset & Poole (Comic Relief Fund)	
Criteria	Projects that increase access to sport and exercise for people who face social exclusion and isolation.
Summary	Grants from £1000–£10,000 are available. Applications for up to £5,000 are preferred.
More information	www.dorsetcommunityfoundation.org/apply-for-a-grant/comic-relief/
East Dorset District Council	
Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above.
Summary	The funding normally ranges between £100 and £250, depending on the different categories specified in the application. This fund can also be used to support elite sports performers and/or their coaches.
More information	www.dorsetforyou.com/325851

Steve Bernard Foundation	
Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above and/or local sports projects within Bournemouth/Dorset.
Summary	The application process is straightforward, and there is flexibility to support the purchase of sports equipment and kit or the funding of projects, coaching and events, with amounts between £100 and £10,000.
More information	www.stevebernardfoundation.org
West Dorset District Council	
Criteria	Individuals aged 16 and above.
Summary	The council offers sport development small grants up to £250. All applicants must ensure they are to operate in the district council area.
More information	www.dorsetforyou.com/387682
Gloucestershire	
Comic and Sport Relief	
Summary	This programme aims to empower local people, enabling them to create lasting change in their communities. Projects should be run by people directly affected by the issues they are dealing with, and priority will be given to small, locally based groups or organisations in areas of disadvantage that have a clear understanding of the needs of their community.
More information	www.gloucestershirecommunityfoundation.co.uk/pages/receiving_Comic_relief.htm
Gloucestershire Community Foundation: Small Grants, Main Grants, Sustainability Grants	
Summary	The Gloucestershire Community Foundation offers three different grants to help overcome disadvantage in Gloucestershire.
More information	www.gloucestershirecommunityfoundation.co.uk/pages/receiving_foundation.htm

Windsor Family Trust	
Summary	This programme will support youth development work with young people up to the age of 18 years. While applications from groups working around Gloucestershire will be considered, the donors are looking to establish a positive working relationship with young people's organisations in the Dursley and Stroud areas of the county. Grants of between £250 and £5000 will be available.
More information	www.gloucestershirecommunityfoundation.co.uk/pages/receiving_Windsor_Family_Trust.htm
Somerset	
Somerset Activity and Sports Partnership – Sportivate and Roots 2 Coaching	
Summary	This provides clubs with access to funding to recruit new members and develop their coaches. This funding will be allocated on receipt of completed Sportivate paperwork. For more details, email Matthew Nolan, Coaching Lead: mnolan@somerset.gov.uk
More information	www.sasp.co.uk
Wesport	
Bath and North East Somerset Apprenticeship Scheme	
Summary	This scheme introduces a new audience to coaching, with training to minimum standards of deployment and Level 1. For more details, email Richard Colman, Coaching Lead: richard.colman@uwe.ac.uk
More information	http://wesport.nemisys2.uk.com/page.aspx?sitesectionid=350&sitesectiontitle=Funding+Opportunities
Bristol City Council Leadership Funding	
Summary	This scheme provides free Sports Leaders courses to participants who meet the specific criteria.
More information	http://wesport.nemisys2.uk.com/page.aspx?sitesectionid=350&sitesectiontitle=Funding+Opportunities
North Somerset Bursary Scheme	
Summary	This scheme supports club and community coaches with funding for continuous professional development (CPD) in return for coaching hours.
More information	http://wesport.nemisys2.uk.com/page.aspx?sitesectionid=350&sitesectiontitle=Funding+Opportunities

South Gloucestershire Coach Apprentice Scheme	
Summary	The scheme introduces a new audience to coaching, with training to minimum standards of deployment and Level 1. For more details, email Richard Colman, Coaching Lead: richard.colman@uwe.ac.uk
Wesport Sportivate Funding	
Summary	This provides clubs and coaches with funding to attract new players and train coaches to support this. For further details, contact Richard Colman on 0117-328 6266.
More information	www.wesport.org.uk/deliversportivate
Wiltshire	
Funding Future Olympians	
Summary	Future Olympians across the Wiltshire Council area are being offered the chance to apply for funding to help them achieve their goal. Wiltshire Council has allocated £5000 to give five successful applicants £1000 each towards achieving future Olympic success.
More information	www.wiltshire.gov.uk/leisureandrecreation/sportandfitness/sportandphysicalactivity/sportsgrants/fundingfutureolympiansgrant.htm
Prince's Trust Grants in the South West	
Summary	Development and Community Cash Awards are available for young people aged 14–25.
More information	www.princes-trust.org.uk/need_help/in_your_region/south_west/grants.aspx
WASP and Wiltshire Council Coach Bursary Scheme	
Criteria	UKCC Level 1 coaches wishing to progress to UKCC Level 2. Coaches must live in Wiltshire or Swindon, hold an enhanced CRB check, meet, or be working towards, some of the minimum standards for deployment, and be registered on RightCoach.
Summary	In return for the bursary, coaches are asked to deliver three one-hour voluntary sessions in three different settings. For more details, email Dominique Oughton, Coaching Lead: dominique.oughton@wiltshire.gov.uk

West Midlands

Regional	Midlands Co-operative Community Dividend
Summary	Grants between £100 and £5000 are available for volunteer groups, schools, Scouts and community projects.
More information	http://midlands.coop
sported.	
Criteria	Grants of up to £2000 are available to support existing projects. Support on researching and writing applications for funding is also available, with the opportunity to access sported. funding streams aimed at projects for young people aged 11–25.
More information	www.sported.org.uk/your-region/west-midlands
Birmingham	
CSSN funding contact	Tom McIntosh, Birmingham Sport and Physical Activity Partnership Email: Thomas.R.Mcintosh@birmingham.gov.uk Web: www.birminghamssportpartnership.org
Birmingham Sports Council	
Summary	Birmingham Sports Council offers financial incentives to individuals and clubs based in Birmingham. Grants are available for activities that improve skill and increase participation in sport, particularly among people aged 16 and over.
Birmingham Sports Partnership	
Summary	Birmingham Sports Partnership works alongside grass-roots organisations to generate funding to support coach development on a periodic basis. To be eligible for financial aid, coaches must be supported by a community club or relevant organisation (educational establishments, local authorities and not-for-profit organisations) that delivers sport in the Birmingham area.

Black Country	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Simon Fisher</p> <p>Email: simon_fisher@blackcountryconsortium.co.uk</p> <p>Web: www.the-blackcountry.com</p>
Black Country Coaching Bursary	
Summary	The Black Country Coaching Bursary offers coaches the opportunity to get up to 50% off the cost of many governing body of sport Level 1–3 courses. The funding must be applied for prior to course completion and is subject to conditions.
More information	www.the-blackcountry.com/default.asp?PageID=183
Herefordshire and Worcestershire	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Georgie Fenton, Sports Partnership Herefordshire and Worcestershire</p> <p>Email: g.fenton@worc.ac.uk</p> <p>Web: www.morethansport.com</p>
Club and Coach Bursary Scheme	
Criteria	Applications are invited from coaches/potential coaches who are attached to a community club within Herefordshire and/or Worcestershire.
Summary	<p>Grants of 75%, to a maximum of £150, towards a governing body of sport Level 1 or 2 coaching qualification are available to coaches working within community sports clubs across Herefordshire and Worcestershire to support the growth and/or retention of adults playing sport.</p> <p>Level 1 coaches must spend a minimum of 20% of their logged coaching time supporting adult sport (16+). Level 2 awards are targeted at coaches working with adults; therefore, all logged coaching hours are with 16+ participants.</p> <p>The scheme will also fund coach development opportunities up to a maximum of 50% (ie a coach development workshop), and applications are accepted for Level 3 coaching qualifications on a case by case basis to support either the growth or retention of adults playing sport. Rounds of applications are conducted bi-monthly.</p> <p>For more details, email Georgie Fenton at g.fenton@worc.ac.uk</p>
More information	www.morethansport.com/page.asp?section=00010001000200110003

Sport Worcester	
Summary	Grants are available of up to £300 for individuals and £500 for clubs, towards supporting elite performance athletes or performance development initiatives.
More information	www.sportworchester.com
Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin	
CSSN funding contact	Emma Passant, Energize STW
	Email: emma.passant@shropshire.gov.uk
	Web: www.energizestw.org.uk
Coaching Development Grant	
Summary	<p>The Coaching Development Grant is available for clubs, coaches and volunteers to apply for financial support towards coach development courses.</p> <p>Energize Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin's main funder, Sport England, is currently focusing on increasing activity levels among people aged 16 and above. This grant will look to do the same by allowing coaches who are working with priority sports and participants aged 16 and over to have support to help them develop their skills. Other sports that are not necessarily a priority for Sport England or Energize STW will still be eligible to apply to the grant. To find out whether your sport is a priority please contact Emma Passant, Coaching Development Manager.</p> <p>The grant does not have to be paid back and is not means tested. It will help to cover a percentage of the cost of doing Level 1, 2 or 3 coaching courses. The percentage of the coaching bursaries offered will be dependent on the sport and the audience the coach will be delivering to.</p> <p>For more details, email Emma Passant at emma.passant@shropshire.gov.uk or telephone 01743-255 095.</p>
More information	www.shropshiretelfordwrekinsportspartnership.org.uk/spage.php?id=1&subid=8&subid2=135

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Lee Booth, SASSOT</p> <p>Email: lbooth@staffordbc.gov.uk</p> <p>Web: www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk</p>
Cannock Chase Sports Council Club Scholarship and Minor Grant Aid Schemes	
Summary	Funding is available for coaching courses, coach/volunteer education, equipment, specialised training courses and transportation.
More information	www.cannockchasedc.gov.uk/info/100009/leisure_and_culture/733/chase_sports_council
Lichfield District Council Grant Aid Programme	
Summary	Voluntary organisations including those that help support participation in sport, can apply for up to £1000 funding.
More information	www.lichfielddc.gov.uk/site/scripts/documents_info.php?categoryID=100009&documentID=300
Newcastle-under-Lyme Sports Council Grants	
Summary	Sports clubs, individuals and schools can apply for funding within the Newcastle-under-Lyme borough area, with a total of approx £20,000 set aside each year.
More information	www.newcastle-staffs.gov.uk/leisure_index.asp?id=SXEB3A-A780BC49&cat=1385
South Staffordshire Council Coach and Official Scholarships	
Summary	Coaches can apply for up to 50% of the cost of coaching and official qualifications.
More information	www.sstaffs.gov.uk/your_services/community_development/community_grants/coach__official_education__d.aspx
Sport Across Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Sports Club Accreditation Fund	
Summary	Sports clubs can apply for up to £600 to help with gaining sports club accreditation, and this can include funding for coaching qualifications.
More information	www.sportacrossstaffordshire.co.uk/News/Newsletters/August2011/CountySportsPartnershipUpdate

Sport Stafford Borough	
Summary	Sport Stafford Borough is an umbrella organisation of Stafford Borough Council and allocates funds to talented sports performers, local sports clubs and local sports coaches to help them excel in their particular activity.
More information	www.staffordbc.gov.uk/live/welcome.asp?id=5236
Staffordshire County Council Community Wellbeing Fund	
Summary	Funding of up to £10,000 is available to small local community groups, faith groups, clubs, parish councils, village halls and other organisations to deliver local community-based preventative projects. The overall aim of the scheme will be to improve the health, independence and well-being of older people and vulnerable adults.
More information	www.staffordshire.gov.uk/health/healthdevelopment/grantscheme/home.aspx
Tamworth Community Sports Network	
Summary	The Tamworth Community Sports Network is allocated funds by Tamworth Borough Council to provide financial assistance to maximise opportunities for local sportspeople. Grants will be awarded to assist with the costs of coaching courses, up to a maximum of 50% of the cost of the course or £300.
More information	www.tamworth.gov.uk/community_and_living/funding_and_grants/sports_grants.aspx
Warwickshire	
CSSN funding contact	Scott Riddell, CSW Sport
	Email: s.riddell@warwick.ac.uk
	Web: www.cswsport.org.uk
CSW Sport Coach Bursary Scheme	
Summary	Applications to fund coach qualifications will be accepted as part of a sports club.
More information	www.cswsport.org.uk/coachbursaryscheme
CSW Sport Group Bursary Scheme	
Summary	Funding is available to support governing bodies of sport in running Level 1 qualifications at a local level. Contact Scott Riddell: Scott@cswsport.org.uk

Rugby Borough Council	
Summary	Grants of up to £1000 are offered to help develop clubs and organisations and to increase participation by setting up a new sports club or a new section of an existing sports club, establishing a new activity that will develop and improve an existing sports club, or organising a new project or event. Funding is available for: sports equipment as part of a developmental project; set-up costs; publicity and promotion; talent development; and coaching and tutor fees.
Warwick District Council	
Summary	Grants are available for one-off projects or equipment that will benefit a significant number of people and will: improve or enhance the physical environment; promote health and well-being; make neighbourhoods feel safe; build up the strength of communities and neighbourhoods; and encourage vulnerable and excluded individuals and groups to participate in community life.

Yorkshire and Humber

Regional	Yorkshire and Humber Coaching Bursary
Summary	<p>Funded by Sport England and managed by the National Skills Academy for Sport and Active Leisure, the Yorkshire and Humber Coaching Bursary supports active and potential coaches to undertake UKCC-endorsed coaching qualifications. This will fund up to 60% of the course cost, which is reimbursed on completion of the course and the required number of coaching hours. The number of bursaries available and the sports eligible for support are limited. Telephone Simon Lewis, Bursary Administrator, on 020-7632 2027 or email simon.lewis@sportactivenessa.co.uk</p> <p>This scheme closes at the end of May 2012 so applicants are advised to apply as soon as possible to ensure they can complete their course and claim their bursary by the end of the scheme. Applicants are strongly advised to contact the Bursary Administrator or their local governing body of sport officer prior to applying to see if bursaries are still available.</p>
More information	www.yandh-coachingbursary.co.uk
Humber	
KC Communications	
Summary	<p>Every three months, KC allocates three KC Community Grants of £500 to local causes and projects in the Hull and East Riding area. Launched in 2006, it has awarded more than £20,000 of grants so far to various community groups, schools, charities and organisations across East Yorkshire.</p> <p>The deadline for applications is the first Friday in June, September and December during 2011 and March 2012.</p>
More information	www.kc.co.uk/community/

Tribune Trust	
Summary	The trust provides grants for community safety projects and initiatives within the area served by Humberside Police, when financial support is not available from other sources. Local groups from the business, public and voluntary sectors will work closely with the police to seek funding for schemes that address local concerns about the fear of crime, safety, security and crime reduction, particularly over the long term. Any application for coaching support would have to link into the wider objectives of the trust.
More information	www.tribunetrust.org
North Yorkshire	
CSSN funding contact	Pete Taylor Email: peter.taylor@harrogate.gov.uk
Craven District Council	
Summary	The Craven District Council Community Grant Scheme supports revenue projects such as coach education and training. The small grant is up to £500 and 100% of funding. The medium grant is up to £1000 and 50% of funding. Over a dozen sports clubs benefit each year from applying. Telephone Bruce Dinsmore, Sports Development Officer, on 01756-706 391 or email bdinsmore@cravendc.gov.uk
More information	www.cravendc.gov.uk/Craven/Residents/CommunityFunding/CravenDistrictCouncilFunding/
Richmondshire Local Sports Association	
Summary	Grants of up to £200 are available to help subsidise coaching qualifications. Email Matt Prosser, Sports Development Officer, Richmondshire Leisure Trust: sdcr@rltsport.co.uk
More information	www.richmondshire.gov.uk/service-directory/leisure/sportscouncil.aspx
Ryedale District Council	
Summary	Active Ryedale offers the sports volunteer support scheme for coaches to apply for, in return for delivering a minimum of 20 voluntary hours at their club, up to a maximum of £100 for Level 1 and 2 courses. Please email Chris Chatten at chris.chatten@ryedale.gov.uk or telephone 01653-600 666, extension 260.

Scarborough and District Sports Council	
Summary	Scarborough and District Sports Council offers sports grants of up to £250 for individuals and £500 for member clubs. Funding can be used for equipment, travel costs, coach education, sports events and volunteer development. Telephone Matt Hewison, Sports Development Officer, Scarborough Borough Council, on 01723-501 984 or email matt.hewison@scarborough.gov.uk
More information	http://www.scarborough.gov.uk/default.aspx?page=9141
South Yorkshire	
CSSN funding contact	Michelle Dent, South Yorkshire Sport Email: michelle.dent@sysport.co.uk Telephone: 0114-223 5680 Web: www.sysport.co.uk
Coalfields Regeneration Trust	
Summary	<p>Coalfields Community Grants are available at two levels.</p> <p>The level 1 small grants programme has grants of £500–£5000 available to help small organisations in eligible coalfield areas develop projects to help local need, increase existing activity or improve the delivery of activities. Projects should benefit communities that are within the most deprived 50% in the country based on the government's Indices of Deprivation 2010.</p> <p>The level 2 grants programme offers grants of £10,000–£100,000 for projects in coalfield wards that have at least one lower layer super output area (LSOA) in the top 30% most deprived. The programme supports work in coalfields communities that contribute to at least one of the following themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • access to employment • education and skills • health and well-being • access to opportunities.
More information	www.coalfields-regen.org.uk
South Yorkshire Funding Advice Bureau	
Summary	The Bureau supports voluntary and community organisations to get the resources they need, providing advice, information and training to help South Yorkshire organisations become more confident and self-reliant in fund-raising.
More information	www.syfab.org.uk

West Yorkshire	
CSSN funding contact	<p>Vicky Joel</p> <p>Email: vicky.joel@wysport.co.uk</p> <p>Telephone: 01484-234 087</p>
West Yorkshire Coach and Leader Bursary	
Summary	West Yorkshire Sport has established a new scheme to support coaches and leaders to gain qualification. Sport Makers and coaches in West Yorkshire can apply for up to 50% of the cost of recognised Level 1 and 2 coaching qualifications or leader awards. Full details of the scheme and eligibility are available on the website or from Les Ford: les.ford@wysport.co.uk or 01484-234 087.
More information	www.coachingwy.co.uk/information-for-coaches/wy_bursary_scheme
West Yorkshire Sport Funding Guide	
Summary	The funding guide is updated regularly and includes information on national, regional, county, district, local and individual opportunities.
More information	www.westyorkshiresport.co.uk/funding